The 2021-2022 Kindergarten Online Registration process is now open. The admission age for the kindergarten program for the 2021-2022 school term will be restricted to those children who will be five (5) years old on or before August 31, 2021. The parent/guardian of kindergarten students for the 2021-2022 school year will complete the online registration process via the Central Registration page found on the district’s website, www.doversd.org. Once Complete, the parent/guardian will contact the Dover Area School District’s Central Registrar to verify all completed registration information and provide all required enrollment documentation including, but not limited to, the child’s birth certificate, immunizations, two proofs of the parent/guardian Dover residency with one proof being a copy of a lease, mortgage statement, or property tax statement with the parent/guardian’s name on it. Information regarding kindergarten screening appointments specific to the child’s elementary school they will attend is to be determined.

STUDENTS ATTENDING PRESCHOOL THROUGH THE LINCOLN INTERMEDIATE UNIT OR PARTICIPATE IN WALK-IN THERAPIES PROVIDED BY THE LINCOLN INTERMEDIATE UNIT PROCESS

For students who currently attend preschool through the Lincoln Intermediate Unit or participate in walk-in therapies provided by Lincoln Intermediate Unit, a preschool transition coordinator will be reaching out to schedule a kindergarten transition meeting with the district’s Director of Exceptional Children in January or February in order to discuss individual needs. Parents of these students must still complete the registration process outlined above. Additional next steps, if necessary, will be determined at the transition meeting.

Policies have been established regarding the kindergarten program and admission requirements for kindergarten. Those policies can be found on the district website.

It is a requirement per the Pennsylvania Department of Health that students who register for school must present proof of immunizations. Therefore, your child will not be registered or permitted to attend school unless you have provided written proof of your child’s current immunizations prior to the first day of school.

Physical examinations and dental examinations may be completed up to one year before the date of actual school entrance. Forms for physical exams & dental exams can be found on the district website.