APPLY BY FEBRUARY 15
Students admitted to IMSA must show a history of academic achievement, involvement in leadership and extracurricular activities and a demonstrated interest in STEM (science, technology, engineering and math).

ELIGIBILITY
IMSA serves students grades 10-12. Applicants are in the 8th or 9th grade applying for entrance into the 10th grade at IMSA.
- Must be an Illinois resident enrolled in an Illinois school at the time of application
- Must have completed Algebra I and a high school equivalent science course

REQUIREMENTS
Complete the online application at www.imsa.edu, including student essays, activity list and parent statement. You’ll also need to submit:
- Evaluation forms completed by current year English, math and science teachers
- Guidance Counselor form, including official grade reports for the past 2 1/2 years

COST
IMSA is tuition-free, with no charge for room and board. An annual student fee is assessed based on family size and income. No student is ever refused because of inability to pay.

Established by the State of Illinois to develop talent and leadership in science, technology, engineering and mathematics, the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy is internationally recognized for inspiring, challenging and nurturing students who use their exceptional abilities to improve people’s lives. IMSA’s academically advanced residential program enables exceptional students in grades 10-12 to reach extraordinary levels of achievement.

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