



SANTA MONICA - MALIBU UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

2023 – 2024 BIRTHDATE ENROLLMENT GUIDELINES

GRADE:	BIRTHDATE CUTOFF
TK :	BIRTHDATE BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 2, 2018 AND APRIL 2, 2019
K:	BIRTHDATE ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2018*
1ST :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2017
2ND :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2016
3RD :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2015
4TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2014
5TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2013
6TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2012
7TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2011
8TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2010
9TH :	CUT OFF – SEPTEMBER 1, 2009
10TH :	CUT OFF – DECEMBER 2, 2008
11TH :	CUT OFF – DECEMBER 2, 2007
12TH :	CUT OFF – DECEMBER 2, 2006

***Expansion of TK**

The district's transitional kindergarten program shall admit children in accordance with Administrative Regulation 5111, which states: Any child who will have his/her/their fifth birthday during the time periods shown as follows, shall be offered a transitional kindergarten (TK) program in accordance with law and Board policy. (Education Code 48000)

- For the **2022-2023** school year, the fifth birthday occurs between **September 2 through February 2**
- For the **2023-2024** school year, the fifth birthday occurs between **September 2 through April 2**
- For the **2024-2025** school year, the fifth birthday occurs between **September 2 through June 2**

Starting with the 2025-2026 school year, and each school year thereafter, any child who will have their fourth birthday before September 1 of that year shall be offered a transitional kindergarten (TK) program in accordance with law and Board policy.

*Transitional Kindergarten start dates were based on SMMUSD "gradual rollback" established at the onset of the CDE revised birthdate enrollment dates. Please check with your administrator or Student Services for grade placement of new incoming students in grades 1 and higher.