

TIMELINE FOR COMPLETING EARLY FIRST GRADE ENTRANCE PROCEDURE

NOMINATION: September

OBSERVATION: September/October

TESTING: October

DECISION: October (Students selected must begin first grade participation at the beginning of the second quarter.)

After reviewing the recommendation of the Student Intervention Team, the principal will inform the parent of one of the following decisions (Attachment 5):

- The child is recommended to remain in kindergarten with appropriate experiences;
- The child is recommended to have both kindergarten and appropriate first grade experiences; **or**
- The child is recommended for placement in first grade.

Exceptions to this timeline for students who enter school after the first quarter or who begin to demonstrate exceptional performance later in the year must be approved by the Instructional Director. All appeals must be sent to the Office of Appeals.