

Early Admission Policy for Kindergarten and First Grade

Kindergarten:

If a student is not 5 years old by September 1, the following criteria must be met:

- The student will turn 5 by October 1;

For further consideration, the following criteria must be discussed with either the principal or Executive Director of Mountain Home School:

1. The parents/guardians feel that their student's academic, social, physical, and emotional readiness required for learning is consistent with other kindergarten students and has signed the WSCS Early Admission Letter
2. The student has been enrolled in a preschool program;
3. The student already has a sibling enrolled in Mountain Home School Charter;

Enrollment at Mountain Home School Charter will commence on or after the student's birthdate, not exceeding October 1. As with all who enroll, birth certificate and immunization records must be submitted for entry.

First Grade:

If a student is not 6 years old by September 1, the following criteria must be met:

- The student will turn 6 by October 1:

For further consideration, the following criteria must be discussed with either the principal or Executive Director of Mountain Home School:

1. The parents/guardians feel that their student's academic, social, physical and emotional readiness required for learning is consistent with other 1st grade students and has signed the WSCS Early Admission Letter
2. The student has been enrolled in a transitional/Kindergarten in previous year
3. If the student was not enrolled in a kindergarten program in the prior year the child may be assessed for first grade readiness using a WSCS Kindergarten assessment.
4. The student already has a sibling enrolled in Mountain Home School Charter;

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