



KINDERGARTEN PARENT NOTIFICATION FORM

Kindergarten Notification Request for 2024-2025 School Year

According to Michigan Public Act 198 of 2012, if a child residing in Fitzgerald Public Schools is not 5 years of age on September 1, 2024 but will be 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2024, the parent or legal guardian of that child may enroll the child in Kindergarten OR Developmental Kindergarten for the 2024-2025 school year if the parent or legal guardian notifies the school district in writing. Participating in Developmental Kindergarten enrolls children in the first year of a planned two-year Kindergarten program.

A school district that receives this written notification may make a recommendation to the parent or legal guardian as to whether the child is not ready to enroll in Kindergarten due to the child's age or other factors. **HOWEVER**, regardless of the district recommendation, the parent or legal guardian retains the sole discretion to determine whether or not to enroll the child in Kindergarten if the student is 5 years of age not later than December 1, 2024.

Student's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Verification of Age: Birth Certificate Government Record Hospital Record
(CHECK ONE)
 Court Record Citizenship Paper Other: _____
(SPECIFY LEGAL DOCUMENT)

Please provide evidence of school readiness by explaining why you feel your child is ready to attend Kindergarten:

- 1). _____
- 2). _____
- 3). _____
- 4). _____

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN'S PRINTED NAME

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE

DATE