

This information was updated following a meeting on 2/29/08. We will tell you more as we find it out.

We do not yet have much information about Pre-K registration, but it will be done centrally not at individual schools.

REGISTRATION OF KINDERGARTENERS AND NEW FIRST GRADERS: The following process applies to students who live in the PS 3/PS 41 shared zone. Families will be able to pick up an application at either school. On it, they will indicate their preference of school. These will be returned to the Office of Student Placement at 333 Seventh Avenue (29th Street), along with documentation demonstrating your current address.

Students will be assigned to schools by the Office of Student Placement. If at all possible, they will be assigned to their first choice school. We anticipate that we will have seats for all students who live in our zone who choose to attend PS 3. Once you are assigned to a school, you will go there to register. This will be done by appointment. At that time, you will again have to submit your proof of residence. You will also have to bring your child, her/his birth certificate or passport, and record of basic immunization.

All entering students must be placed in a grade by the year of our birth. We are aware that the Department of Education guidelines in this area differ from those of private schools and some other states, as they are determined by the calendar year of a child's birth, rather than having a summer or fall cutoff. Since our K/1 classes are mixed grade, if it becomes apparent that your child would benefit from an extra year in K/1, the decision will be made during her/his first year with us. As always, families and teachers will make the decision about what is most educationally appropriate in consultation with each other.

Check back for more information. We will post it as we receive it.

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