Q: I missed the application deadline. Can I still apply for a seat at Codman Academy?
A: No. Unfortunately to be included in our Lottery you must apply by February 28th.

Q: Can you add my child to your waitlist even though the Lottery already happened?
A: No. To be placed on our waitlist an applicant is required to participate in the Lottery.

Q: I don’t have a school for my child for next year, what should I do?
A: Boston Public Schools has welcome centers located around the city that can take care of your child’s registration and enrollment process. The closest welcome center to our location is on 1216 Dorchester Avenue, Boston MA 02125.

Q: I applied for my child last year and was put on the waitlist. Do I need to apply again?
A: Yes! We run a new Lottery every year. If you were not selected off of the waitlist you need to apply again by the February 28th deadline in order to be considered for a seat or put on the waitlist during the Lottery.

Q: When will I be told if my child was admitted or placed on the waitlist?
A: We will email you the day of the Lottery. Additionally we will also publish a list of all admitted students on our website after the Lottery.

Q: My child was placed on the waitlist. How will I know if they move up the waitlist or if they are offered a seat later in the year?
A: Please call Codman Academy at 617-287-0700 and ask for an update on your child’s waitlist position. We will contact you via email and phone call if you child is selected off the waitlist. You will have five days after receiving this communication to accept or decline the seat.

Q: I applied for more than one child/ I applied for twins. If one child is admitted can you also take the other one?
A: Unfortunately we cannot take both/all children at the same time. We need to follow the order of the waitlist and so can only accept the child who is next on the waitlist for any open seats. However if one child starts the year with us their sibling(s) on the waitlist gain sibling status after the first day of school. This means that they would be moved to the top of the list and would be one of the first students contacted for any open seats during the school year.

Q: My child is the sibling of a current student. Why were they placed on the waitlist?
A: Each year we only have a certain amount of open seats to fill with our admissions Lottery. Therefore if the number of siblings applying for a grade is greater than the number of open seats some will be placed on the waitlist. We use a sibling preference policy which means that they will be put at the top of the waitlist over other non-sibling applicants.