Dear Parent of Incoming Kindergarten Student,

All Kindergarten students are required to have a current school physical prior to starting school. The physical must be completed on the *State of Illinois Certificate of Child Health Examination Form* and must be dated within one year prior to the first day of the 2021-2022 school year. Please make sure the **HEALTH HISTORY SECTION** of the physical form is completed and signed by a parent or guardian. The **LEAD RISK SECTION** on the physical form must be completed by the health care provider.

All Kindergarten students are required to have a current dental exam by May 15, 2022. The exam must be completed on a *Proof of School Dental Exam Form* and be dated <u>between November 15, 2020 and May 15, 2022</u>.

All Kindergarten students are required to have a current eye exam by October, 15, 2021. The exam must be completed on the *State of Illinois Eye Exam Form* and must be dated within one year prior to the first day of the 2021-2022 school year.

IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS:

- **✓ HEPATITIS B**: 3 doses administered at recommended intervals
- ✓ DTP/ DTaP: Three or more doses with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4th birthday
- ✓ MMR: Two doses, the first dose must be after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 28 days later
- ✔ POLIO: Three or more doses of with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4th birthday
- ✓ VARICELLA (Chicken Pox): Two doses of varicella vaccine are required first dose on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 28 days later
- ✔ HIB (Haemophilus influenza type B): 3 or 4 doses depending on vaccine type given.
- ▶ PNEUMOCOCCAL: 4 doses at ages 2, 4, 6, and 12-15 months of age OR 1 dose between ages 24-59 months.

****IMPORTANT: Your child <u>must be compliant</u> with the school physical and immunization requirements by the first day of school. No appointments will be accepted. Your child <u>will be excluded from school</u> until the physical and immunization requirements are met.

The dental exam is due by May 15, 2022 but can be turned in at any time. The eye exam is due by October 15, 2021 but can be turned in at any time.

I am currently accepting physicals, immunization records, eye exams, and dental exams for next year. Information can be turned in to the school at any time. You may also email or fax the information to the school. Please, do not hesitate to send documentation to me as it is completed. This will save time at the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. I look forward to meeting your kindergartener!

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