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# BRANFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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#### Dear Parents/Guardians:

Branford Public Schools purchases Student Athletic Accident insurance that covers students for injuries that occur while participating in interscholastic sports including football, intramural sports, band, cheerleading, gym, recess and non-sport extra-curricular activities that are school sponsored and supervised. The plan is subject to policy conditions, exclusions and maximums and pays in excess of any plan in force for the student. This plan does not otherwise cover students if injured at school or outside of school. There is a common misperception that the District carries insurance that would pay for any injury sustained by a student or adult on school grounds; it does not.

Student Accident Coverage is available for purchase by parents on a voluntary basis which can pay for medical expenses arising out of those school related injuries that are not covered under the plan purchased by the district. There is an option for 24-hour protection as well.

The plan is underwritten by Zurich Insurance Company and administered by Bollinger Specialty Group. This insurance is not an excess policy. Please see the back side of this page for the types of coverage and rates.

If you wish to insure your child, please visit <a href="http://www.bollingerschools.com/branford">http://www.bollingerschools.com/branford</a> to access the online brochure and enrollment information for the 2022-2023 plan year. We encourage you to review the brochure for a further explanation of insurance coverage details and exclusions.

All enrollment forms, must be submitted electronically through the aforementioned website or mailed to Bollinger Specialty Group by the parent at the address listed below. Coverage will be effective the first day of school (if coverage is purchased prior), 12:01 a.m. on the day following the online purchase, or the date the mailed application is received in the Bollinger office.

Bollinger, Inc. School Department P.O. Box 1515 Morristown, NJ 07962

If you have any questions at all regarding coverage, please contact Bollinger Specialty Group directly at (800) 350-8005.

Sincerely,

Donald A. Neel Chief Operating Officer

#### TO THE PARENTS OR GUARDIANS OF STUDENTS

We are once again offering you the opportunity to purchase student accident insurance for your child. The enrollment form for the school year 2022-2023 may be obtained from the website <a href="http://www.bollingerschools.com/branford">http://www.bollingerschools.com/branford</a>

The student accident insurance pays claims on a primary basis and covers accidental injuries regardless of liability. The only exclusions are explained in the brochure. This information has been provided by Bollinger Specialty Group and they recommend performing a careful review of coverage, benefits and plans.

# SCHOOL-TIME PLAN (to-from-at-school)

Maximum Accident Medical Benefit \$500,000 Maximum Dismemberment Benefit \$ 20,000 Accidental Death Benefit \$ 10,000 Annual Premium All Grades – Per Pupil \$ 25.00

### 24-HOUR COVERAGE PLAN

Maximum Accident Medical Benefit \$500,000 Maximum Dismemberment Benefit \$ 20,000 Accidental Death Benefit \$ 10,000 **Annual Premium All Grades – Per Pupil \$ 88.00** 

If you should have any questions regarding this coverage, please do not hesitate to contact the program administrator, Bollinger Specialty Group, as indicated on the enrollment brochure.

The plans do not cover Interscholastic Sports as the Board of Education provides this coverage separately.

Claim status can also be checked online at www.bollingerschools.com.