

FWES AIG Nomination Window

Second Semester – Window closes Friday, January 6, 2017
(end of the school day at 3:45 pm)

K-1-2: Please contact Mrs. Rowe directly with questions about your kindergarten, first, or second grade child. He/she must be performing two to three years above grade level (in both Math and ELA) in order to be considered for referral by the School Based Committee for Gifted Education (SBCGE). If you chose to have your child privately tested, please give Mrs. Rowe a complete copy of your child's score reports from the testing center.

3rd grade: WCPSS administers the CogAT to all 3rd grade students during first semester. Students who obtain a CogAT composite or subtest score at or above the 85th percentile are eligible to take the Iowa Test. Students who score at the 95th percentile on either the CogAT or Iowa can be considered for nomination by the School Based Committee for Gifted Education (SBCGE) during second semester.

4th grade: You can nominate your child in the first or second semester windows. Letters received after a window closes will be held until the next semester window opens. Your nomination should be based on parent observations and prior student performance. **A student performing at level 3 on the last report card and with EOG scores below the 95th percentile, probably needs another semester to grow as a learner. The SBCGE cannot refer a student for AIG evaluation unless there is supporting evidence with last year's grades and/or test scores.**

5th grade: You should nominate your child in the first semester window, especially if you are planning to apply to an AIG magnet middle school (Carnage, Ligon, or Moore Square) so that all possible identifications are in place before the magnet application window opens.

Transfer Students - any grade: If your child was formally identified in a gifted program at his/her former school **outside of Wake County** please contact Mrs. Rowe directly regarding AIG transfer reciprocity. Students coming from a Wake County school to Farmington Woods will have their records transferred from the sending school.

Please visit <http://fwesaig.weebly.com/> for more information.

Thank you,

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