

Cumberland School Department

Office of the Assistant Superintendent
2602 Mendon Road
Cumberland, RI 02864
401-658-1600

Early Kindergarten and Grade 1 Entrance Application 2017-2018

Section 1: Parent Section

Today's Date: _____ Early Entry Grade Requested: ___ Kindergarten ___ Grade 1

Student Name: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Contact Phone Number: _____

Alternate Contact Phone Number: _____

E-mail address: _____

List School Experience :

Name of School:	City/State:	Number of Years Attended:

Section 2: Assistant Superintendent's Office Use ONLY

Received: _____

Reviewed: _____

School Readiness Assessment:

Parent Rating Scale Score: _____

Student Assessment Score: _____

Cognitive Evaluation:

%ile Full Scale Score: _____

_____ Student meets **all** criteria for early entrance.

_____ Student does **NOT** meet criteria for early entrance.

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Early Kindergarten and Grade 1 Admittance Consent for Evaluation

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

You have nominated your child to determine eligibility for Early Kindergarten or Grade 1 Entry. The process as outlined in the Cumberland School Committee Policy JECB-Early Entry to Kindergarten and First Grade, requires your consent to conduct evaluations to determine your child's eligibility for early admittance.

The evidence collected from the administration of evaluations will be reviewed and you will be notified of the outcome for eligibility for early admittance to kindergarten or first grade.

Evaluations that will be conducted for Early Admittance to **Kindergarten or First Grade**:

1. **School Readiness Assessment:** This includes two parts of assessment completed concurrently. A. Parent(s)/Guardian(s) will complete a standardized rating scale that measures social/emotional development and B. Students will participate in an assessment that evaluates foundational academic concepts necessary for kindergarten or first grade. Students must score in the 90%ile to move onto the next evaluation.
2. **Weschler Pre-School and Primary Scale of Intelligence (WPPSI).** Those students who score in at least the 80%ile will qualify for early admission to kindergarten.

Consent for Evaluation

_____ Yes, I authorize the Cumberland School Department to conduct the evaluations listed above for purposes of determining my child's early admittance to kindergarten or first grade.

_____ No, I do **not** authorize the Cumberland School department to conduct the evaluations listed above for purposes of determining my child's early admittance to kindergarten or first grade.

Failure to provide authorization to conduct evaluations will result in automatic denial of early admittance to kindergarten or first grade.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date