



♥ Welcome to  
Kindergarten

Dear Incoming Kindergarten Families:

Welcome to the School District of Osceola County community! As you get ready to enroll your child in kindergarten, please consider the School District of Osceola County your top choice to keep them thriving throughout their educational journey. Our school district offers every child an enriching learning experience while also providing a nurturing environment for your children to grow to their fullest potential. All elementary schools in our county offer unique extracurricular programming that aligns to the mission of each school. Additionally, our district offers an outstanding after and before school program at each of our schools.

Every school in the district is an AVID school. AVID Elementary is designed to be embedded into the daily instruction of all elementary classrooms. Children learn about organization, study skills, communication, and self-advocacy. AVID Elementary students take structured notes and answer high-level questions that accelerate learning.

Parents may contact the school of their choice for tour information and questions pertaining to kindergarten. Each school will offer perspective students a unique experience, so families are encouraged to contact schools for more information. We hope you and your child (ren) will be able to join us for kindergarten this coming school year! You can also register your child online and call our school if you have any questions. Our school team can be reached at **407-390-1748** if you have any questions regarding registration.

As you consider kindergarten options for your child, look below for what is special about Westside K8:

Westside K8 strives to create a family-like atmosphere for all that enter our school. We serve many students beginning as early as VPK or Kindergarten, with the ability to grow through eighth grade. We are proud to have a well-established Positive Behavior Intervention System to ensure each child learns character building skills that will last throughout their lifetime. We offer academic and enrichment activities to support the whole child's love for learning. Some of the experiences for students include physical education, art, music, soccer, track and field, and clubs such as our new Kind Kids Club.

More information for new families will be posted on our website [Westside K-8 / Homepage \(osceolaschools.net\)](http://osceolaschools.net). Please check it often to look for updates. We are excited for your children to begin their kindergarten journey with us, and we look forward to meeting you soon!

Respectfully,

Janine Bracco

Principal

Westside K8 School