

La versión en español de esta carta está en el reverso de esta página. Si necesita este paquete en español, por favor llame a Gloria Gamboa-Campos al 630-548-5420 o a su escuela elemental adecuada. 这封信的中文翻译和许多随信附上的文件都发布在你们学校的网站上。

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Incoming 2021 Kindergarten Students:

We are very excited about the 2021-2022 school year and the opportunity to serve your kindergartener! Although we are currently providing a blend of in-person and remote learning for our students across D203, we are looking forward to a more typical school year starting next fall. Please read below for details on our plans to provide you and your child a preview of kindergarten in D203.

**KINDERGARTEN PREVIEW** – Given current health and safety guidelines, we will be dividing our traditional Kindergarten Preview into two parts. In March, the principal at your child’s school will be sending you a recorded presentation about kindergarten. This will include all the important information you need at this time to prepare for your child’s transition to kindergarten in August 2021. This information will also include details on how to have any questions you may have answered. We want you to feel prepared and confident with all things kindergarten. We also want this for your child! Therefore, your child’s school is organizing school visits for late summer so your child can explore the classroom, meet the teacher, and be officially welcomed to their school. Of course, you will also be invited to attend this special event as well! All the details, including date and time, will be sent to you by the end of our current school year (June 10, 2021). To receive this special invitation, please be certain you have enrolled your child in kindergarten. Enrollment opens on February 1, 2021. Please read on to learn more about the enrollment process....

**ENROLLMENT**– Naperville School District 203 policy and the School Code of Illinois require that all students enroll and provide proof of residency. Our online enrollment process will save you time and ensure accurate information is included in your student’s enrollment file. To begin the enrollment process, please visit District 203’s website, [www.naperville203.org/enrollment](http://www.naperville203.org/enrollment)

**Required Documents:**

- **Birth Certificate** - Your child must be five years of age on or before September 1, 2021 to be eligible to enter kindergarten in August 2021. Please bring an official, certified copy of your child’s birth certificate when you enroll. Hospital certificates will not satisfy this requirement. We will copy and return your original birth certificate to you that day.
- **Proof of Residency** within District 203 Boundaries  
Documents accepted as proof of residency are identified in the online enrollment application.

**HEALTH REQUIREMENTS** - The following examinations must be completed and the appropriate form signed by the health care provider within the year prior to kindergarten entrance or no later than October 15 of the kindergarten year:

- **A physical examination**, including a complete immunization record documented on the health form and signed by your physician. In addition, the health history portion of the physical exam, found on the reverse side of the form, *must* be completed and signed by you for the physical to be valid.
- **A vision examination** performed by a licensed optometrist or ophthalmologist.
- **A dental examination** (the signed form for this exam must be submitted no later than **May 15 of the kindergarten year**).

These forms are available on the District 203 website. They are also usually available from your health care provider as well.

Finally, I know I speak for our entire staff when I say that we look forward to meeting you and your child. If you have any questions about Kindergarten Preview or other related questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to the school office where your child will attend next school year.

Sincerely,

Chuck Freundt  
Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education