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Dear Mahwah School Community:

The Mahwah Public School District has opened the registration process for our 2023-2024 full-day kindergarten program. Preliminarily, welcome to our school district!

It is of the utmost importance that we gather accurate and timely enrollment information about next year's incoming kindergarten class. Any resident child aged five on or before October 1, 2023 is eligible for enrollment.

Our district now uses an online pre-registration format for all incoming kindergarten students. The online pre-registration process consists of the submission of basic student enrollment information and a brief developmental survey completed by parents/guardians as well as links to health and physical forms.

All families of incoming kindergarten students need to provide proofs of residency to validate enrollment eligibility. A list of acceptable documents can be found on the online pre-registration link. Once the pre-registration form has been submitted, you will receive an email from noreply@realitinc.com with links and instructions for uploading the requested documents.

Parents/guardians requiring information regarding which school their child will attend should contact the district administrative offices at: (201) 762-2407.

The pre-registration forms must be completed **by Wednesday, March 15, 2023.**

Pre-registration can be completed at:

<http://www.fridayparentportal.com/mahwah/preregistration>

To ensure consistency of process across our school district, registration, the sole purpose of which will be additional document collection and an opportunity to address concerns you might have, **will be held, on March 24, 2023, at our Thunderbird Think Tank (T³), located at 50 Ridge Road. Please see image below where parking will be available to you.** Please pull into the Thunderbird Think Tank parking lot and enter the building using **DOOR 3** (to the left of the blue cube structure). The entrance is labeled "T3 PD room entrance." Central registration signage will also be found on this entryway.

Building secretaries will also be in attendance on this date to assist in collecting and organizing your registration materials.



Appointments will need to be made electronically prior to our registration day by following the assigned timeframes below. The links below allow for you to access our online platform to set up your kindergarten registration appointment electronically.

Kindergarten Registration

March 24, 2023 (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.)

- **[Betsy Ross AM Sign-up Link](#)**
- **[George Washington AM Sign-up Link](#)**
- **[Lenape Meadows AM Sign-up Link](#)**

March 24, 2023 (1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)

- **[Betsy Ross PM Sign-up Link](#)**
- **[George Washington PM Sign-up Link](#)**
- **[Lenape Meadows PM Sign-up Link](#)**

Once your appointment is made electronically, our staff will be prepared to greet you at your designated appointment time.

For your convenience, and to facilitate collection of remaining documents, physical and immunization records, you can scan the documents and email them to the respective school. Below are the email addresses for each school.

- ✚ This email address is **only** to be used for document collection.
- ✚ Documents requiring original signatures must be **submitted physically to the school**
- ✚ File size cannot exceed **25 MB.**

School	Email Address
Betsy Ross School	br-registration@mahwah.k12.nj.us
George Washington School	gw-registration@mahwah.k12.nj.us
Lenape Meadows School	lm-registration@mahwah.k12.nj.us

Information about online pre-registration and links to registration documentation can be found on our district website: <http://www.mahwah.k12.nj.us>.

An orientation will be held at each school in late spring. Primary school principals will provide further information regarding orientation to parents/guardians after the registration process is completed.

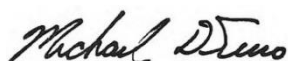
In the spirit of continuing to remain flexible, as we are unsure of what the spring will bring, the dates for orientation have been scheduled, but are subject to change or be adjusted:

School	Orientation Date	Orientation Time
Betsy Ross School	May 3, 2023	To Be Announced
George Washington School	May 22, 2023	To Be Announced
Lenape Meadows School	May 18, 2023	To Be Announced

We thank you for your help and ask you to help us spread the word about our kindergarten registration process to neighbors and friends who may have kindergarten-aged students.

We look forward to seeing you in the weeks ahead!

Sincerely,



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