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FROM: Bellville Independent School District

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**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION SET
FOR FALL 2017 STUDENTS at WEST END ELEMENTARY**

Registration for those students who will begin kindergarten in the fall of 2017 will be held at the West End Elementary campus in Industry on Thursday, April 27, 2017 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Please note the following guidelines:

A. To be eligible for beginning kindergarten the child must be five years old on or before September 1, 2017.

B. Parents must present the following documentation at the time of registration:

1. An official birth certificate obtained from the county offices at the place of birth; not one issued by the hospital.
2. Shot records of all required immunizations. These must be current with all boosters.
 - **DPT:** Five (5) doses of any combination DTaP/DPT, unless 4th dose was given on or after 4th birthday, then only four (4) doses required.
 - **POLIO:** Four (4) doses of polio; 1 dose must be received on or after the 4th birthday. However, 3 doses meet the requirement if the 3rd dose was received on or after the 4th birthday.
 - **MEASLES:** Two (2) doses of measles vaccine are required for all students age 5 years and older who are born on or after September 2, 1991. First dose must be received on or after 1st birthday.
 - **MUMPS:** Two (2) doses of vaccine required for kindergarten entry effective August 1, 2009. First dose must be received on or after 1st birthday.
 - **RUBELLA:** Two (2) doses of vaccine required for kindergarten entry effective August 1, 2009. First dose must be received on or after 1st birthday.
 - **HAEMOPHILUS INFLUENZAE:** Type b vaccine will be required for children 18 months through 4 years of age.
 - **HEPATITIS A:** Effective August 1, 2009 two (2) doses of Hepatitis A required for kindergarten entry. First dose of Hepatitis A must be received on or after 1st birthday.
 - **INVASIVE PNEUMOCOCCAL:** Effective September 1, 2005, all children attending pre-kindergarten, Head Start, child-care facilities, or other early childhood programs must be vaccinated against invasive pneumococcal.
 - **HEPATITIS B:** Effective August 1, 1998, three (3) doses of hepatitis B vaccine are required for all students age 5 years and older who are born on or after September 2, 1992.
 - **VARICELLA VACCINE:** Two (2) doses of varicella vaccine are required for kindergarten entry effective August 1, 2009 **or** present documentation of previous varicella illness (chicken pox). First dose must be received on or after 1st birthday.
3. A copy of the child's social security card.
4. Proof of residency, which would include a copy of a utility bill that lists a physical address. A PO Box is not adequate proof of residency.
5. A copy of the birth certificate or drivers' license of the parent or guardian enrolling the student.

The school cannot accept any child as officially registered without the required documentation.