MySchools Vs MyCity Platforms

Please note: How you interact with the platform will differ based on the family's specific enrollment needs and seat type.

Seat Type or Applicant Type	MySchools Platform Used to find and/or apply to educational and childcare seat types and settings.		MyCity Platform Used to apply for help covering the cost of childcare. Families can apply anytime.	
	Immediate enrollment for the 2024-2025 school year	Fall Enrollment Application for school year starting Sept 2025	Immediate enrollment for the 2024- 2025 school year	Fall Enrollment Application for school year starting Sept 2025
School Day program seat	Find an available seat by visiting the MySchools "School Directory" and filter by age, setting and program. To enroll, contact the program to confirm availability and help the parent apply.	If applying during the Jan/Feb enrollment period, submit an application on MySchools. Families who miss the application deadline (applying after Feb 28) can use MySchools to identify programs of interest and apply for the waitlist.	Not Available	
HeadStart program seat				
Extended Day Year program seat			Complete a Childcare Assistance Application on MyCity. (Note: EDY is listed as Contracted Care in MyCity.) If found eligible, families can contact their program of interest to finalize enrollment.	First, the family must submit an application on MySchools for an EDY program seat. After receiving the EDY program offer, the family logs into MyCity and completes the Childcare Assistance application to confirm eligibility for the EDY program. (Note: EDY is listed as Contracted Care in MyCity.)
Families Receiving Cash Assistance	MySchools is available only for School Day Year seat type. Families receiving Cash Assistance who are interested in childcare must visit AccessHRA for enrollment.		Families receiving Cash Assistance do not use MyCity; they use AccessHRA.	