

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

March 31, 2023 8 AM to 2 PM

Starting kindergarten is an exciting adventure for both students and families.

It is a new opportunity for learning, making friends, building confidence, and independence. This all begins with Kindergarten Registration. Each Blount County elementary school will be hosting Kindergarten Registration on Friday, March 31, 2023 from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. We want to meet both you and your child. Our staff will be on hand to assist with completing the necessary forms, answer your questions, and to share a bit about our schools. We will also do a short assessment to help prepare your child for this transition. This is an exciting time - We look forward to seeing you!

Registration Times
By Last Name:
8am to 9am A-F
9am to 10am G-L
10am to 11am M-Q
12pm to 1pm R-V
1pm to 2pm W-Z

The Kindergarten Curriculum

provides a comprehensive program that focuses on language arts, math, social studies, science, health, visual arts, music and physical education.

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PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILD

Questions?

Most questions can be answered by your child's school. School phone numbers can be found under the "How Do I?" tab at www.blountk12.org

Find your zoned school under the "How Do I?" tab at blountk12.org

We Request That You Bring the Following if Available:

- **YOUR CHILD**
- PROOF OF RESIDENCY
 Utility Bill, Rent or Mortgage Statement
- CERTIFIED BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- COMPLETED SHOT RECORD
- PHYSICAL EXAM
- PROOF OF LEGAL GUARDIANSHIP
 Only if necessary

AGE

Tennessee law requires that all children must be 5 years of age before August 15 of the current school year before they can enroll in kindergarten.

IMMUNIZATIONS

State law and BCS Policy requires all students entering kindergarten to have a valid Tennessee Department of Health Certificate of Immunization to enroll in or attend school. Students without required immunization documentation (or exemption documentation) will not be able to start school.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

BCS Policy states students entering school for the first time must have a complete physical examination. The physical exam must be within one calendar year of school starting.

COUNTY-WIDE STAGGERED START

The first few days of the school year are used as a phase-in period for kindergarten students. During this time, students are screened on an individual basis and attend school in small groups to become familiar with school routines. This period will be from August 1 - August 10, 2023. The first full day of school for all kindergarteners will be Friday, August 11, 2023.



If you need additional assistance, we are here to help!
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