

JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Press Release

January 2008

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2008 – 2009 SCHOOL YEAR

Kindergarten registration will be held at the Milton School and the Robert F. Drummond School in Jefferson Township on March 3rd – 7th, 2008 [SEE SCHEDULE BELOW] from 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM. Your child need not be present during registration. Only those children who will be five years of age **before** October 1, 2008 and reside within Jefferson Township will be eligible to enter kindergarten in September 2008. Proof of residency at the time of registration is mandatory. Proof of residency may include a current mortgage statement, rental agreement or utility bill. A driver's license is **not** considered proof of residency.

Your cooperation is asked in following the schedule below. Registration for students whose last name begins with:

A – E MONDAY, 03/03

P – S THURSDAY 03/06

F – J TUESDAY, 03/04

T – Z FRIDAY, 03/07

K – O WEDNESDAY, 03/05

We appreciate your cooperation in adhering to the above schedule. If it is impossible for you to register your child on the day indicated, please call the school to make other arrangements:

Milton School (973) 697-4742

Robert F. Drummond School (973) 663-0760

KINDERGARTEN ENTRY REQUIREMENTS ARE:

1. Original Birth Certificate (with raised seal). Child must be 5 years of age prior to October 1, 2008.
2. Each Student must have a physical examination and provide examination documentation within 30 days upon enrollment/entry into school.
3. Complete immunization against D.P.T. (a series of four (4), with one (1) of the doses given on or after their 4th birthday, or any five (5) doses given at appropriate intervals).
4. Complete immunization against Polio (three (3) doses, with one (1) dose given on or after their 4th birthday, or any four (4) doses given at appropriate intervals).
5. Complete immunization against Measles (two (2) doses to be given on or after 1st birthday, vaccine doses are to be separated by at least one month).
6. Immunization against Rubella (vaccine must be given after 1st birthday).
7. Immunization against Mumps (vaccine must be given after 1st birthday).
8. Hepatitis B Vaccine (a series of three (3) doses of Hepatitis B vaccine or any vaccine combination containing the Hepatitis B virus).
9. Children born on or after January 1, 1998 are required to have one dose of the Varicella vaccine on or after their 1st birthday or proof of disease immunity is required prior to entering Kindergarten or 1st Grade.
10. Doctor's or Health Department Certificate is required as written proof that the above are completed.

Please bring immunization records, proof of residence and child's birth certificate to kindergarten registration. State Law prohibits the acceptance of any child who does not meet these requirements prior to the first day of entering school in September.

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