

# Eugene School District 4J

Code: **JEBA**

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## Early Entrance\*\*

A student is considered six years of age and will be admitted into a public school if his/her sixth birthday occurs on or before September 1. A student whose sixth birthday occurs after that date may be admitted to the first grade if he/she has maintained regular attendance in any grade of a public full-time school during the entire school term.

A student will be admitted to kindergarten if his/her fifth birthday occurs on or before September 1 or is a kindergarten student transferring from a public school in another district.

Early entry into school will be allowed for a student whose fifth/sixth birthday occurs after September 1, but not later than September 30, and whose needs would best be met in the school program based on an analysis by qualified professional staff of his/her:

1. Cognitive development;
2. Social development;
3. Physical development.

Parents must notify the district of their intent to seek early enrollment before August 1.

The parent will be required to pay the cost of the special testing involved.

The Board authorizes the superintendent or designee to develop criteria and procedures to be used in evaluating the assessment results for early entry.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 327.006](#)  
[ORS 336.092](#)  
[ORS 336.095](#)

[ORS 339.115](#)  
[ORS 343.395](#)

SB 321 (2015)