

POTTSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

RESIDENT CHILDREN - ADMISSION TO SCHOOL

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- 6000.1 Admission to school shall apply only to those individuals who are legal residents within the Pottstown School District or who apply for admission and upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and approval of the Board are accepted on a tuition basis.
- 6000.2 Legal residents between four years of age and twenty-one are entitled to an elementary and secondary education, free of tuition.
- 6000.3 Admission to pre-kindergarten (4K) shall be limited to children who have attained the age of four years on or before September 1.
- 6000.4 Admission to kindergarten (5K) shall be limited to children who have attained the age of five years on or before September 1.
- 6000.5 Admission to first grade shall be limited to children who have attained the age of six years on or before September 1.
- 6000.6 Any child who does not meet the beginning age requirement will be considered for early entrance into school only after written application is made by the parent to the Superintendent requesting the child be tested by the school psychologist.
- 6000.6a After evaluation and upon the recommendation of the psychologist, the Superintendent, and upon approval by the School Board, the child may be admitted to kindergarten and/or first grade at an earlier age.
- 6000.6b Under no circumstances will a child be considered for examination for early entrance to five year old kindergarten unless the child is four years old by the first day of school or for early entrance into first grade, five years old.
- 6000.6c There will be no early entrance to pre-kindergarten (4K).

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6000.7 Enrollment permitting and upon the recommendation of the Superintendent and approval of the Board, non-resident children may be accepted into kindergarten classes on a tuition basis.

6000.8 Students under eighteen years of age living with persons other than either of their parents in the Pottstown School District will not be enrolled until investigation determines whether or not they are a tuition or non-tuition student.

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