

ENTRANCE AGE*Kindergarten*

A child will be eligible for entrance to kindergarten if he reaches the age of five (5) years on or before December 1st of the school year they plan to enter. All children who intend to enroll in kindergarten must be registered in central registration on a designated schedule. Latecomers to the school district will be enrolled in the usual manner.

First Grade

Admission to first grade is not dependent upon attainment of age six, but upon the pupil's ability. While the pupil is entitled to a full day of instruction, the determination as to whether he is to be enrolled in first grade or kindergarten is an administrative decision.

Ref: *Education Law* §1709; 1712; 3202(1); 3235; 3210
8 NYCRR §125.9
Frost v. Yerazunis, 53 AD 2d 15; 385 NYS 2d 181 (1976)
Matter of Carney, 15 EDR 325 (1976)

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