

<p>SC 1304, 1326 Title 22: Sec. 11.15</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 11.16</p>	<p>commensurate with the age group of the Kindergarten level in which he/she is seeking enrollment (84th percentile or higher for the student’s chronological age in two of the following domains: Conceptual, Practical, and/or Social, or the 84th percentile on the Composite).</p> <p>5. Testing will be conducted by the District school psychologist at no cost to the parent(s)/guardian(s).</p> <p>6. If the admission of the student would cause class size to exceed the recommended cap of twenty-four (24) students per classroom, early admission may be denied regardless of the results of the evaluation.</p> <p>Section 3. <u>Procedures for First Grade</u></p> <p>a. Beginners are students entering the lowest grade of the primary school above the Kindergarten level. A beginner is eligible for admission to the lowest grade of the primary school above the Kindergarten level if s/he has attained the age of six (6) on or before September 1.</p> <p>b. Early Admission to First Grade</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students who are born after September 1 but before October 1 are eligible for early admission testing upon request to the building principal. 2. All requests must be made prior to August 1 of the year of enrollment. 3. Testing must be completed two weeks before the start of the school year. 3. Early admission shall be considered upon meeting all of the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The child must obtain a minimum standard score of 121 or higher on an individually administered assessment of cognitive ability. • The child must demonstrate adequate levels of academic preparedness commensurate with the age group of the first grade level in which he/she is seeking enrollment (84th percentile or higher for the student’s chronological age on a standardized achievement assessment). • The child must demonstrate adequate levels of adaptive functioning commensurate with the age group of first grade level in which he/she is seeking enrollment (84th percentile or higher for the student’s chronological age in two of the following domains: Conceptual, Practical, and/or Social, or the 84th percentile on the Composite). 4. Testing will be conducted by the District school psychologist at no cost to the parent(s)/guardian(s) 6. If the admission of the student would cause class size to exceed the
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