Lincoln Park School District Kindergarten Waiver
2019 - 2020

According to Michigan Law, if a child residing in the Lincoln Park School District is not five years of age on September 1, 2019 but will be five years of age not later than December 1, 2019, the parent or legal guardian of that child may enroll the child in kindergarten for the 2019-2020 school year if the parent or legal guardian notifies the school district in writing, that he or she intends to enroll the child in kindergarten. The child's birth date would be on or before September 1, 2014. If a child becomes a resident of the Lincoln Park School District or is accepted into the Lincoln Park School District via school of choice the child's parent or legal guardian may enroll the child in kindergarten for that school year if the parent or legal guardian submits this written notification.

A school district that receives this written notification may make a *recommendation* to the parent or legal guardian as to whether the child is not ready to enroll in kindergarten due to the child's age or other factors. Regardless of the district recommendation, the *parent or legal guardian retains the sole discretion* to determine whether or not to enroll the child in kindergarten if the student is five years of age not later than December 1, 2019.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Verification of Age: _____Birth Certificate

Evidence of School Readiness (provided by parent):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

_____ _____ _____

Parent/Guardian's Printed Name Parent/Guardian's Signature Date

Lincoln Park School District Recommendation

☐ The Lincoln Park School District agrees with the recommendation of the parents to enroll their child in Kindergarten.

☐ While the Lincoln Park School District understands the parents retain the sole discretion to determine whether their child is enrolled, we recommend kindergarten begin in September 2020 for the following reasons:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

_____ _____

School Administrator's Signature Date

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