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Dear Parents,

At this time of year, the Stroudsburg Area School District begins collecting names of children eligible for Kindergarten in the 2010-2011 school year. If you have a child who meets these qualifications, please call the appropriate elementary school office **OR** complete the form below and send it to the school office. If you know of others who have children that meet these requirements, please share this information with them.

To be eligible for kindergarten, a child must:

- Be five (5) years old on or before **September 1, 2010**
- Be a resident of the Stroudsburg Area School District
- Have proof of required immunizations.
 - 4 DPT with last on or after 4th birthday
 - 3 oral polio or IPV
 - 2 MMR given at 12 months or later***
 - 3 doses of hepatitis B properly spaced
 - 1 dose of varicella (chicken pox vaccine or disease – **second dose recommended**)

After your initial contact, we will mail an information packet to age appropriate students. Once the required documentation is presented at the office, we will make an appointment for your registration interview. If you have a question concerning your child's enrollment or the kindergarten program, please call to speak with the principal or guidance counselor.

In addition to the registration process, we plan an August kindergarten orientation experience. This program helps to orient parents and their children to the District's Kindergarten programs, teachers and transportation options. Information regarding the above orientation program will be sent in the future.

It is always exciting to plan for a new school year! Again, please contact the school as soon as possible. We look forward to meeting you and your child.

Sincerely,

The Elementary Principals

Child's Full Name _____ M / F
(circle one)

Date of Birth _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Phone # _____

Mailing Address _____

Physical Street Address/Location _____

Identifying kindergarten students letter home with students

REQUIRED NONDISCRIMINATE STATEMENT

The Stroudsburg Area School District, an equal opportunity employer, will not discriminate in employment, educational programs or activities, based on race, sex, handicap, or because a person is a disabled veteran or veteran of the Vietnam Era. This policy of nondiscrimination extends to all other legally protected classifications. Publication of this policy is in accordance with State and Federal Laws including Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. We further affirm that all curriculum offerings and student enrollment practices will be handled without discrimination based on sex, race, religion, national origin, or non-job related handicaps or disabilities. Inquiries are to be directed to the Assistant Superintendent for Personnel and Personnel Services, 503-504 Title IX – Title VI Coordinator, 123 Linden Street, Stroudsburg, PA 18360. Phone (570) 421-1990.

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