

## MY CHILD IS GOING TO SCHOOL

- Information regarding school registration –  
School year 2022/23



DEAR PARENTS,

next year, your child will be a “schoolkid”.

Enrollment in elementary school is a new stage in life for both your child, as well as the whole family. With the new environment “school”, a schoolkid brings changes in regards to the day-to-day life, homework and vacation times to your family.

Becoming a schoolkid is very exciting for children: they are happy and curious or they are thinking about what is going to happen with them at school. The daycare facilities and the elementary schools in Hannover are working closely together and, therefore, help your child with undertaking the transition into school.

Registration at the elementary school starts one and a half years before to make sure that starting at school will be successful. You will receive a personal invitation regarding registration at the elementary school responsible for you from the State Capital Hannover. In this brochure for parents, we have included all of the important and current information on the topic “school registration”, as well as the phone numbers of contact persons. Should you have further questions, please don't hesitate to ask the elementary school responsible for you.

I wish you and your children a good start and above all a lot of joy at school

Rita Maria Rzyski

Director of Education, Youth and Family of the State Capital Hannover

## **COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

Children who will turn six up until October 1st of the registration year, are of compulsory school age.

Younger children can enroll, if they are mentally, physically and socially ready for school. They have to be successfully able to participate in lessons. In these cases, parents can apply during regular registration times for school enrollment. The principal of the school will decide over this application. Should the child enroll early, compulsory school attendance automatically begins with enrollment.

## **THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

The first day of school for the first graders always takes place on a Saturday.

Your elementary school will provide you with more information regarding the time and place in due time.

## **RELIABLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

Every elementary school is a "reliable elementary school" (verlässliche Grundschule), which means that children are able to stay in school for 5 real-time hours. For first and second graders a one-hour care program is included – if the parents wish so.

## **LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT**

Your child's language development will be monitored throughout their kindergarten attendance. The year prior to the first day of school, individual language development measures can be taken, if necessary. If your child hasn't visited a daycare facility up until then, your child's language development level will be determined by the responsible elementary school during the registration.

For further information please contact your daycare facility or your elementary school.

## **LANGUAGE TRAINING**

Extensive language training is required for a successful integration of students with no or little knowledge of the German language. The percentage of students with a non-German native tongue has increased because of immigration during the last years, therefore language training is an important part of our schools. Language training is part of continuous language development in each class, of school programs and the schools' support concepts.

Then there are also pre-school language training arrangements (early language training at the daycare facilities or the elementary schools), aid courses or classes, or language training in the context of aid concepts. Each school is required to develop and implement appropriate formats for students with a need for language training.

## **TEST AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION**

Bevor the first day of school, your child will have to undergo a test and medical examination to test for their school maturity and readiness. You will receive an invitation from the Team "Sozialpädiatrie und Jugendmedizin" (= Social Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine) of the Region Hannover.

These appointments take place around your child's sixth birthday. We kindly ask you to keep this appointment or to only reschedule, if necessary.

After medical examination, doubts may arise regarding your child's state of development and state of health when it comes to their successful and joyful participation in school. After talking to the legal guardians, the school principal will decide, whether it is reasonable to set the child back for a year. You will then receive a written decision in which the reason and the duration of the setback will be stated.

## **SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT AND INCLUSION**

During the tests for school aptitude or during the medical examination necessary before enrollment, the requirement for special needs education may be discovered. Maybe you already know, whether your child has special needs.

**Please ask your principal to induce a check for necessity. The decision about this will be made by the Landesschulbehörde (= federal school board of Lower Saxony).**

Physically, mentally or psychologically impaired children can visit regular elementary schools within the scope of inclusion or visit special needs schools. These special needs school are under the supervision of the school board within the Region Hannover.

**Förderschule Franz-Mersi-Schule**  
**Focus on seeing**

**Förderschule Hartwig-Claußen-Schule**  
**Focus on hearing**  
**30173 Hannover, Altenbekener Damm 79**

**Förderschule Heinrich-Ernst-Stötzner-Schule**  
**Focus on mental development**  
**30655 Hannover, Neue Landstraße 27**

**Förderschule Wilhelm-Schade-Schule**  
**Focus on mental development and learning**  
**30419 Hannover, Freudenthalstraße 10c**

**Förderschule Schule auf der Bult**  
**Focus on emotional and social development**  
**30173 Hannover, Janusz-Korczak-Allee 7**

**Förderschule Albert-Liebmann-Schule**  
**Focus on language**  
**30655 Hannover, Paracelsusweg 12**

The principal or an official of the Landesschulbehörde can help you decide, whether your child should go to a regular or a special needs school. Every elementary schooler with established special needs regarding learning is going to a regular school.

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICTS**

Every elementary school has its own school district and every registered address is assigned to a school, which is responsible for the children living in said district. The school districts' main principle is a short distance between the child's home and the school responsible. Your child is able to undertake the trip to this school by foot. You will be informed via the letter "Aufforderung zur Schulanmeldung" (request for school registration) which school is responsible for you. Therein you will also find the school's address and phone number.

## **Choosing another elementary school**

Regardless of the responsibility within the school district, you can register your child at one the schools mentioned below, which are also under the patronage of the State Capital Hanover. An admission at those schools can occur only within the scope of their admission capacities. Please inform yourself at the school responsible for you about your registration at one of those schools.

<b>School</b>	<b>contact details</b>
Primary education at the Integrierten Gesamtschule (IGS) Roderbruch	Rotekreuzstr. 23 30627 Hannover Tel. 168-48704

full-time school

Südstadtschule  
(Schule mit besonderem  
pädagogischen Profil=  
school with a special educational profile)

Böhmerstr. 10,  
30173 Hannover  
Tel. 168-45653

Glockseeschule  
(Schule mit besonderem  
pädagogischen Profil=  
school with a special educational profile)  
full-time school

Am Lindenhofe 14  
(Döhren)  
30519 Hannover  
Tel. 168-49197

Bonifatiuschule  
(catholic elementary  
school)

Bonifatiusplatz 6 (List)  
30161 Hannover  
Tel. 168-44147

Eichendorffschule  
(catholic elementary  
school)  
full-time school

Hennigesstraße 3  
(Linden)  
30451 Hannover  
Tel. 168-43877

Kardinal-Bertram-Schule  
(catholic elementary  
school)

Löccumer Str. 46  
(Döhren)  
30519 Hannover  
Tel. 168-49116

Kardinal-Galen-Schule  
(catholic elementary  
school)

Hinter der Alten Burg 1  
(Misburg),  
30629 Hannover  
Tel. 168-32264

**Please note:**

**When registering your child, please present the baptismal certificate to the catholic school!**

**The catholic schools also take in a restricted number of non-catholic students. For further information, please contact the catholic school of your interest.**

## **PRIVATE SCHOOLS OR INDEPENDENT SCHOOL BOARDS**

Compulsory school attendance can be fulfilled at a private school or at independent school agencies if the legal requirements are met. Please get the necessary information directly from the schools or from the Internet.

## **CLASSES IN THE NATIVE TONGUE**

Students can learn or cultivate their native tongue at many schools.

Language is a key: scientific studies have proven that multilingualism improves scholastic and professional success and supports a healthy development of identity. If you wish to promote your child's native tongue, please register them for classes in the native tongue at your elementary school. The group is usually assembled at the beginning of the school year. Therefore, it makes sense to register your child for classes in their native tongue while enrolling at school. Participation at these classes is voluntary, yet binding after registration.

Should your elementary school not offer classes in your native tongue, please feel free to talk to your school's principal.

At least ten registrations are necessary to build a class in the relevant native tongue.

You will receive further information at your school.

## **FULL-TIME ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

In case the elementary school responsible for you does not offer a full-time school program, you and your child can apply for a spot at a full-time elementary school. If capacity allows for it, the school can accept your child. The principal decides

whether your child will be accepted. Please note, that you do not have a claim to a spot at the full-time school. After Easter break of enrollment year, you will find out whether you will receive a spot for your child at the desired full-time school.

Here, you will find a list with elementary schools offering full-time programs.

**You can find an information brochure regarding the full-time schools on the Internet under:**

<http://www.hannover.de/Leben-in-der-Region-Hannover/Bildung/Schulen/Allgemeinbildende-Schulen-Stadt>

## List of full-time elementary schools

### **GS Albert-Schweitzer-Schule**

Liepmannstr. 6, 30453 Hannover, Tel. 168-42898

### **GS Alemannstraße**

Alemannstr. 5 30165 Hannover, Tel.168-44841

### **GS Am Buchholzer Grün**

Paracelsusweg 10 B, 30655 Hannover, Tel. 168-36647

### **GS Am Lindener Markt**

Davenstedter Str. 14, 30449 Hannover, Tel. 168-43426

### **GS Am Sandberge**

Am Sandberge 3, 30539 Hannover, Tel. 168-33203

### **GS Am Stöckener Bach**

Am Stöckener Bach 5, 30419 Hannover, Tel. 168-49354

### **GS Am Welfenplatz**

Am Welfenplatz 3b, 30161 Hannover, Tel. 168-36266

### **Grundschule an der Feldbuschwende**

Oheriedentrift 11, 30539 Hannover, Tel. 168-34228

### **GS Beuthener Straße**

Beuthener Str. 23, 30519 Hannover, Tel. 168-49161

### **GS Brüder-Grimm-Schule**

Constantinstr. 63, 30177 Hannover, Tel. 168-40224

### **GS Egestorffschule**

Petistr. 4, 30449 Hannover, Tel. 168-44844

### **GS Eichendorffschule (catholic elementary school)**

Hennigesstr. 3, 30451 Hannover, Tel. 168-43877

### **GS Entenfang**

Entenfangweg 19, 30419 Hannover, Tel. 168-49341

### **GS Fichteschule**

Voltmerstr. 60, 30165 Hannover, Tel. 168-44668

### **GS Fridtjof-Nansen-Schule**

Leipziger Str. 38, 30179 Hannover, Tel. 168-45540

### **GS Friedrich-Ebert-Schule**

Salzweg 33, 30455 Hannover, Tel. 168-44044

### **GS Fuhsestraße**

Oertzeweg 5, 30419 Hannover, Tel. 168-49328

**GS Gebrüder-Körting-Schule**

PetermannStr. 49, 30455 Hannover, Tel. 168-41787

Glockseeschule (Schule mit besonderem pädagogischen Profil=school with a special educational profile)

Am Lindenhofe 14, 30519 Hannover, Tel. 168-49197

**GS Glücksburger Weg**

Glücksburger Weg 6, 30165 Hannover, Tel. 168-47628

**GS Grimsehlweg**

Grimsehlweg 20, 30659 Hannover, Tel. 168-48291

**GS Groß-Buchholzer-Kirchweg**

Groß-Buchholzer-Kirchweg 53, 30655 Hannover, Tel. 168-48419

**GS Hägewiesen**

Hägewiesen 111, 30657 Hannover, Tel. 168-48454

**GS Heinrich-Wilhelm-Olbers-Grundschule**

Olbersstr. 13, 30519 Hannover, Tel. 168-49122

**Henning-von Tresckow-Grundschule**

Tresckowstr. 49, 30457 Hannover, Tel. 168-33341

**Grundschule im Kleefeld**

Schweriner Platz 1, 30625 Hannover, Tel. 168-48815

**GS In der Steinbreite**

In der Steinbreite 54, 30455 Hannover, Tel. 168-42072

**GS Kardinal-Galen-Schule**

Hinter der Alten Burg 1, 30629 Hannover, Tel. 168-32264

**GS Kastanienhof**

Harenberger Str. 31, 30453 Hannover, Tel. 168-45534

**GS Kronsberg**

Ortskamp 8, 30539 Hannover, Tel. 168-42024

**GS Kurt-Schumacher-Schule**

Eisteichweg 5-7, 30559 Hannover, Tel. 168-32822

**GS Loccumer Straße**

Loccumer Str. 27, 30519 Hannover, Tel. 168-49108

**GS Lüneburger Damm**

Bevenser Weg 2, 30625 Hannover, Tel. 168-40567

**GS Marienwerder**

Westermannweg 10, 30419 Hannover, Tel. 168-40579

**GS Otfried-Preußler-Schule**

Birkenstr. 12, 30171 Hannover, Tel. 168-45499

**GS Pestalozzi-Grundschule**

Hinter der Alten Burg 1, 30629 Hannover, Tel. 168-32280

**IGS Roderbruch - Primarstufe**

Rotekreuzstr. 23, 30627 Hannover, Tel. 168-48701

**Rosa-Parks-Grundschule**

Isernhagener Str. 33, 30161 Hannover, Tel. 168-45922

**GS Stammesstraße**

Stammestr. 53, 30459 Hannover, Tel. 168-42940

**GS Suthwiesenstraße**

Suthwiesenstr. 36, 30519 Hannover, Tel. 168-49163

**GS Tegelweg**

Tegelweg 2, 30179 Hannover, Tel. 168-36482

**GS Tiefenriede**

Stresemannallee 24, 30173 Hannover, Tel. 168-44220

**GS Wasserkampstraße**

Wasserkampstr. 1, 30559 Hannover, Tel. 168-48798

**GS Wettbergen**

In der Rehre 43, 30457 Hannover, Tel. 168-32840

**GS Wilhelm-Busch-Schule**

Munzeler Str. 23, 30459 Hannover, Tel. 168-49650

## CONTACTS

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If you have any questions regarding **special needs education, inclusion, school psychological counseling and language training**, please contact

**REGIONALES LANDESAMT FÜR SCHULE UND BILDUNG HANNOVER**

Mailänder Str. 2 | 30539 Hannover

Phone | 0511 106 - 6000 (operator)

e-mail | [service@rlsb-h.niedersachsen.de](mailto:service@rlsb-h.niedersachsen.de)

The **medical examination** necessary before enrolling at school takes place in the offices of the five districts of the city of Hannover. If you have any questions, please contact

**REGION HANNOVER****FACHBEREICH JUGEND**

Team Sozialpädiatrie und Jugendmedizin (=Team Social Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine)

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