



MANHEIM TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Incoming Kindergarten Students and Parents/Guardians:

We would like to welcome you and your child to the Manheim Township School District. Children who will be five (5) years old on or before August 31 are eligible to register for kindergarten.

We are very proud of our comprehensive full-day kindergarten program. The program promotes a love of learning and holds the underlying belief that you are your child's first teacher. Our curriculum is based on the Pennsylvania Academic Standards and builds upon the knowledge and skills already acquired by your child. For the language arts program, your child will participate in speaking, listening, writing and reading activities. The kindergarten math program will involve activities with counting, numbers and operations, measurement and shapes. Time for creative and kinesthetic activities is also built into the program. Children will be learning the essential social, emotional, and problem-solving skills that set the scene for future learning in school.

Kindergarten registration is an exciting time for children and families, so we want to make the transition a positive, meaningful experience. Our building principals provide transition activities for all incoming children, including a bus safety orientation. You will receive more information about these opportunities from your child's building principal and kindergarten teacher throughout the summer.

The transition to kindergarten is a very important step in a child's life. If you have any questions throughout the registration process, please contact us at 717-569-8231 and select the option for enrollment. If you have questions regarding the kindergarten program at your child's school either now or after receiving information from the building principal or teacher, please feel free to contact them. Our goal is for your child to experience a wonderful transition to kindergarten in the district.

Again, welcome to the Manheim Township School District!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robin L. Felty', written over a horizontal line.

Dr. Robin L. Felty
Superintendent