



# Full Day/Half Day Selection Form

## *Incoming Kindergarten Students Only*

Name of Child	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

### **KINDERGARTEN ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS**

School Committee Policy JEB provide school entrance requirements, which are stated below:

*To be eligible for admission in the Reading Public Schools a child must have reached the age of five on or before August 31 of the entering year to enter kindergarten or must have reached the age of six before August 31 of the entering year to enter grade one. Under no circumstances will children younger than five be admitted.*

### **FULL DAY/HALF DAY SELECTION**

The Reading Public Schools currently offers a tuition-based full-day kindergarten program and a no-cost half-day program. Please select the program you wish to enroll your child in:

- ☐ Full Day Kindergarten
- ☐ Half Day Kindergarten *(This option will only be offered if kindergarten tuition fees apply. Please refer to the note below for more details.)*
- ☐ Not enrolling in the Reading Public Schools

### **TUITION INFORMATION ABOUT FULL DAY KINDERGARTEN**

Over the past four years, the School Committee has worked to create a plan for universal free kindergarten for all families. According to the most recent plan, the 2025-2026 school year would be the first with tuition-free kindergarten. While we are hopeful this will be achieved, a final decision will be made when the School Committee approves the budget at the end of January.

**Kindergarten assignments will be based on location, class size and student programming.**