



Lincoln Public Schools  
Lincoln, MA 01773

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**ADMISSION OF RESIDENT STUDENTS  
ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES**

The Principal with teachers will determine the placement procedures for six-year-olds transferring from another school whose birthdays occur prior to October 1. Such procedure will require at a minimum, an interview with the child and parents.

Reference: Policy JEB – Entrance Age

Approved by Administrators, May 1981  
Revised at School Committee Meeting of May 6, 1985  
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### **ENTRANCE AGE**

Children must have reached the age of five (5) before October 1 to enter Kindergarten in the September of the same year; children must have reached the age of six (6) before October 1 to enter first grade in the September of the same year.

Children transferring from another school who do not meet the entrance age requirements for Grade 1 but who have attended a kindergarten program in a public school or accredited private school may be admitted to the Lincoln first grade with the permission of the Principal.

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