Kindergarten Attendance leads to School Success

Kindergarten is an exciting and important year for you and your child—one of the most important years of school.

Having great attendance in kindergarten will prepare your child to do well academically throughout their school years.

Attending Kindergarten every day is important
Kindergarten Attendance
Makes a Difference

What can you do?

- Set an early bed time, and start getting ready for bed 30 minutes before bed time. Children are most able and willing to learn when they have had plenty of sleep.

- Set your alarm clocks to make sure everyone gets up on time.

- If your child rides the bus to school, put the bus schedule on the refrigerator.

- If you drive your child to school, set up a plan with someone who can take your child to school in case you’re not able to.

- Allow time for the unexpected. Have clothes and school bags ready the night before, and get up with plenty of time to get ready.

- Communicate with the school and let them know if your child needs to miss school or if you are having a hard time getting your child to school. The school may be able to help.

Is your child registered for school?

Don’t wait—many schools begin registering for kindergarten as early as January for children starting school in the fall. If your child will be 5 years old by September 1, contact your school district, and register for school!

Centennial School District (503) 760-7990
Corbett School District (503) 695-3636
David Douglas School District (503) 252-2900
Gresham-Barlow School District (503) 618-2450
Parkrose School District (503) 408-2100
Portland Public Schools (503) 916-3205
Reynolds School District (503) 661-7200
Riverdale School District (503) 892-0722

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