



DECORAH

Community School District

2020-2021 TK/Kindergarten Enrollment

Enrollment Process

- January 20 - Registration/Parent information posted/home from local preschools
- Due by January 31 - Return Registration Paperwork on Parent Information Form, parent/student demographics
- March 5 - Informational Parent Meeting at Carrie Lee Auditorium, 6pm
 - Current TK families welcome to attend, but not required
 - Health Related, PowerSchool, additional information handed out
- Late March/Early April - Will make tentative lists for Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten, hold conferences if needed about placement
- End of April - Class Assignments and "Meet the Teacher" information will be mailed
- May 8 - "Meet the Teacher" at John Cline Elementary (2020-21 Kindergarten students) and West Side Early Childhood Center (2020-21 TK students)

Required

Items can be returned anytime up until deadline.

- Must be 5 years old on or before September 15th of the current year in which school begins
- Kindergarten students must be residents of Decorah Community School District or file the appropriate paperwork for open enrollment. Kindergarten open enrollment is due by September 1, 2020 for kindergartener or March 2, 2020 for students grades 1-12.
- Complete paper copy of the Home Language Survey
- Copy of birth certificate, due by May 8, 2020
- eRegistration completed in Powerschool by August 23, 2020
- Sign up for SchoolMessenger alerts (highly recommended)
- Health History Form, due by May 8, 2020
- Immunization record, which in compliance with the Iowa School immunization law, due before first day of school. Exemption forms available upon request from DCSD School Nurse, Julie Goedken
- Blood Lead Test, we do not need proof, the state will verify that this was completed by physician
- Dental Screening, done after the age of 3, documentation due December 31, 2020
- Vision Screening, can be completed by family doctor or optometrist. Exam can be done up to one year prior to entering kindergarten. Documentation to school due by December 31, 2020