

	<b>Lloydminster Catholic School Division – Administrative Procedures</b>	
	<b>AP 300 – Entrance Age</b>	
Related LCSDF AP's	AP 211 – Early Entrance to Programs/Programming AP 301 – Admission of Students	
Form(s)		
References:	<i>The Education Act, 1995</i> sections 85, 141, 142, 145, 156 <i>The Education Regulations, 2019</i> section 48(10), 50(1)(a) <i>Province of Alberta Education Act, 2012</i> sections 3, 9	
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### Background

The Division makes educational programs available to resident students who are of legal age to attend school. The Education Act and Alberta School Act provide direction with regard to school attendance ages for Kindergarten to grade twelve students. In addition, both Saskatchewan and Alberta departments of Education provide regulations for the attendance of Early Childhood Services students where school jurisdictions provide these programs.

### Procedures

1. Every person who has attained the age of six (6) years but has not attained the age of twenty-two (22) years has the right to attend school in the Division in which he/she resides and to receive instruction appropriate to his/her age and level of educational achievement. Furthermore, no school official shall deprive or attempt to deprive a student of access to services approved and provided by the Division. For information on Non-Resident students see Administrative Procedure 301.
2. Children who are five (5) years of age as of December 31 of the enrolling school year shall be admitted to Kindergarten.
3. Students who exceed the upper age limitations specified in Section 1 may attend high school programs as adult students.
4. Those who qualify for Early Entrance Programming (as determined by provincial regulations) will follow the procedures outlined in Administrative Procedure 211 – Early Entrance to Programs/Programming.