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NEWS RELEASE

NORWIN SCHOOL DISTRICT TO BEGIN KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION Parents Can Register Kindergarten Students with Online System Beginning February 5

NORTH HUNTINGDON — Starting February 5, 2019, Norwin School District will begin registering children for the 2019-2020 kindergarten classes using the online registration system called Registration Gateway.

Beginning Monday, February 5, 2019, parents wishing to register should visit the Norwin School District Web site at www.norwinsd.org and select the REGISTRATION link to access the site and complete all necessary pre-registration forms. Once the required pre-registration information is entered, parents will be able to schedule a registration appointment, which will occur in March at the elementary building where the child will attend kindergarten. During the March registration appointment, the child will meet with school personnel and the parent/guardian will meet with a registration secretary to review paperwork and complete the registration process.

If any family does not have access to a computer to complete the pre-registration process, they can use a computer at the Norwin Public Library or the elementary building where the child will attend kindergarten. The online pre-registration process must be completed by February 23, 2019, prior to being able to schedule a registration appointment for the child and parent/guardian in March.

"We have experienced success with the online Registration Gateway system during the past few years, With online registration, parents are able to complete the majority of the process at home. Those who complete the online registration process more quickly will have first availability for the registration appointments at the schools," said Dr. McCracken.

Children must reside within School District boundaries and be five years of age <u>before</u> September 1, 2019 to be eligible for kindergarten.

Families who have a child preparing to enter kindergarten in the 2019-2020 school year are invited to attend the Young Knights transition program provided by the Norwin School District. The next session of Night with the Young Knights will be held on Thursday, February 21, 2019 beginning at 6:30 p.m. with building tours beginning at 6:05 p.m. at the elementary school where your child will attend next year. To register for the program, please go to https://tinyurl.com/YoungKnights.

Questions regarding the registration process may be directed to the building secretary or principal in any Norwin elementary school. If a family is unsure which elementary school a child will attend, they may go onto the District Web page, navigate to the Department tab, scroll down and click on Transportation, then click on the Alphabetical Street Listings and Boundary Map for Elementary School Buildings tab on the side; or contact Dr. Natalie A. McCracken, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Education at 724-861-3021. The Norwin School District elementary schools include:

Building	Phone Number	Brigance Screening Date
Hahntown Elementary School	724-861-3020	March 12, 2019
Sheridan Terrace Elementary School	724-861-3025	March 04, 2019
Stewartsville Elementary School	724-861-3030	March 14, 2019
Sunset Valley Elementary School	724-861-3035	March 08, 2019