

2025 Kindergarten Screening & Registration

Dear Parents,

Kindergarten classes will be all day, every day, for the 2025-2026 school year. A child must be five years old by August 1, 2025 to attend kindergarten this fall. If your child meets this criteria, please fill out the Student Registration Form (2 pages) and the Transportation Form (1 page) found under this tab. We will need both forms, as well as the following documents: **child's official birth certificate, social security card, immunization records, custody papers** (if applicable) and, if renting, **proof of residency**. **All forms and documentation must be turned in by March 14th. You will not be able to register for screening until all of the required documents are turned in.**

Screening will be on March 27, 2025 from 8:00am-3:00pm. **After all of your paperwork has been submitted**, please call the elementary office at (937) 295-2931 and speak with a secretary to schedule a screening time for your child. You may also stop by the office and deliver your paperwork and schedule a screening time. Every child needs to have an appointment to be screened.

On the day of your child's appointment, you will need to report to the **HIGH SCHOOL GYM**. Upon arrival, your child will begin their part of the screening process. When coming to screening, children should wear comfortable clothing and tennis shoes as they will be asked to do various activities dealing with gross motor and fine motor skills. They will also be participating in memory recall activities. You will need to talk with various school related personnel about health issues, transportation, and kindergarten expectations. You will be able to observe your child from a distance as they complete the screening process. After your child has finished his/her part of the screening, our kindergarten teachers, Jenny Knouff, Jana Hoying and Joni Siegrist, will review the results of the screening with you and answer any questions you may have.

The Ohio Department of Health requires the following immunizations to be completed prior to starting the 2025-2026 school year: DTaP, Polio, MMR, Hepatitis B, and Varivax (chickenpox). The Public Health Nurse will be available during registration to answer any questions you may have and to review your child's immunization record and inform you of any needed vaccines.

After screening is complete, you have met with the teachers and you have made the decision to send your child to kindergarten, you will need to log in to our Final Forms system and register your child as a Fort Loramie student. The links to Final Forms are also under this tab. If this is your first child to attend Fort Loramie schools, please choose the Final Forms Account Instructions -New Student tab and read through the instructions. If you currently have other children enrolled in the school and already have a Final Forms Account, please choose the Final Forms Login tab and add your kindergarten student. The elementary school uses Final Forms as means of communication, as well as, using it to eliminate the need for you to complete several paper forms including the emergency medical form, school policy, public release of information form and more. Registration in Final Forms must be completed by May 1st.

Please call the elementary office at (937) 295-2931 if you will be holding your child for the 2025-2026 school year and not sending them to school. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the elementary office.

In Education,

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