

Port Orford-Langlois School District 2CJ

Code: JEBA
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Orig. Code(s): JEBA

Early Entrance**

(This policy is required if the district allows early entrance.)

A child will be admitted into a public school if the child's sixth birthday occurs on or before September 1. A child whose sixth birthday occurs after that date may be admitted to the first grade if the child has maintained regular attendance in any grade of a public full-time school during the entire school term.

A child will be admitted to kindergarten if the child's fifth birthday occurs on or before September 1, or is a kindergarten student transferring from a public school in another district.

The early entry into school may be allowed for a child who has not attained the minimum age requirement, as per Oregon law, if the needs of the child would best be met in the school program based on an analysis by qualified professional staff. ~~{1} from the South Coast Educational Service District.~~

~~The child must successfully complete comprehensive tests in the below three areas:~~

1. Cognitive development; ~~(intelligence);~~
2. Social ~~and Emotional~~ development; and
3. Physical development.
4. ~~Academic Readiness.~~

The superintendent or designee shall identify screening processes and instruments which will provide a dependable assessment of the preceding criteria.

Parents are required to pay the cost of the special testing involved. ~~{2}. That cost is determined by the South Coast Educational Service District.~~

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 327.006](#)
[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 336.092](#)
[ORS 336.095](#)
[ORS 339.010](#)

[ORS 339.065](#)
[ORS 339.115](#)
[ORS 343.395](#)

^{1} District should make sure the assessments being used are administered in the child's native language and are not discriminatory.

^{2} District should consider the impact charging for testing may have on low income families. This model policy and attached administrative regulation state that testing/evaluation is paid by the parents. Modify language and practice in both if the district has other practices for payment of required testing/evaluation.

