## Grade 1 Registration – 2026/27 School Year

#### Free choice of school

All children born in the period from **2 October 2019 to 1 October 2020** will be of compulsory school age in the **2026/2027 school year** and must be enrolled in school.

As a citizen of Wolfsburg, you can register your child at **any all-day primary school** in the city. If you have decided on a primary school, you can register your child there directly by filling in the registration form.

Please note that in the past there have been **lottery systems** at some schools. This always happens when there are more applications than school places available.

#### School locator (Schulfinder)

You can get an overview of all Wolfsburg schools and school profiles via the **QR code** or by visiting: <u>www.wolfsburgerlupe.de</u>



#### Inclusion

Parents of children with **special educational needs** have the right to choose between attending a general school or a **special school**. Speak openly about your child's support needs when registering at the school.

### Deferral/postponement

Children of compulsory school age who are not capable of attending school due to their stage of development can be deferred from school attendance for one year.

Children who turn 6 in the period from **2 July to 1 October** of the year of enrolment can **postpone** their school attendance by one year by means of a written declaration by the legal guardian to the school.

# "Kann-Kinder" (candidates for early entry)

Children who turn six after **1 October** of the year of enrolment can apply for early enrolment. Please make an appointment independently with the school.

# Registration dates for May 2025

The registration procedure for school enrolment already takes place **1.5 years** before school enrolment.

Enrolment days for the start of the **2026/27** school year:

12-16 May 2025 (12:00 p.m.).

#### Further information and contacts

Enrolment Isabella Sommerfeld 05361/28-1696 E-mail: <u>einschulung@stadt.wolfsburg.de</u> School counselling Susanne Meyne und Saskia Korte 05361/28-1129 E-mail: <u>schulberatung@stadt.wolfsburg.de</u>

You can find more information about enrolment and schools at: https://www.wolfsburg.de/schule



### All day

The all-day school is based on the all-day school concept or the school programme. It combines teaching and extra-curricular activities into a single pedagogical and organisational unit. This applies equally to the open and the bound forms of all-day school. Pupils have more time to learn and to consolidate what they have learned. They are together with their playmates and have numerous opportunities for leisure activities to find interests and develop their talents.

In principle, participation in the extracurricular all-day programmes of an open all-day school is voluntary, but registration is obligatory for the duration of a half or school year. Due to the existing legal situation, it is not permissible to opt out of individual modules, because only through binding registration can it be ensured that the extracurricular activities are varied and of good quality.

# Registration and attendance

Binding registration for all-day school takes place at the beginning of each school year directly at the all-day primary school.

In principle, a binding registration of pupils at an open or part-time school obliges them to attend until 4:00 p.m.

#### Time frame

Wolfsburg's all-day primary schools offer a comprehensive and free education and care programme from Monday to Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. At some schools it is also possible to book special times before 8:00 a.m. and after 5:00 p.m. for a fee.

There are two models of all-day primary schools:

• Open, all-day primary schools with free choice of participation in the afternoon.

• Part-time all-day primary school with at least two compulsory afternoons per week.

### Holiday period

Schools are closed for three weeks during the summer holidays and for one week during the Christmas holidays. In the remaining holiday period, there is a holiday childcare service for which a fee is charged. Information is available at

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and directly via the all-day primary schools.

#### Good lunch every day

Every day, the pupils receive a healthy and wholesome lunch and a snack in the afternoon. The meals are chargeable and an integral part of the overall pedagogical concept.

