

## **ENTRANCE AGE**

### **Kindergarten**

All children entering kindergarten for the first time must be five years of age on or before September 1.

When a student not meeting South Dakota age requirements has been enrolled in kindergarten prior to moving to the district, the parent will be informed by the principal that the student will be placed in the kindergarten for a trial period of three weeks. At the end of the trial period the principal and teacher will determine whether to retain the student in school or to withhold admission until the following school year.

### **First Grade**

All children entering first grade must be six years of age before September 1 or have successfully completed kindergarten in another state.

Proof of birth date will be required through a birth certificate.