

# Greene Central Primary School



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## KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2019-2020

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

Congratulations, your child is ready for kindergarten! Below is important information for completing the registration process.

Completed registration forms should be returned to the Primary School office by March 1, 2019. The office is open from 7:30 to 3:30. The Primary School is located off Juliand Street; it is the building in the back.

As part of the registration process, we will need to make copies of your child's records. Please be sure to bring the following documents with you:

- Birth certificate \*students must be 5 on or before 12/1/19
- Court issued custody papers if child does not live with both parents
- Immunization records and copy of physical
- 2 Proofs of residency (copy of license, utility statement, mortgage statement, renters contract)

**If you have a student in UPK and we already have the above information, the nurse will only need an updated physical and immunizations.**

We cannot allow students to enter school unless all required immunizations are completed. Please contact our school nurse if you have any questions.

Parent Information Night - **Thursday, April 11, 2019 at 6:30pm - in the Primary School Gym. This evening is for parents only, please.**

We strongly encourage parents to attend this meeting. We will be sharing some important information about our school and what you can expect your child's experience to be like. Parents will also have a chance to sign up for kindergarten screening slots.

Kindergarten Screenings will take place May 14th, 16<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> and the 23<sup>rd</sup>. They will occur in the Primary School and will take about an hour and a half.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call us at 656- 4161 and follow the prompts for the Primary School.

I am looking forward to meeting you and your child.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Pratt  
Primary School Principal

## Attendance:

The beginning of the new school year is just around the corner. We are excited to welcome our new Kindergarten students to the Primary School. This is a reminder of the importance of school attendance and arriving on time to school each day. Attendance is a critical part of your child's education.

As students begin their school experience, new expectations are in place. The New York State Education Department has provided schools with Kindergarten Learning Standards. These standards include guiding principles that emphasize; integrated learning opportunities, purposeful play, engaging parents, acknowledging diversity, providing accommodations and supports for all children. At Greene Primary School, we believe we have a strong program and provide our students with an excellent, well-rounded education.

The teachers at Greene Primary work feverishly to educate all of our students, we ask in return that all families help our students to attend school daily and to be on time to class each day. We believe students have the best opportunity to learn when they arrive on time. Having consistent attendance and being on time also assists in developing good character traits.

The Greene Board of Education has adopted an attendance policy to ensure sufficient pupil attendance of classes so that pupils may achieve state mandated education standards. In order to receive credit for classes, students must be present for 89% of the scheduled class time. Absences and tardies both count towards this amount. If you feel your child will not be able to meet these attendance requirements, please notify the Primary Office immediately so we can problem solve this issue as a team.

To help ensure your child's school success, it is our hope that parents will recognize the importance of regular student attendance during the upcoming school year. If you have, any questions please feel free to contact the Primary Office at 656-4023.