Haldane Central School District
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#7129 AGE OF ENTRANCE

Universal Pre-Kindergarten

Students who are legal residents of the District and who reside with parents or guardians within the District at the time of the opening day of school must be four years of age on December 1 in order to register for Universal Pre-Kindergarten (UPK).

Kindergarten

Students who are legal residents of the District and who reside with parents or guardians within the District at the time of the opening day of school must be five years of age or older on December 1 in order to register for kindergarten.

A student who transfers into the District at any time during the school year may be considered for admission to kindergarten by the Superintendent provided:

a. The parents were not legal residents of the District on the opening day of school, and
b. The student has been registered and enrolled in kindergarten in the District in which his or her parents were legal residents.

Other Grades

Admission of students to other grades will involve a consideration of both chronological age and his or her readiness to do the work of those grades.

Proof of Age

A student's birth certificate or other satisfactory evidence of age must be presented at the time of initial registration and the student will be enrolled under their legal name.