

BURGETTSTOWN AREA ELEMENTARY CENTER

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Kindergarten Registration 2023-2024

Registration for children who will be entering Kindergarten in the Burgettstown Area School District in the 2023-2024 school year, as well as those children entering school in first grade for the first time, will be held on the following dates:

Wednesday, March 22, 2023 – Children whose last names begin with A to M.

Thursday, March 23, 2023 – Children whose last names begin with N to Z.

Registration will be held at the Burgettstown Area Elementary Center, 100 Bavington Road, Burgettstown, PA from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

You may stop in to register during the above hours at your convenience.

Important Helpful Information When Planning for Kindergarten Registration:

It is not necessary for the child to accompany the parent/guardian for registration.

If you have all of the appropriate documents to register, then you will only be at BAEC for approximately 30 to 45 minutes at this initial visit.

Tours of the building and meeting the Kindergarten teachers will occur at a later date.

At registration, a date and time will be established with the secretary for your child to visit us again in the spring for a one-hour assessment of readiness skills.

As a reminder to parents, children must be 5 years of age by August 31st to enter Kindergarten. Any questions or concerns about age requirements should be directed to the Elementary Principal's office at 724-947-8150. Parents must bring **official birth certificate, immunization records, and three forms of residency verification** to the registration. Registration will not be accepted unless all records are furnished.

Pennsylvania State Law mandates the following minimum immunization requirements are required for all students entering school for the first time:

The immunizations required are:

- 4 doses of tetanus, diptheria and acellular pertussis* (last dose on or after age 4)
- 4 doses of polio (4th dose on or after 4th birthday and at least 6 months after previous dose given)
- 2 doses of measles, mumps, rubella**
- 3 doses of hepatitis B (3rd dose must be given after 6 months of age)
- 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox) or evidence of immunity

* Usually given as DTap

** Usually given as MMR

*** A physical and dental exam is required to be completed by August 15th. The required forms will be given at registration.

Court Orders:

Any parent registering a child who requests specific restrictions involving custody or guardian issues, must present an official court order defining those restrictions.

Residency:

You must reside in the Burgettstown Area School District to enroll a child.

Any questions about residency may require additional documentation.