

Student:

Is your child entering Kindergarten this August? If so, the readiness checklist has been shared as a tool to help you self-evaluate if your child is adequately prepared. Summer is a great time to reinforce individualized skills. Parents do not need to complete or submit this form to SRL.

Kindergarten Readiness Checklist

Date:

Social and Emotional	Yes	Not Yet
Expresses feelings appropriate to the situation.		
2. Knows own preferences and abilities.		
Can suggest simple solutions to conflict.		
4. Can follow rules and routines.		

Language	Yes	Not Yet
5. Recognizes most letters (uppercase and lowercase).		
6. Recognizes name and other words in print.		
7. Makes beginning sounds in short words.		
8. Matches most letters with their sounds.		
9. Remembers details from stories.		
10. Uses cover and pictures to talk about a book.		
11. Writes own name, with most letters correct.		
12. Plans and tells, draws, or writes stories.		
13. Speaks in understandable sentences.		
14. Responds appropriately to directions and questions.		
15. Talks with familiar adults and peers.		

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Math	Yes	Not Yet
16. Counts to 20		
17. Knows written numbers 1 to 10		
18. Understands simple addition and subtraction.		
19. Names squares, circles, triangles and rectangles.		
20. Describes the order of objects (first, next to)		
21. Compares two objects (bigger, taller, heavier)		
22. Sorts, counts and compares quantities.		

Approaches to Learning	Yes	Not Yet
23. Shows interest in new experiences.		
24. Acts out familiar story lines, gives out and/or takes on roles.		
25. Sticks with chosen activities, even when they get hard.		
26. Breaks tasks into steps and does them one at a time.		

Physical	Yes	Not Yet
27. Tries to solve problems in different ways, gets needed help.		
28. Handles small and large objects.		
29. Moves whole body with confidence.		
30. Moves whole body with coordination.		
31. Can hold and use scissors correctly and safely.		

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