

**AGE OF ENTRANCE**

A birth certificate must be presented upon registration, and all incoming students will be assessed by the School for proper placement.

A pupil may enter grade one if his or her chronological age will be six on, or before, September 30<sup>th</sup> of the year of entering school.

A student may enter kindergarten if his or her chronological age will be five on, or before, September 30<sup>th</sup> of the year of entering school.

Incoming students with a birth date after September 30<sup>th</sup>, if the student's chronological age will be six (6) on or before October 31<sup>st</sup> of the year entering school, may be eligible for placement in Grade 1 if the student has had a full year of kindergarten in a licensed or accredited school prior to enrolling in this School District. Such placement is tentative and subject to reassignment by the Superintendent of Schools.

Incoming transfer students in Grade 1 who arrive after the close of the first marking period will be initially admitted to Grade 1 if their chronological age will be six (6) before December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year of entering school and if previously enrolled in Grade 1 in another community and attending local schools only on a temporary basis (ten months or less). Such placement is tentative and subject to reassignment by the Superintendent of Schools.

Other incoming transfer students will be initially placed in accordance with the information forwarded by the sending District. Such placement is tentative and subject to reassignment by the Superintendent of Schools or his designee.

Law Reference: RSA 193:1, I and II; NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section Ed 302.02(1), Duties of Superintendent; NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section Ed 306.14(a), Instructional Program; Appropriate Assignment of All Incoming Students

Appendix Reference:

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