



**ROUND LAKE
AREA SCHOOLS**
Community Unit School District #116

Application for Early Entrance into Kindergarten or First Grade

Please complete this application on behalf of a student who is being considered for early placement in kindergarten or first grade. To be eligible for early entrance testing a child must demonstrate above-level behaviors in the following areas: academic achievement, social emotional behaviors and physical maturity. Additionally the parent must provide proof of residency and an original birth certificate for the child.

For School Year _____ – _____

Child's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Gender: _____

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Preschool or Kindergarten Experience

List the preschools and/or other childcare or educational programs attended.

Name of School/Program	Level Pre-K or K	Dates of Attendance	# Hours per Week

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Parent Checklist

This checklist will help in determining your child's readiness for our kindergarten/first grade program. Please read each statement and indicate your child's abilities as listed below by checking the appropriate column.

	Frequently	Sometimes	Never
Physical Well – Being and Motor Development			
Performs self-help tasks independently (dressing, zipping and tying shoes).			
Uses eye/hand coordination to perform fine motor tasks (drawing, writing and cutting).			
Uses balance and control to perform large motor tasks (walking, jumping and skipping).			
Personal and Social Development	Frequently	Sometimes	Never
Shows eagerness to learn (is curious, likes to investigate).			
Follows rules and routines (cleans up at play time).			
Handles change and transition (dinner time to bedtime).			
Interacts easily with one or more children.			
Language and Literacy	Frequently	Sometimes	Never
Listens for meaning in stories, discussions and conversations.			
Speaks clearly to share ideas and thoughts.			
Can identify letters.			
Can identify beginning sounds.			
Uses letters and words to write.			
Writes name.			
Mathematical Thinking	Frequently	Sometimes	Never
Can recognize numbers 0-20.			
Can orally count forward to 30.			
Can recognize, duplicate, and extend simple patterns (circle-triangle, circle-triangle, circle-triangle).			
Can recognize and describe attributes of shapes.			

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Parent Questionnaire

Please answer each question below. If additional space is needed, use the back of this form.

1. Why do you feel your child should be considered for early entrance into kindergarten/first grade?

2. Is your child toilet trained?

3. What responsibilities does your child have at home? What do you do when your child does not follow through?

4. How long does your child maintain interest in a play activity or game at a given time?

5. How does your child respond when he/she tries but cannot do something?

6. What types of reading activities does your child engage in at home?

7. What kinds of experiences has your child had with writing and writing tools?

8. How does your child handle transitions and new situations?

9. How does your child interact with other children? Please explain and consider whether or not your child shares, takes turns and cooperates with peers.

10. What experiences has your child had that have required separating from you?

Please return this completed form to: The Principal of Pleviak School or Beth Kiewicz the Director of Elementary Education Round Lake Area School District. 800 West Nippersink Road, Round Lake, IL 60073. Completed forms can also be scanned and emailed for review to: bkiewicz@rlas-116.org

For Office Use Only:

Date Received:

Date of Appointment: