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The Roseland Board of Education will admit to this district children otherwise eligible by law or Board policy who have attained the age requirements set by law and this Board of Education. The Board requires documentary verification of the age and birth date of any child for whom admission to this district is sought.

Preschool Handicapped

A child is eligible for entrance into a program of special education who has attained his or her third birthday and has been found by the Child Study Team to be eligible for a program for the preschool disabled in accordance with rules of the State Board of Education.

Kindergarten

Any child residing in the district shall be admitted to the full day Kindergarten program provided:

- A. The child will have attained the age of five years on or before October 1 of that school year.
- B. A child reaching the age of five during October may be tested by school personnel for possible acceptance. The Board's decision, in such cases, is final.
- C. The Board may admit to Kindergarten underage children who were properly enrolled in an approved public or private school Kindergarten before transferring to this district and need to take the Kindergarten program, except that no such child will be admitted who has not attained the age of five years by the year in which entrance is sought.

Grade One

Any child residing in the district shall be admitted to Grade One provided:



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- A. The child will have attained the age of six years on or before October 1 of the school year in which entrance is sought.
- B. He/she has been in the first grade in another public school.
- C. He/she has completed Kindergarten in a public school or an equivalent program elsewhere and been recommended by the teacher for advancement to first grade.

N.J.S.A. 18A:36-19; 18A:38-5; 18A:38-6;
18A:44-1; 18A:44-2; 18A:46-6;
18A:46-6. 1

N.J.A.C. 6A:14-3.3

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