

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

The North Syracuse Central School District has announced its registration dates for 2022-2023 kindergarten students. In order for your child to enter school next fall, he or she must be five (5) years old on or before December 1, 2022. Elementary schools are holding registration at individual school buildings on the following dates **by appointment**.

Families of known new students will receive an appointment letter from their child's home school in February. Families who will be registering a new kindergarten student and who have not received a letter by the 3rd week in February, should contact the school to schedule an appointment.

Kindergarten registration will take place by appointment at the following locations on the dates and times:

School	Date(s)	Time(s)
Allen Road Elementary (315) 218-2300	March 9, 2022	10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
KWS Bear Road Elementary (315) 218-2400	March 15, 2022	9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. AND 1 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Cicero Elementary (315) 218-2500	March 9, 2022	7:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Lakeshore Road Elementary (315) 218-2600	March 15, 2022	1 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Roxboro Road Elementary (315) 218-2700	March 1, 2022	10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Smith Road Elementary (315) 218-2800	March 9, 2022	12 p.m. – 3 p.m. AND 4 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Any questions you may have regarding your child's registration can be answered by calling your child's home school.



The following items must be brought to registration: Parent identification, proof of birth, verification of your child's immunization record, proof of residency and custody papers, if applicable. Please note that the following documents are acceptable as proof of residency: mortgage statement, lease agreement, purchase offer and/or utility bill. A driver's license is NOT acceptable as proof of residency.

You must attend the registration session at your child's home school. If you miss the above registration sessions and need to register your child for kindergarten, please register at the North Syracuse Central School District Office, 5355 West Taft Road, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 12 p.m. or 1 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.



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Thoughts from the Superintendent: The NSCSD is Built on Community Support



In this same newsletter, exactly two years ago, my message heading was the same as the one you see today. At that time, we could not have foreseen what was about to come our way in the form of a global pandemic.

One month after the February 2020 newsletter was published, our world changed and sometimes it feels like nothing will be the same. With that said, when I went back to read my message from two years ago, I realized that one thing hasn't changed. I wrote it then and I write it again, *the North Syracuse Central School District is built on our community's support.*

Once again, our voters came out in overwhelming support of the previous December's Capital Project Referendum. Once again, I want you to know that we appreciate the tremendous support you have shown for our students and this District. Our voters have consistently supported our proposed facilities' renovations. Without that support, our schools, classrooms, auditoriums, gymnasiums, athletic facilities and buses would be left in a state of disrepair and our students would struggle. Because of your support, we are better able to serve our students. Thank you for helping us provide the best learning environment for our current students and the generations of students yet to come.

We are beginning to move forward with items outlined in the "Structured for Success" plan and will be sharing details in the near future. At this point, our facilities team is initiating conversations and building tours with various stakeholders. They have been seeking input in the elementary building redesign and are working to develop a shared vision for our future renovations.

Thank you again for supporting the North Syracuse Central School District as we continue to build the best learning environment for our most important asset – our students!

Daniel D. Bowles, Superintendent of Schools

Universal Pre-Kindergarten

The North Syracuse Central School District offers full- and half-day Universal Pre-Kindergarten (UPK) programs. To be eligible for the District's 2022-2023 UPK program, children must live in the North Syracuse Central School District and be four years old on or before December 1, 2022.

The District will begin accepting registration applications during the month of May. Once received, applications will be entered into a lottery system and notification of selection will begin in July. Additional information about UPK registration will be posted on the District's website (www.nscsd.org) during the month of April.



Non-Public School Transportation Applications must be filed prior to April 1

To Parents and Guardians of Students Residing in the North Syracuse Central School District

As required by New York State Law, applications for bus transportation to and from private and parochial schools and to and from day care (within homeschool attendance zones) **must be filed prior to April 1, 2022.**

Applications may be picked up and returned to the North Syracuse Central School District Transportation Department, 5520 East Taft Road, North Syracuse, NY 13212.

Applications can also be obtained on the North Syracuse Central School District's website (www.nscsd.org/transapp) and returned to the Transportation Center, located at 5520 East Taft Road, North Syracuse, NY 13212.

If you need further information, please call the Transportation Department at (315) 218-2107.