

**CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**2010 – 2011**  
**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**  
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**First Grade students new to the system**

Registration for kindergarten and first grade students (new to system only) will take place on the days listed below. If your child is enrolled in the preschool at the Rodman Center, he/she does not need to re-register. However, health records and emergency contact information must be updated.

<b>WHEN:</b>	Tuesday	January 26	9:30 AM – 11:00 AM
	Wednesday	January 27	1:30 PM – 2:30 PM
	Thursday	January 28	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
<b>WHERE:</b>	<b>Dean S. Luce School Cafeteria</b> 45 Independence Street		

**Student Entrance Guidelines ~ No Exceptions!**

Your child must reach his/her fifth birthday on or before September 1, 2010 to enter Kindergarten  
 Your child must reach his/her sixth birthday on or before September 1, 2010 to enter First Grade

Parents/Guardians may obtain all necessary information and forms on the Canton website at <http://www.cantonma.org/enrollment/index.htm> for both kindergarten and first grade registrations as well as the application for the full day kindergarten program. Completing these forms in advance will expedite the process. Children need not be present at the time of registration. Please be aware that the registration process can take up to 45 minutes. There are no provisions for child care during this time, so you may want to plan accordingly.

**Please bring the following:**

**1. Proof of Residency** *(one from each category)*

<u>Category 1</u>	<u>Category 2</u>	<u>Category 3</u>
~ Mortgage Statement ~ Deed ~ Purchase and Sales Agreement ~ Tax bill ~ Lease <u>and</u> record of most recent rent payment	~ Utility bill/ work order within the past 60 days: Gas bill Oil bill Electric bill Cable bill	~ MA Driver's License, Passport or state issued ID card with a valid Canton address on it. ~ W-2 form ~ Vehicle registration ~ Excise tax bill

*Private financial information may be blocked out. If you live in a household where all utilities are in someone else's name, and if this is noted on your lease or affidavit, then you may submit a utility bill in the name of the homeowner.*

**2. Original Birth Certificate** *(we will copy and return the original)*

**3. Immunization records** *(as required by chapter 76, Section 15 of the General Laws)*

During the registration period you will receive a kindergarten packet and be assigned a date in the spring (June 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>) \* for the screening of your child. Children must be screened prior to classroom assignments. The screening will take place in the Dean S. Luce gym between 9:30 – 11:30 AM.

\* Dates subject to change depending on snow days.

*The Canton Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age or disability.*