



SCHOOL CHOICE PROCESS 2023 - 2024



REGISTRATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2023 IS OPEN!

Dear Parents/Guardians who have students in the Yonkers Public Schools,

If you have a younger child ready to enter school in September 2023, you want to REGISTER NOW.

By registering early, the district can provide siblings preference for incoming elementary school students in Grades PK through 8.

How can I make sure that my younger child will be assigned to the same school as my older child?

1. **REGISTER NOW**
2. Submit a School Choice Application between **FEBRUARY 14, 2023 AND FEBRUARY 28, 2023**
3. Select the school that your older child is attending as Choice 1

How old does my younger child have to be to attend school in September 2023?

- **PREKINDERGARTEN:** four years old with a birth date on or before December 1, 2019
- **KINDERGARTEN:** five years old with a birth date on or before December 1, 2018

How can I register my younger child?

Visit www.yonkerspublicschools.org/register or contact the Student Enrollment Office for assistance.

STUDENT ENROLLMENT OFFICE

One Larkin Center, Yonkers, New York 10701
(914) 376-8050 • studentenrollment@yonkerspublicschools.org

HOURS OF OPERATION:

MONDAY - TUESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY: 8:30a.m. – 4:00p.m.

*WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Extended time for reserved document drop-off appointments and technical assistance*

What are the required documents for registration?

1. **Proof of Birth** (i.e. Birth Certificate)
2. **Proof of Legal/Official Guardianship** (i.e. Photo ID of the guardian)
3. **Three Proofs of Yonkers Residency within the last 30 days** (i.e. Mortgage or Lease plus two (2) additional proofs)
4. **Immunization Records**
5. **Report Card** (not required for incoming Prekindergarten and Kindergarten students)

What is siblings preference?

First preference is given to siblings of currently enrolled elementary school students who register and participate in the School Choice Process by 4:00 p.m. February 28, 2023, and select the sibling's school as Choice 1 on the School Choice Application. Siblings are defined as brothers or sisters living in the same household. Sibling preference does not apply to schools or programs that have entrance requirements or require special education placement. *Sibling preference does not apply to students in grades 9 through 12.*