MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: 200 PUPILS

TITLE:

ADMISSION OF STUDENTS

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1. Authority 24 P.S. 1301 22 PA Code 11.12 22 PA Code 11.41

The Board shall establish age requirements for the admission of students to first grade and to kindergarten that are consistent with state law and regulations.

2. Guidelines 24 P.S. 1304 24 P.S. 1326 22 PA Code 11.15 22 PA Code 11.16 22 PA Code 11.14

First Grade

Beginners are students entering the lowest grade of the primary school above the kindergarten level. Beginners shall be admitted to school during the first two (2) weeks of the annual school term and thereafter at the district's discretion. A child who is eight (8) years of age shall be admitted to school at any time during the school year.

A beginner is eligible for admission to the lowest grade of the primary school above the kindergarten level if s/he is not less than six (6) years old before September 1.

The Board may admit as a beginner a child who is five (5) years old and demonstrates readiness for entry by the first day of the school term, upon the written request of the parent/guardian, recommendation of the district psychologist, and approval of the Superintendent.

The Board is not required to admit as a beginner any child whose age is less than the district's established admission age for beginners.

Kindergarten

A child is eligible for admission to kindergarten if s/he is not less than five (5) years old before September 1.

3. Delegation of Responsibility

The Superintendent or designee shall require that the parent/guardian of each student who registers for entrance to school shall submit proof of age, residency, and required immunizations.

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