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The Board of Education will admit to the schools of this district children otherwise eligible by law or Board policy who have attained the age requirements set by law and this Board of Education. The Board requires documentary verification of the age and birth date of any child for whom admission to this district is sought.

A. Infant Stimulation

Any child up to the age of five is eligible for the Infant Stimulation Program upon the recommendation of his or her physician and the review of the district Child Study Team. Children who are classified as special education pupils by the Child Study Team shall be admitted.

B. PreKindergarten

Effective school year 1995-1996, a child is eligible for entrance into a limited enrollment prekindergarten who will have attained the age of four years on or before October 1 of the year in which entrance is sought and has not yet attained the age of which admission to kindergarten is permitted.



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C. Kindergarten

Effective school year 1996-1997, a child is eligible for entrance into kindergarten who will have attained the age of five years on or before October 1 of the year in which entrance is sought. No child will be admitted to kindergarten who has not met the age requirement set by this policy.

D. First Grade

Any child residing in the district shall be admitted to grade one provided that the child will have attained the age of six years on or before October 1 of that school year and has completed Kindergarten, and proof has been furnished of immunization against communicable diseases.

N.J.S.A. 18A:36-19; 18A:38-5; 18A:38-6; 18A:44-1; 18A:44-2; 18A:46-6;
18A:46-6.1

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