

# AGE APPROPRIATE GRADE PLACEMENT FOR LIMITED-ENGLISH PROFICIENT STUDENTS

When Limited-English students enroll in school, please be sure to check birthdate and place in appropriate grade level according to this chart.

APPROPRIATE GRADE LEVEL OF STUDENT	APPROPRIATE AGE FOR THIS GRADE LEVEL	AGE TOO OLD FOR THIS GRADE
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## ELEMENTARY (K-5)

Kindergarten	5 or 6	7 or older
1st	6 or 7	8 or older
2nd	7 or 8	9 or older
3rd	8 or 9	10 or older
4th	9 or 10	11 or older
5th	10 - 12	13 or older

## SECONDARY (6-12)

		* (See below)
6th	12 or 13	14 or older
7th	13 or 14	15 or older
8th	14 or 15	16 or older
9th	15 or 16	17 or older
10th	16 or 17	18 or older
11th	17 or 18	19 or older
12th	18 or 19	20 or older

\*At the middle and high school levels, students who will become this age during the school year should be placed at the next higher grade level when enrolling. For example: If student is 13 at enrollment but will turn 14 during the school year, he should be placed in Grade 7 unless prior school records (if available) indicate another grade level. New enrolling high school students who will turn 20 during the school year should be referred to Adult Education ESL classes.