

Kindergarten Registration

Welcome to Orange County Schools! If you have a child that will be entering Kindergarten, the following information will help you navigate through the registration process. Each school handles its own student registration, so **if you have further questions or are in need of any registration assistance, please contact your child's school to book an appointment.**

For updates and more information, visit orangecountyfirst.com/k

| School | Registration Event Date | Contact |
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| Central | April 17, 2025 9:00 a.m. | Edgard Llanos (919) 732-3622 |
| Efland-Cheeks | April 16, 2025 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. | Candy Enriquez (919) 245-4042 |
| Grady Brown | April 15, 2025 9:00 a.m. | Michel Flores (919) 732-6138 |
| Hillsborough | June 6, 2025 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. | Zevalda McPherson (919) 732-6137 |
| New Hope | March 18, 2025 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. | Faith Blefko (919) 942-9696 |
| Pathways | April 16, 2025 Session 1: 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. Session 2: 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. | Lisa Allen (919) 732-9136 |
| River Park | April 16, 2025 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. | Angelica Salas (919) 732-9326 |

Central Elementary Kandis Sauls, Principal

154 Hayes St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
(919) 732-3622
(919) 732-2352 (fax)

Efland-Cheeks Elementary Kelly Parks, Principal

4401 Fuller Rd.
Efland, NC 27243
(919) 562-5112
(919) 562-3137 (fax)

Grady Brown Elementary Kimberly Griffis, Interim Principal

1100 New Grady Brown School Rd.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
(919) 732-6138
(919) 644-2800 (fax)

Hillsborough Elementary Jessica Nagy, Principal

402 North Nash St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
(919) 732-6137
(919) 732-7791 (fax)

New Hope Elementary Dr. Meredith Maier, Principal

1900 New Hope Church Rd.
Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-9696
(919) 942-2493 (fax)

Pathways Elementary Kristin Mattison-Williamson, Principal

431 Strouds Creek Rd.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
(919) 732-9136
(919) 732-9142 (fax)

River Park Elementary Tony Widder, Principal

240 St. Mary's Rd.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
(919) 732-9326
(919) 732-9736 (fax)



What should I bring to Kindergarten Registration?

You will need to bring the following documents:

- **Proof of Domicile (Residency)**

- Examples: rental agreement, housing contract, electric bill. A driver's license or telephone bill will not serve as proof.

- **Proof of Child's Birth Date**

- Preferred documentation: Certified Birth Certificate. Certified birth certificates may be obtained from the Division of Vital Statistics, State Board of Health, Raleigh, NC 27602 or from the county in which your child was born. They may be obtained for a fee from the following locations:
 - Orange County -Register of Deeds Office, E. King St., Hillsborough, NC 27278
 - Durham County -Durham County Health Department, Durham, NC
 - Alamance County -Register of Deeds Office, Graham, NC

- **Health Assessment Form**

- North Carolina law requires students to have a physical health assessment prior to enrolling in school. It must be completed within 1 calendar year prior to the first day of school and must include vision and hearing results. Appropriate assessment forms are located in local doctor's offices, school offices, your local Health Department or the Public Library.

- **Immunization Records**

- You may obtain this record from your family doctor or the Health Department. Under existing state laws, all children entering school are required to have the immunizations listed below:
 - **Five (5) DTP/DTaP:** One dose must be on or after the child's 4th birthday. If 4th dose is on/after the 4th birthday, a 5th dose is not required.
 - ***Four (4) Polio:** The booster (4th) dose is required on/after the 4th birthday and entering school for the first time.
 - **One (1) – Four (4) Hib:** Series complete if at least 1 dose given on/after 15 months. Not required after age 5.
 - **Two (2) MMR:** First dose must be on/after 1st birthday.
 - **Three (3) Hep B:** Last dose must be on/after 24 weeks of age.
 - ***Two (2) Varicella:** First dose must be on/after 1st birthday. [Applies to students born on/after April 1, 2001.] The 2nd dose is to be administered at least 28 days later and before entering school for the first time.
 - **One (1) - Four (4) PCV:** Series complete if at least 1 dose if given on/after 24 months. Not required after age 5. [Applies to students born on/after July 1, 2015]

NORTH CAROLINA STATE LAW REQUIRES THAT A STUDENT HAVE A COMPLETE RECORD OF IMMUNIZATIONS AND HEALTH ASSESSMENT WITHIN 30 CALENDAR DAYS OF ENROLLING IN SCHOOL. NONCOMPLIANCE WILL RESULT IN STUDENT EXCLUSION UNTIL THIS INFORMATION IS PROVIDED TO THE SCHOOL.

- **Emergency Telephone Numbers**

- It is critical that the school be able to quickly reach a relative or close friend in case of an emergency. You will need to provide telephone numbers of relatives or friends who may pick your child up from school and who can be reached during school hours.

