

MILES PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Miles Elementary School will conduct pre-registration for 2017 -- 2018 Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students residing in Miles Independent School District on May 12, 2017. Parents will complete registration packets at 2:30PM. A short parent meeting will follow while children visit the classrooms and participate in activities. Packets will be available in the elementary office one week prior to pre-registration, if parents would like to get a head start on the paperwork.

STATE PRE-KINDERGARTEN ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: To be eligible for public school Pre-Kindergarten, children must be four years old on or before September 1, 2017, live in the Miles Independent School District and meet state guidelines. **Parents must bring the following ORIGINAL documents:** a certified copy of birth certificate, record of immunizations, social security card and proof of residency (eg. current water bill, electricity bill, etc). Students must qualify for pre-kindergarten in one of these categories:

1. Be unable to speak and comprehend the English language; or
2. Be educationally disadvantaged (must supply copies of all income in the home for one month);
3. Be homeless;
4. Be the child of an active duty member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserved component of the armed forces, who is ordered to active duty by proper authority;
5. Be the child of a member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserved component of the armed forces, who was injured or killed while serving on active duty; or
6. Have ever been in the conservatorship (foster care) of the Department of Family and Protective Services following an adversary hearing.

MILES ELEMENTARY PRE-K ADMISSION PRIORITIES:

The District will admit four-year-old students for prekindergarten as prioritized in accordance with the following:

1. Children meeting state eligibility criteria for pre-kindergarten
[See EHBG (LEGAL)]
2. District employees' children not meeting the state eligibility requirements for prekindergarten
3. Children who reside in the District, and do not meet the state eligibility requirements for prekindergarten

The enrollment of more students eligible for prekindergarten during the school year shall not result in the withdrawal of enrolled students not meeting the state eligibility criteria; however, students not in compliance with attendance requirements shall be withdrawn.

KINDERGARTEN ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: To be eligible for public school Kindergarten, children must be at least five years old on or before September 1, 2017. **Parents must bring the following ORIGINAL documentation:** a certified copy of birth certificate, record of immunizations and social security card.

Students who attended Pre-Kindergarten classes during 2016-2017 do not have to pre-register for Kindergarten. If you are unable to attend pre-registration, please call the elementary office at 468-2861. A count of new students is necessary to plan for the 2017-2018 school year.