## 5055 Enrollment in Kindergarten

A child must reach the age of five on or before July 31<sup>st</sup> of the calendar year to be enrolled in kindergarten. The school district will enroll a child who will reach the age of five between August 1<sup>st</sup> and October 15<sup>th</sup> of the year of enrollment if the parent or guardian requests such enrollment and provides an affidavit stating:

- (a) the child attended kindergarten in another jurisdiction in the current school year; or
- (b) the family anticipates relocating to another jurisdiction that would allow admission within the current year; or
- (c) the child has demonstrated through recognized assessment procedures approved by the board that he or she is capable of performing the work of kindergarten.

The recognized assessment procedure(s) approved by the board is the PKS-Prekindergarten Screen Author: Raymond E. Webster, Angela Matthews

The board delegates to the elementary principal responsibility for determining whether the conditions of this policy have been met. In order to enroll in kindergarten early, students must achieve a score of at least the 50th percentile on the composite of all subtests.

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