

Rocky Hill Public Schools' Kindergarten Program Frequently Asked Questions

What age does my child have to be to attend kindergarten?

Your child needs to turn 5 years old, on or before January 1st.

Does the Rocky Hill Public Schools have full day kindergarten?

The Rocky Hill Public Schools have half day kindergarten programs at Moser / Stevens Elementary Schools and West Hill Elementary School.

What are the kindergarten hours?

<i>Regular School Day</i>		
	Stevens/Moser	West Hill
AM	8:50 – 11:27	8:20 – 10:57
PM	12:48 – 3:25	12:18 – 2:55
<i>90 Minute Delay</i>		
AM	10:20 – 12:30	9:50 – 12:00
PM	1:15 – 3:25	12:45 – 2:55
<i>Early Dismissal</i>		
AM	8:50 – 11:27	8:20 – 10:57
PM	Cancel	Cancel

How will I know if my child is scheduled for AM / PM Kindergarten?

The school will inform you before July.

How are students assigned to AM/PM kindergarten?

Students are assigned to AM or PM Kindergarten based on geographic location, and student population. The decision is made by the Transportation Company with input from the school principals.

When will I be told the name of my child's teacher?

The school will send this information to you by mid-August.

Where will the bus pick up my child?

AM students are picked up at the regular bus stop for the area and dropped off at their houses. PM students are picked up directly at their houses and dropped off at the regular bus stop for the area.

How will I find out my child's bus stop?

Bus routes are published in the Rare Reminder the Thursday before the start of school.

Can my child be bused to my daycare provider's house?

Yes, as long as the day care is in your child's home school district.

How do I register my child for kindergarten?

Every spring the schools set aside specific days devoted to kindergarten registration. These dates are advertised in the local newspaper and are posted on our website. However, parents can register their children at any time.

Please stop by the school office to pick up a registration packet or download that information from our website, <http://web.rockyhillps.com/>. You will need to return your completed forms to the school office along with your child's original birth certificate (raised official seal), a copy of the birth certificate for our files, and proof of residency in the form of a driver's license, rental agreement or utility bill.

When is kindergarten orientation?

Kindergarteners are invited to tour the kindergarten classrooms in the spring prior to their kindergarten entry. Each school also hosts informational sessions for parents/students in the spring and in August. Your specific school office will provide you with the dates and times for these orientation sessions.