FARMINGTON RIVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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WELCOME TO FARMINGTON RIVER ELEMENTARY KINDERGARTEN!

Enclosed is the 2024-2025 Kindergarten Registration packet for your child.

Please complete these forms using only <u>BLUE</u> or <u>BLACK INK</u> and return them to the school <u>ASAP</u>.

* Children enrolling in FRES Kindergarten must be five years old before September 1, 2023 to be eligible to enter Kindergarten in September 2023.

The following forms must be completed only *once per family:*

Student Emergency Information Card

Parental Permission to Display

- □ Consent & Release & Indemnification Agreement
- □ Parental Permission for Transportation of Student(s)

The following forms must be completed only <u>once per enrolling student:</u>

□ Kindergarten Development Form

□ Home Language Survey

- □ Ethnicity & Military Questionnaire
- □ Student Acceptable Internet Use Policy

School Health Form
First Aid and Emergency Medical Care Consent Form

Please submit a copy of the following:

Copy of Birth Certificate

□ Copy of Proof of Residency

(Examples include Mortgage Statement or Tax Bill, Current Utility Bill, Current Lease Agreement, etc. with physical/residential address listed. A P.O. Box is <u>not</u> accepted for the purpose of determining residency.)

Immunization Record

(see Immunizations section below)

Verification of a lead test and results

(test dates/results must be entered on the Private Physician's Examination Form)

Copy of Physical Examination **

(within 13 months of enrollment)

** No Kindergarten student will be allowed to begin school without evidence of current physical exam.

□ Custody Paperwork (*if applicable*)

If you have difficulty obtaining any of the above documents, or have any questions about the above documents, please contact Michael Saporito, Director of Students Services.

IMMUNIZATIONS: All enrolling children should be immunized for their age according to the ACIP Recommended Immunization Schedule. **Requirements** listed in the table below apply to all incoming **Kindergarten Students**:

DTaP	5 doses; can be DTP or DTaP
Polio	4 doses
Hepatitis B	3 doses; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
MMR	2 doses; must be given on or after the 1 st birthday; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
Varicella	2 doses; must be given on or after the 1 st birthday; a reliable history of chickenpox* or
Valicella	laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable

SCREENINGS: A screening is required for all enrolling children by appointment and will be conducted in the areas of speech and language, fine and gross motor development, and learning skills. (*No screening appointment is necessary if your child is currently enrolled in our preschool program*).



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STUDENT EMERGENCY INFORMATION FORM 2024-2025

<u>Dear Parents/Guardians</u>: Please read and complete <u>both</u> sides of this form and return it to the office. You will only need to complete one form per household. If at any time your information changes (i.e. emergency contact person, telephone numbers, addresses, email), contact the front office immediately.



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Last	, First	Middle		Grade	 Date of Birth	/	Gender
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Mailing Address	s (if different from Stud	lent):					□ N/A
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PHYSICIAN INFORMATION:

authorize the school to call the physician indicated below	ool to contact me. If the school is unable to reach me, I hereby v and to follow his/her instructions. If it is impossible to contact this for my child. Your child may be transported by ambulance to an
Physician's Name:	Office Telephone:
Address:	Cell Phone:
HEALTH INSUR	ANCE INFORMATION:
Health Insurance Company:	Group: Policy #:
	nsurance plans that will provide uninsured children with affordable health care more information about these programs. All communication will be confidential.
Do you need confidential assistance obtaining health ins	urance for your child? YES NO
HEALTH	INFORMATION:
I give permission to the School Nurse to share informatic personnel when needed to meet my child's health and sa	on relevant to my child's health condition with appropriate school afety needs.
Please list all medications that your child takes with dosa	ge:
ALL of the following: Benadryl NONE of the following: Calamine Lotion	rsonnel delegated by the nurse) to administer the following: Acetaminophen (Tylenol) Soft Peppermint n Ibuprofen (Advil) Hydrocortisone Cream 1% Im) Bacitracin Ointment Sunscreen (if provided) ec) Cough Drops (Gr.1-6 only) Aloe Vera Gel
in to the nurse in the original container/prescription both	ninistered at school, other than the list above, will need to be brought tle or box and requires a physician order to be dispensed by the ol nurse. Forms are available in the health office and on the website.
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
EMERGENCY	WEATHER CLOSING
closing. The School Messenger system can contact up to numbers/email address you would like the school to use	em to contact parents in the event of an emergency or weather 3 phone numbers and 1 email address. Please provide the phone to contact you. Please remember that this is an automated system, if you, it will leave a message with the person who answers the phone.
1. Name:	Phone #:
2. Name:	Phone #:
3. Name:	Phone #:

4. Email Address:

Please discuss your emergency/weather closing plans with your student(s). If there is an emergency/weather closing, my students will be (please select one option):

Parent/Guardi	an Signature: Date:
	Autress
	Address:
٦	ake the bus to the following caretaker: Name:
	ricked up at the School Take the bus to his/her home only if a parent/guardian is visible to the driver. My student(s) will be returned o school if a parent/guardian is not visible.

FRRES: PARENTAL PERMISSION TO DISPLAY

School Year: 2024-2025

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Students' Name:	Grade:
	Grade:
	Grade:
	Grade:

Dear FRRES Parent/Guardian:

Our school receives requests from local organizations - such as libraries, town halls and museums - to display student work products (posters, projects, stories, poems, paintings, etc.), as well as photos or videos of our students. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to receive well-deserved recognition from local communities. It is also a nice way for students to give something back to the communities that support their school district.

We also receive requests from media organizations, like The Berkshire Eagle, that wish to feature performances, concerts and programs at our school. These articles include photographs of students participating in events and/or examples of student work products. Again, this is for the purpose of highlighting our talented student body.

We respect everyone's right to privacy. Please indicate your agreement to the following:

PARENTAL PERMISSION TO DISPLAY outside of the school building or on the school's website, with or without the student's name, the following:

- Photographs / images / videos / recordings of student at FRRES; •
- Samples of student work and program/ performance information;
- School awards, honors or recognitions.

 \Box Yes, I give permission to display the above \Box - with / \Box - without student's name.

□ **No**, I do not give permission to display the above.

Parent/Guardian's Name:

(please print)

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _

FRRES: CONSENT & RELEASE & INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

School Year: 2024-2025



The Undersigned, being the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the following minor(s):

 , in Grade
 , in Grade
, in Grade

do hereby consent to my/our child's participation in any voluntary athletic and/or recreation program(s) of the Farmington River Regional School District ("District").

Further, in consideration of permitting my/our child's participation in any voluntary athletic and recreational program(s) of the District the Undersigned releases and forever discharges the District and those for whom it is legally liable and members of the District's School Committee and the District's employees, agents, volunteers and any and all individuals and organizations assisting or participating in a voluntary athletic or recreation program(s) of the District ("the Releasees") from any and all claims, rights of action and causes of action and damages for personal injury and death and property damage resulting, arising from or occasioned by my/our child's participation in any District voluntary athletic or recreational program(s) regardless of whether or not such claims, rights of action and damages were caused in whole or in part by one or more of the Releasees.

Further, each parent/guardian, jointly and severally, agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless including, but not limited to attorney's fees and expenses, the Releasees against any and all claims, rights of action and causes of action and damages for personal injury and death and property damage, resulting, arising from or occasioned by my/our child's participation in any District voluntary athletic or recreational program(s) regardless of whether or not such claims, rights of action and causes of action and damages for personal injuries, death or property damage was caused in whole or in part by one or more of the Releasees.

The Undersigned further affirms that the Undersigned has/have read this Consent and Release and Indemnification Agreement and understand the contents thereof. The Undersigned understands that my/our child's participation in any voluntary athletic and recreational program(s) is not required by the District's course of instruction and that my/our child need not participate in such program(s) and the Undersigned are free to choose to not have my/our child participate in such program(s). By signing this document, the Undersigned affirm that the Undersigned have decided to allow my/our child to participate in the District's athletic and recreational program(s) with full knowledge that the Releasee will not be liable to anyone for personal injuries, death to my/our child or property damage resulting, arising from or occasioned by my/our child's participation in any voluntary athletic and recreational program(s).

Signed and sealed this	day of	, 20
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Parent / Guardian Signature

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Parental Permission Form for Transportation of Student(s): 2024-2025 School Year

The following is Farmington River Regional Elementary School, in coordination with Dufour, Inc., procedure for afternoon bus drop-off for those who are transported by Dufour, Inc.

All students who are normally transported by bus at the end of the school day, including half days and emergency closings, will need to have a supervising adult present at the bus stop, in order for the bus driver to allow the child to be dropped off. In the event that there is not a supervising adult present, the student(s) will be brought back to Farmington River Regional Elementary School. The school will attempt to contact a parent/guardian to pick up the student(s) here at the school. In the event that the parent/guardian is unreachable, the school will then attempt to contact names of others – listed on the Emergency Contact Form – who will assume the responsibility and provide transportation for your student(s).

Your consent to the above is assumed, UNLESS YOU NOTIFY THE SCHOOL IN WRITING USING THE FORM BELOW that you want your student(s) to be dropped off at their bust stop without a supervising adult present.

By signing, I certify that I have read and understood the PARENTAL PERMISSION FORM FOR TRANSPORTATION OF STUDENT(S).

Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
Student's name:	Grade:
	Grade:
	Grade:
YOUR STUDENT DROPPED OFF WITH	FION ONLY IF YOU WOULD LIKE <u>OUT</u> A SUPERVISING ADULT PRESENT:
I,, give Farm	<u>OUT</u> A SUPERVISING ADULT PRESENT: ington River Regional Elementary School and it's agent,
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I,, give Farm Dufour, Inc., permission for my child(ren) to be droppe adult present.	DUT A SUPERVISING ADULT PRESENT: ington River Regional Elementary School and it's agent, d off at the bus stop each day without a supervising
I,, give Farm Dufour, Inc., permission for my child(ren) to be dropped adult present. Student(s) name:	DUT A SUPERVISING ADULT PRESENT: ington River Regional Elementary School and it's agent, d off at the bus stop each day without a supervising

FRRSD: HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY

School Year: 2024-2025



Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education regulations require that all schools determine the language(s) spoken in each student's home in order to identify their specific language needs. This information is essential in order for schools to provide meaningful instruction for all students. If a language other than English is spoken in the home, the District is required to do further assessment of your child. Please help us meet this important requirement by answering the following questions. Thank you for your assistance.

Student Information:			
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First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Gender
Country of Birth	/ / Date of Birth (mm/dd/y)	yyy) Date first enr	/ olled in ANY U.S. school (mm/dd/yyyy)
School Information:			
/ _/ Start Date in New School (mm/dd/yyyy)	Name of Former Schoo	ol and Town	Current Grade
Questions for Parents/Guardians:			
What is the native language(s) of <u>each</u> parent,	/guardian? (circle one)	Which language(s) are spoken w (include relatives - grandparents,	ith your child? uncles, aunts, etc and caregivers)
(mothe	er / father / guardian)		_seldom / sometimes / often / always
(mother / father / guardian)			_seldom / sometimes / often / always
What language did your child first understand and speak?		Which language do you use mos	t with your child?
Which other languages does your child know?	(circle all that apply)	Which languages does your child	l use? (circle one)
speak /	′ read / write		_seldom / sometimes / often / always
speak /	/ read / write		_seldom / sometimes / often / always
Will you require written information from school language?	ool in your native	Will you require an interpreter/ meetings? Y	
<u>Parent/Guardian Signature:</u> X			//20 Today's Date: (mm/dd/yyyy)

FRRES: ETHNICITY & MILITARY QUESTIONNAIRE

School Year: 2024-2025

Student's name: _____

Grade: _____

The revised federal guidelines for reporting student race/ethnicity require that schools offer individuals the opportunity to select one or more races when reporting information on race in federal/state data collections. In addition, race and Hispanic origin are to be considered two separate and distinct concepts. This change is being made to comply with the federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) revisions to the standards for classification of Federal data on race and ethnicity announced in the Federal Register Notice of October 30, 1997.

Please answer <u>BOTH</u> questions 1 and 2.

1. Is this student Hispanic or Latino? Select only one below.

No, not Hispanic or Latino	(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa).
Yes, Hispanic or Latino	(A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.)

2. What is the student's race? You may select one or more races below.

□ White	(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa)
Black or African American	(A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.)
🗖 American Indian or Alaska Native	(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.)
☐ Asian	(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam)
□ Native Hawaiian	(A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.)

As part of the VALOR Act of 2012, Massachusetts joined other states as part of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children. As a result, the information below must be reported to the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. Please let us know whether any member of your family meets the following criteria by completing and returning this letter to the main office.

<u>Military family criteria consists of</u>: Active duty members of the uniformed services, National Guard and Reserve on active duty orders; members or veterans who are medically discharged or retired within one year; and members who die on active duty.

<u>Military family criteria DOES NOT consist of</u>: Inactive members of the National Guard and Reserves; members now retired not covered above; veterans not covered above; Department of Defense personnel, federal agency civilians and contract employees not defined as active duty.

Military Family Status:

Parent/Guardian Signature

_____ Yes, applicable

_____ No, not applicable



FRRES: STUDENT ACCEPTABLE INTERNET USE POLICY

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- 1. Access to network information resources is to be used only to pursue educational objectives through student or staff conducted communication, research and other structurally related activities. Students are responsible for good behavior on all school computers just as in the classroom and during other school activities.
- The use of the school's computers is a privilege afforded to all students and staff. Each student is expected to take this privilege seriously and abide by all the rules. Parental permission to use network services is required. Rules to be followed are listed below:
 - a. A student must treat all computer equipment and materials with care and respect.
 - b. While using a computer, students may only use those applications assigned to them and access the Internet with teacher supervision.
 - c. A student may not copy, move or remove files or programs from a school computer's hard drive or from the school's file server.
 - d. A student may not download or print large files without permission.
 - e. A student may not add programs to a school's computer or file server.
 - f. A student may not use a floppy disk to transfer files to the school's computer without permission from the technology teacher. This is to prevent viruses.
 - g. A student is expected to obey all rules dealing with copyrighted materials.
 - h. A student may not access, upload, download, transmit, display, or distribute obscene or sexually explicit material.
 - i. A student may not use abusive or otherwise objectionable language in messages, or represent the Farmington River Elementary School or staff in an unfavorable way.
 - j. A student may not use another person's password or trespass in another person's folder, work, or files.
 - k. A student may not submit another person's work as his or her own (including Internet sources)

3. CONSEQUENCES FOR UNACCEPTABLE USE OF COMPUTERS AT FARMINGTON RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

Violation of the above rules may be determined at the building or classroom level, and the consequences will be:

<u>First Offense</u>: Student will lose his/her Internet privileges for **one week**, and the teacher will phone the parent or guardian. Any assigned work will be completed with pen and paper using traditional texts and resources.

<u>Second Offense</u>: Student will lose his/her Internet privileges for **one month**, and the teacher will phone the parent or guardian. Any assigned work will be completed with pen and paper using traditional texts and resources.

<u>Third Offense</u>: Internet privileges will be revoked for **1 Trimester**, the teacher will call the parent or guardian, and a written discipline report from will be sent home. To regain privileges, students will need to appeal to the administration.

NETWORK INFORMATION RESOURCES PERMISSION FORM

Internet access is coordinated through a complex association of government agencies as well as regional and state networks. With access to computers and people all over the world also comes with the availability of materials available precautions to restrict access to controversial materials. However, on global network it is impossible to control all materials and an industrious user may discover controversial information. The District firmly believe that the valuable information and interaction available on this worldwide network far outweigh the possibility that users may procure material that is not consistent with the educational goals of the Farmington River Regional School District.

Student: Please Sign the Following:

I have red, or have had read to me, and have discussed the Student Acceptable Internet Use Policy and the Network Information Resources Policy and agree to use the District's computers in accordance with those policies.

Student Signature:	Date:
Student Name Printed:	Date:

<u>Parent/Guardian:</u> Please Initial One of the Following and Sign Below:

I have read and have discussed with my child the Student Acceptable Internet Use Policy and the District's Network
 Information Resources Policy and hereby give the District permission for my child to access Network Information Resources.
 I hereby agree to pay any and all financial obligations resulting from my child's use of the Network Information Resources whether billed to the District or my child, which have not been authorized by the District.

_____ I do not give the District permission for my child to access the District's Network Information Resources.

Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:
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Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date:

FRRES: SCHOOL HEALTH FORM

<u>School Year: 2024-2025</u>		H.
Student's Name:	Date of Birth:	Grade:
Doctor's Name:		
Additional Physician(s) Child Sees:	Phone:	
Dentist's Name:	Phone:	
Date of last physical exam:	Date of last dental exam:	
<u>REMINDER</u> : Updated physician physical exams reports (w 4^{th} , 7 th , and 10 th . Please provide them to the school nurse Explain any dental problems that might cause discomfort at school	at <u>least</u> that often.	
Accidents (explain):		
Past Surgeries:		
Hospitalizations:		
Known Vision Problems:		asses: 🗆 Yes 🛛 No
Known Hearing Problem: Know	n Physical Problem:	
Identify any current health problems: Asthma Diabetes Allergies Eczema ADD/ADHD Frequent Ear Infections Cancer Gastrointestinal Disorders Hearing Loss Seizures Identify any medical or physical condition that would limit child's IMPORTANT: If your child has asthma, pleas obtain a physici. List allergies to: Foods: Insect Bites: Is Epi-Pen required? List medication taken regularly:	an order, an inhaler and space	Bowels/Constipation
If your child needs medication at school, we require a new physi medication, including inhalers must be kept in the nurse's office If you checked Yes to any of the above, please describe. Is there a explain:	• To request self-carry, please	contact the school nurse.
I give permission to the school nurse to contact my child's physici nurse to provide information relevant to my child's health conditi		•

nurse to provide information relevant to my child's health condition to appropriate school personnel when necessary to meet my child's health and safety needs, and to exchange my child's information with medical authorities for the purpose of referral, diagnosis, and treatment.

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Student's Name:	Date of Birth	: Grade: 💉
authorize staff in school who are trair	ned in the basics of first aid/CPR to give my	child first aid/CPR when appropriate.
child. However, if I cannot be reached acility and/or to	nade to contact me in the event of an eme , I hereby authorize the program to transp	
reatment for my child.		
Student's Physician Name:		
Address:		
hone Number:	Cell Phone Number:	
`hild's Allergies:		
Chronic Health Conditions:		
Chronic Health Conditions:) BE CONTACTED):	
Chronic Health Conditions: EMERGENCY CONTACTS (IN ORDER TO Name:	D BE CONTACTED):	
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Health Insurance Coverage:	Policy #:
Policy Holder's Name:	Relationship to Student:
Parent/Guardian Name:	
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Parent/Guardian Name:	
Home Phone:	_ Cell Phone:

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CHILD'S NAME:				
Eye Color:	Hair Color:		Skin Color:	
Gender:	Heigh:		Weight:	
Identifying Marks:				
DEVELOPMENTAL HIST	<u>ORY:</u>			
Age began talking:	L	anguage spoken at hon	ne:	
Any speech difficulties:				
Does your child have a fussy time	?	When?		
How do you handle this time?				
<u>HEALTH:</u>				
Special physical conditions, disable	ilities:			
Allergies, i.e. asthma, hay fever, in	nsect bites, medicine, f	food reactions:		
Regular medications:				
Special limitations or concerns:				
<u>SLEEPING HABITS:</u>				
Does your child become tired or	nap during the day (in	clude when and how lo	ng?):	
What time does your child go to	bed at night?	and get	up in the morning?	
BATHROOM HABITS:				
Does your child have any fears of	going to the bathroom	ו?		
Does your child have accidents?				
SOCIAL RELATIONSHI	P S :_			
How would you describe your chi	ld?			
Previous experience with other cl	hildren/day care?			
What is the method of behavior r	management/discipline	e at home?		
What would you like your child to	gain from this school	experience?		
Parent/Guardian Signature			Date	

If you have any other concerns, or have anything else you would like us to know about your child/developmental & background info, please list on the back of this page.

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KINDERGARTEN DEVELOPMENTAL & BACKGROUND INFORMATION (cont'd)

School Year: 2023-2024

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_____ Date of Birth: _____

Any other concerns/information you would like to share about your child: