

Pearl River School District

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Dear Parents of a Prospective Kindergarten Student:

Thank you for completing your child's kindergarten registration online. We are delighted that your child will be joining us in the fall of 2021 to embark on his/her journey through the Pearl River School District. If you have outstanding documents to be submitted, please be sure to send them to Annette Leone, leonea@pearlriver.org or 845-620-3913 prior to your screening appointment.

We are planning for screening the incoming kindergarten students during the first week of June, Tuesday, June 1, 2021 through Friday, June 4, 2021 at the **District Administration Building located at 135 W. Crooked Hill Road in Pearl River.** You are asked to bring your child (one parent only, please) at an appointed time and wait for them to complete the screening with one of our teachers.

To schedule an appointment, please contact any elementary school office during the hours of 9:00AM - 3:00PM on school days to ensure someone is available to take your call:

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All visitors to the district office must wear face masks, adults and children alike. Please complete this COVID-19 Screening form for both you and your child and bring it with you on the day of your appointment. When you arrive at the administration offices with your child, please give your name to the greeter at the front desk and take a seat in the waiting area. Your child will be accompanied to a separate room where she/he will meet with a teaching staff member who will administer a brief kindergarten screening instrument. This assessment will give us some insight into your child's development of body movement, knowledge of basic concepts, and use of language. Generally, there will be four children taking the assessment with four teachers simultaneously. They will be socially distanced throughout the time they are with us. This should take about 20 minutes, after which a staff member will escort your child back to the lobby where you are waiting.

On Wednesday, June 9th, at 6:30 PM, we will hold a virtual information session for parents. During this session, you will meet district administrators and learn about our programs. Our Director of Transportation will provide you with an overview of the busing program, and we will give you an update about medical office procedures. Please plan to join us via Zoom; a link and form for questions will be sent to you prior to June 9th.

School assignments are determined at a later date; you will receive that information in the summer.

We welcome you to our district and look forward to educating your children.

Sincerely, Peggy Lynch, Principal Kathleenann Cool, Principal Kristin Talleyrand, Ed.D, Principal