UTICA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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Kindergarten Waiver Request for 2020-2021 School Year

According to Michigan Law, if a child residing in Utica Community Schools is not five years of age on September 1, 2020 but will be five years of age on or before December 1, 2020, the parent or legal guardian of that child may enroll the child in kindergarten for the 2020-2021 school year if the parent or legal guardian notifies the school district in writing.

A school district that receives this written notification may make a recommendation to the parent or legal guardian as to whether the child is not ready to enroll in kindergarten due to the child's age or other factors. Regardless of the district recommendation, the parent or legal guardian retains the sole discretion to determine whether or not to enroll the child in kindergarten if the student is five years of age not later than December 1, 2020.

Student's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Verification of Age: *(Select one)*

- ○ Birth Certificate
- ○ Government Record
- ○ Hospital Record
- ○ Court Record
- ○ Citizenship Paper
- ○ Other: _____ *(Specify)*

List evidence of school readiness (provided by parent):

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

Utica Community Schools Recommendation

I _____ agree with the recommendation of the parents to enroll in Kindergarten.
(Administrator's Name)

I _____ recommend kindergarten begin in September 2021 for the following reasons:
(Administrator's Name)

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

School Administrator's Signature	Date