



Indian River School District PROCESS FOR EARLY KINDERGARTEN ADMISSION

Parent/Guardian Information

Families with children whose 5th birthday falls between September 1st and October 15th may request Early Admission into Kindergarten.
The application must be received no later than May 1st of each year.

Phase I

Phase I:

- Written Request and Application Submitted to Principal
- Ages and Stages Questionnaire Completed by Parent/Guardian
- Your Child is Administered the Following:
 - DIBELS
 - DIAL 4
- Review of the Data.
 - After the Review of the Data, it will be Determined if Your Child will Move to Phase II
 - Parent/Guardian is Notified of Results from Phase I

Testing Window

Testing will occur during the month of May regardless of when the written request was submitted to the school.

Phase II

After Successful Completion of Phase I:

- Permission to Evaluate is Signed by Parent/Guardian
- Eyes and Ears Screened
- School Psychologist Administers Testing to Determine Mental and Cognitive Abilities of your Child

Please Reach out to your Child's School with Questions!

Phase III

Phase III:

- The School Team will Make a Recommendation Based on School Psychologist's Testing
- Results are Shared with Parent/Guardian
 - If your Child Does Not Qualify, you have 10 Days to Make a Written Request for Appeal to the Supervisor of Early Learning