

Kindergarten – 1st Grade Highly Capable Program Services

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To learn more, attend the parent information night for parents of kindergarten students. Two sessions will be offered on **September 17** at Redmond High School Performing Arts Center, 17272 NE 104th St., Redmond. Identical sessions will take place from 4:30-6:00 p.m. and 7:00-8:30 p.m.

For more information, go to the [Kindergarten-1st Grade Highly Capable Program](#) web page.

Lake Washington School District **Highly Capable Services for Kindergarten Students**

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Services will take place in the student's LWSD neighborhood school during the regular school day. The K-1HC Facilitator / Teacher will provide math enrichment services. The K-1HC Facilitator / Teacher can provide resources and strategies to the student's classroom teacher to assist the teacher with accelerating literacy instruction.

Students who participate in the K-1HC program in kindergarten will continue services through the end of first grade.

K-1HC Selection Process for Kindergarten Students

Application timeline for K-1HC services Kindergarten Application Timeline for 2015-2016 For participation in the second term 2015–2016 K-1 Highly Capable Services

All dates are subject to change.

Parent Information Night	September 17, 2015 Sessions at 4:30-6:00 pm or 7:00-8:30 pm Redmond
For parents of kindergarten students	High School Performing Arts Center 17272 NE 104th ST, Redmond, WA
Note: Both sessions are the same.	98052
Attendance is not required to apply.	
Online Nomination Applications Open	October 1, 2015
Applications Closed (Late applications are not accepted)	4:00 PM on October 30, 2015
Round I – Cognitive Abilities Test	November 7, 2015*
Round II – Iowa Assessments	December 12, 2015*
Round III - Renzulli	January 2016
Notification of Placement	January 2016
Services Begin	February 2016

*Applicants who are ill or have a family emergency on their regularly scheduled test date must notify the Accelerated Programs office in writing within 24 hours of the testing date to be eligible for a make-up exam. The CogAT make-up date is November 17, 2015. The Iowa make-up date is January 13, 2016. Students who miss their regularly scheduled assessment and the make-up date will be withdrawn from the application process for the current school year.