

## **2011-2012 Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Registration Announced**

Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten registration begins at Central Elementary on Monday, April 4, 2011, and will continue until the opening of school next fall.

**PREKINDERGARTEN . . .** The four-year-old Pre-Kindergarten program will be offered to all four-year-olds as long as space permits. Three-year olds will continue to have to qualify for the program. Students enrolled in the A.M. Pre-Kindergarten program will have morning transportation and free breakfast. Students enrolled in the PM classes who are not eligible for free and reduced meals will be able to buy lunch just as other students are currently able to do. In order to register a four year old child for Pre-K he/she must be four years old on or before September 1, 2011. If you are registering a three year old based on income please provide the four most recent paystubs for all income earners in the household. Register your child as soon as possible so we can plan for next year.

**Kindergarten . . .** registration for new students who are not currently enrolled at Central Elementary begins on Monday, April 4, 2011, and will continue until the opening of school next fall. Registration will be conducted on school days from 9:00-11:00 a.m. and from 1:00-2:00 p.m., at Central Elementary School until June 3th. There will be one additional day to register in August before school starts. Once school starts you will need to wait until after 10:00 on the first day of school to register your child. In order to register your child he/she must be five years old on or before September 1, 2011.

In order to enroll in either program, you must have the following documents with you at the time of registration:

- Parents or legal guardians must supply their child's official birth certificate
- Social Security Card
- Proof of residency (such as a utility bill, rent receipt, tax statement)
- Current immunization records which includes:
  - ❖ DPT- 4 doses, last dose must be after 4<sup>th</sup> birthday
  - ❖ Polio-3 doses, last one must be after 4<sup>th</sup> birthday
  - ❖ MMR- 2 doses, first one cannot be before 1<sup>st</sup> birthday
  - ❖ Hep B-3 doses
  - ❖ Varicella- 2 doses or provide written documentation of history of illness
  - ❖ Hepatitis A- 2 doses given 6 months apart
  - ❖ Pneumococcal Vaccine- series of 3, or 1 dose after 24 months
  - ❖ Hib- 1 dose on or after 1<sup>st</sup> birthday
  - ❖ TB skin test must be after 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday; repeat if moving here from another state or country

Parent or legal guardian must also present their Texas Drivers license or other photo identification showing the parent or guardian's date of birth.

It is very helpful to the school if you will register your child as soon as possible so we can plan for next year.

**PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!**