Frequently Asked Questions Regarding Kindergarten Enrollment

Q: My child is not due to have his/her immunizations updated until the summer. Should I wait until then to enroll?
A: No, don’t wait. Please continue with the online enrollment. Upload the immunization records that you currently have and turn the updates in at your child’s school before school starts.

Q: My child has not had their vision screening yet. Should I wait to enroll?
A: No, don’t wait. Please continue with the online enrollment. It is Michigan law that every kindergartner has their vision screened before they can start school. Acceptable documentation can be from your child’s physician, eye doctor or health department. Proof may be turned in at your child’s school before school starts.

Q: After I complete the on-line registration, will the Enrollment Office contact me?
A: Yes. After your documents have been reviewed by the Student Services Office, you will receive an email stating your child’s enrollment is finalized. You may not hear from us for several weeks. We will be processing enrollments as quickly as possible.

Q: What if I need to add or change documentation in my child’s pre-enrollment?
A: Save your pre-enrollment password. You can log back in and make adjustments as long as we have not already reviewed your documents.

Q: What if I do not have the required documents?
A: Please contact the Enrollment Office at NancyGrudzien@wlcsd.org, PatriciaSorensen@wlcsd.org or LanaDoyle@wlcsd.org for assistance.

Q: What if I can’t find my child’s original birth certificate.
A: You will need to go to the county of your child’s birth or order a replacement certified birth certificate online before you can enroll.

Q: Will you accept a Baptismal Certificate or Hospital Certificate as the birth record.
A: No.

Q: Has the age for kindergarten changed?
A: Yes, your child must be 5 years old by September 1, 2020.

Q: My child turns 5 before September 1, 2020. Do I need to complete a Kindergarten Waiver?
A: No, you only need to complete a Kindergarten Waiver if your child turns 5 years old September 2, 2020 through December 1, 2020.

Q: Can I sign a Kindergarten Waiver if my child turns 5 after December 1, 2020.
A: No. December 1, 2020 is the absolute cut-off date.

Q: Is there a deadline to complete the Kindergarten Waiver?
A: Yes. Waivers should be submitted at the time of enrollment and no later than the first day of school.

Q: Where do I find the Kindergarten Waiver form?
A: The form is located on the District’s website at www.wlcsd.org. Click on the Kindergarten Quick Link.

Q: What happens if I wait until summer to enroll?
A: Adequate staffing is a complicated process. In order for us to be appropriately prepared for your child, it is important to enroll as soon as possible.