

**ROSS COUNTY SCHOOLS  
REQUEST FOR EARLY ENTRANCE TO KINDERGARTEN**

If you think that a student is eligible\* for early entrance to kindergarten\*\*, please complete the information below and give/send this form to the principal of the school that the student would attend if admitted early to kindergarten\*\*\*.

**\*Early entrance to kindergarten is for students who have high ability (IQ of at least 115, with 100 being average). These students are accelerated to kindergarten because of exceptional ability; specifically, due to their current knowledge plus their ability to figure out unfamiliar content.**

**\*\*If a student will not be five years old by January 1 of the year for which admission is requested, he/she must be referred by an educator in the district, a pre-school educator who knows the child, or a pediatrician or psychologist who knows the child, or at the discretion of the principal of the school to which the student may be admitted.**

**\*\*\*It is recommended that referrals for early entrance to kindergarten not be made before March of the calendar year in which the student is being evaluated for early entrance. This allows the child as much time to mature and develop before the evaluation takes place, as an evaluation must be completed within 45 days of when it is received.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

RECOMMENDED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

Why is early entrance being requested?

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For questions regarding acceleration, please contact the elementary school principal.

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**PARENT PERMISSION TO ASSESS STUDENT**

Please sign below to give the school permission to assess the child for early entrance to kindergarten.

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Parent Signature