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ENTRANCE AGE FOR ADMISSION TO KINDERGARTEN

Policy

It is the policy of the Barre Unified Union School District (B.U.U.S.D.) that all children enrolling in Kindergarten shall be of the appropriate age, as defined in this policy.

Implementation

Children whose parents or legal guardians are residents of the B.U.U.S.D. are eligible to enter Kindergarten provided the child has reached the age of 5 on or before September 1 of the school year. A birth certificate or other satisfactory proof of age and written verification that the child has met the State's immunization requirements or a signed exemption form as required by the VT Department of Health must be submitted before the child is admitted to school for the first time.

Children will attend the school in the town in which their parents or legal guardians are residents, unless they are eligible for Intra-District School Choice or Transfer as defined by Policy F36.

Transfer pupils from another school district with an earlier entrance age, will be admitted to Kindergarten as a regular transfer student at the discretion of the principal.

Legal Reference(s):

16 V.S.A. §1073

16 V.S.A. §1075

Cross Reference: F36 Intra-District School Choice and Transfer