

Lind-Ritzville Cooperative Schools



Child Find Screening

March 16, 2023

Lind Elementary School (8:30 - 11:00 AM)

Ritzville Grade School (12:00 - 3:00 PM)

What is a Child Find Screening?

Screening is a **free** check of your child's development—including:

Large muscle development

Communication

Personal-social skills

Eye-hand coordination (fine motor skills)

Concepts

Self-help skills

What is the purpose of a Child Find Screening?

The purpose of the screen is to identify any factors that may interfere with your child's learning, growth, and development. The screening is also provided to help parents identify their child's strengths and weaknesses and provide home suggestions.

What happens during a Child Find Screening?

During the screening, your child may stack small blocks, cut with scissors, draw, count, name colors, jump, and have fun! Following the screening, a trained professional will talk with you about the results of the screening. You will have the opportunity to ask any questions about your child's development. You may be given home suggestions, referred on for further testing, or be scheduled to have skills rechecked at a later date. The screening process usually takes about 45 minutes.

Who is eligible to be screened?

Any child, birth to age five, whose family or caregivers would like more information about their child's development. All school districts within Washington State have Child Find screenings available. If your family is living in a temporary situation, you may contact the district where you are staying to attend a screening.

Where can I go for screening and how do I set up a required appointment?

For more information for screening in **Ritzville**, please contact Camille Nelson or Stephanie Stokoe to schedule an appointment, 659-0232.

For more information for screening in **Lind**, please contact Ann Marie Saetre or Tammy Doyle at 677-3481 to schedule an appointment.

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