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February 1, 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Welcome to the Morgan Local School District kindergarten registration process for the 2024-2025 school year. The purpose of this letter is to let you know the steps required for registering for the upcoming year.

Here are the steps for registration:

Pick up an enrollment packet from our District Office, at East, South, or West Elementary building, Washington-Morgan Community Action Head Start program, or on-line. You may access the on-line materials at morganschools.org and click on "Kindergarten Registration".

Complete the packet and contact to Leslie Robbins at (740) 962-1121 to schedule an appointment to return the registration prior to April 22nd, 2024.

Bring the packet and the following information (if you have not already provided it prior to the registration, for example preschool at Morgan Local School District) to the appointment time:

1. **Certified** Birth Certificate
2. Immunization Record
3. Proof of Residency (lease agreement, utility bill, current address of Driver's License)
4. Photo ID of the person registering the student
5. Custody Documentation, if applicable

Any questions requiring the registration process may be directed to Leslie Robbins at the Morgan Local School District Office, located at 65 West Union Avenue, McConnelsville, by phone at (740) 962-1121, or by email at lrobbins@morganschools.org.

You will receive additional information from your student's building staff, once the final plans have been determined (after the first of August).

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Morgan Local Schools 2024-25 School Year

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McConnelsville, OH 43756
Phone: 740-962-3361
Fax: 740-962-6804

Principal – Carrie Price
Secretary – Jean Copeland

MORGAN WEST ELEMENTARY

9675 W. State Route 37
Malta, OH 43758
Phone: 740-342-4873
Fax: 740-342-7326

Principal – Amanda Pierce
Secretary – Jane Palmer

MORGAN SOUTH ELEMENTARY

3555 State Route 792
Stockport, OH 43787
Phone: 740-559-2377
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Principal – Joel Fox
Secretary – Denise Wallace
School Psychologist–Nick DiFrancesco

BUS GARAGE

Phone: 740-962-3685
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Director – Russ Clifton
Secretary – Sara Larrick

MORGAN LOCAL SCHOOLS CENTRAL OFFICE

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Curriculum Director- Bill Francis
Special Programs– Bev Steinbrecher
Spec. Prog. Secretary– Amy Bort
Central Registrar/Food Service-Leslie Robbins

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Morgan Local Schools
2024-2025 CALENDAR
Student breaks are shaded

July 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

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October 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 EOT (43 days)	26
27	28	29	30	31		23 T 23 O 23 S

August 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15 New Teacher	16 Flex Day	17
18	19 Staff PD	20 Staff PD	21 1 st Student Day	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 11 T 10 O 8 S

November 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5 Staff PD	6	7	8	9
10	11 VET Comp Day	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 No School	28 No School	29 No School	30 18 T 17 O 16 S

September 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2 No School	3 No School	4 No School	5 No School	6 No School	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					16 T 16 O 16 S

December 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2 No School	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 No School	24 No School	25 No School	26 No School	27 No School	28
29	30 No School	31 No School				14 T 14 O 14 S

January 2025

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April 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1 No School	2 No School	3 No School	4
5	6 Staff PD	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 EOT (43 days)	18
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February 2025

May 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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16	17 Comp Day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	20 T 19 O 19 S

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Mem. Day	27	28	29 EOT (46 days) Last Day S	30 Last Day T	31 21 T 21 O 20 S

March 2025

June 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 EOT (42 days)	21 Staff PD	22
23 30	24 31	25	26	27	28	29 21 T 21 O 20 S

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	174 Student days 7 Staff days 2 PT/Open House credit days Teacher Total Days = 183 Student Hours = 1068					21
22						28
29	30					

Kindergarten Readiness Checklist

To do well in school, children need to be supported and nurtured in all areas of development.

It is also important that your child is physically, socially and emotionally ready for school. This checklist can help serve as your guide. But please remember, young children change so fast! If they cannot do something this week, you may see them do it a couple of weeks later.

Is your child ready for kindergarten? Ask yourself these questions:

Developmental Area	Tips and Activities to Help Prepare Your Child
Physical Skills: Does your child . . . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Enjoy outdoor play (jumping, running, or climbing) ✓ Draw and trace basic shapes ✓ Cut with scissors ✓ Bounce a ball ✓ Ride a tricycle? 	Materials to help develop motor skills: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Crayons/markers/pencils ○ Glue ○ Scissors ○ Paper ○ Puzzles ○ Legos/blocks Activities that will help with coordination: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Climbing ○ Jumping ○ Skipping ○ Playing ball ○ Playground equipment ○ Riding a tricycle
Health & Safety Has your child . . . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Had required shots ✓ Had a dental exam ✓ Had a vision exam ✓ Learned their own first and last name ✓ Learned first and last name of parent ✓ Learned to watch for cars when crossing street ✓ Learned not to talk to strangers ✓ Developed a set routine for going to bed ✓ Follow rules for safety? Can your child . . . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Separate from parents without being upset ✓ Control oneself ✓ Share with others 	Help your child . . . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Learn their full name ○ Learn their address ○ Learn their telephone number ○ Look both ways when crossing the street ○ Learn who to go to for help At bedtime . . . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Read to your child ○ Talk with your child

<p>Personal Needs</p> <p>Without your help, can your child . . .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Use the bathroom ✓ Wash their hands ✓ Brush their teeth ✓ Use a tissue to blow their nose ✓ Button & zip up shirt and pants ✓ Put on and take off a coat ✓ Tie and Velcro their shoes? 	<p>Help your child . . .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Create a morning routine ○ Create a bedtime routine ○ Create a bathing routine ○ Create a tooth brushing routine ○ Practice putting shoes on ○ Practice tie shoes ○ Practice buttoning and zipping coats, shirts and pants ○ Learn to dress themselves ○ Learn to use words to tell grownups when they are feeling sick or hurt.
<p>Educational Needs</p> <p>Does your child . . .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Look at pictures and tell a story ✓ Sort objects by color, size and shape ✓ Recognize groups of 1-5 objects ✓ Recognize some sight words like “stop” ✓ Talk in complete sentences of 5 or 6 words ✓ Speak understandably ✓ Pay attention for short periods of time to adult-directed tasks? 	<p>Help your child . . .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Count to 10 ○ Identify some alphabet letters ○ Identify the beginning sounds in words ○ Identify rhyming words ○ Recognize their name ○ Write their name

Washington Morgan Community Action Programs

HEAD START & EARLY HEAD START

FREE Program for Infants, Toddlers, Pregnant Women and Preschool children



Prenatal Program

Get ready for your baby:

- Home visitation
- Prenatal education & support
- Assistance with accessing health & community resources
- Support after baby arrives

EARLY HEAD START (birth—3) & HEAD START (ages 3-5) provide:

- A safe environment that allows children to learn, relax, thrive, and have fun;
- An inclusive environment for children of all abilities, including children with disabilities;
- Free health, nutritional, & developmental screenings;
- Research based curriculum and ongoing assessment to ensure children are on track;
- Nutritious meals;
- Structured Schedule;
- Fun, engaging learning activities;
- Learning opportunities and assistance for families;
- Socialization experiences for home-base families; and MUCH MORE!



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