Students

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ADMISSION

Age of Admission to Kindergarten

Initial admission to kindergarten shall be determined solely on the basis of chronological age as outlined in the Education Code. As amended by the Kindergarten Readiness Act of 2010, children are eligible for kindergarten enrollment if their fifth birthday is on or before September 1.

Age of Admission to Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K)

The district's Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K) program shall admit children whose fifth birthday is on or after September 2 through December 2. Children admitted to Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K) are required to be toilet trained, unless the child has a disability documented in an Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

Age of Admission to Expanded Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K)

As amended by Education Code 48000 (c)(3)(B), children are eligible to enroll in Expanded Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K) classes on a space-available basis. The amendment allows districts the option of admitting any child who will have his/her fifth birthday after December 2 but during that same school year. Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District will accept children in Expanded Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K) who turn five on or after December 3 through March 31 based on space availability. Children who enter as Expanded Transitional Kindergarteners may attend from the beginning of the school year and will generate ADA when they attain the age of five. Children admitted to Expanded Transitional Kindergarten (Preppy K) are required to be toilet trained, unless the child has a disability documented in an Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

Other Admissions

Admission of children to other grades shall involve a consideration of both chronological age and the readiness of the children to do the work required at each grade level.

CROSS REFERENCE:

Board Policy Section 5112.1 Admission of Kindergarten Pupils to First Grade

LEGAL REFERENCE: Education Code	Section 46000 Section 48000	Inter district attendance Minimum age of admission
	Section 48010	Minimum age/First grade
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