

## ENTRANCE AGE

**Date of Adoption:** June 25, 2009

Students shall be registered for entrance into the Scotch Plains–Fanwood Public Schools, as follows:

### **Kindergarten**

Resident students must be five years of age on or before October 1 to be admitted to kindergarten. No entrance readiness examination will be given to resident students who do not meet the October 1 age requirement.

A student who becomes a resident of the school district after October 1 and who was previously enrolled in a formal accredited kindergarten program in his/her prior district will be allowed to complete the balance of the school year in kindergarten, with the approval of the Superintendent.

### **First Grade**

Resident students must be six years of age on or before October 1 to be admitted to first grade. No entrance readiness examination will be given to resident students who do not meet the October 1 age requirement.

A student who becomes a resident of the school district after October 1 and who was previously enrolled in a formal accredited first grade program in his/her prior district will be allowed to complete the balance of the school year in first grade, with the approval of the Superintendent.

### **Preschool Disabled**

Students who have been classified as Preschool Disabled, and who are at least three years of age, may be registered for placement in a class for Preschool Disabled children.

Scotch Plains–Fanwood Public Schools

**Legal Reference:** NJAC 6:28–1.3

**Supersedes Policy 5111 dated November 25, 2001**