

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

All students entering school for the first time are required by the State of Illinois to have a current physical examination and record of immunization on file with the school that they will attend. It is required that students provide evidence of having received the HIB vaccine and three doses of Hepatitis B vaccine. The Hepatitis B vaccine is given in three separate injections. The minimum interval between the first and the third injection is four months. Students must provide evidence of either having had the Chicken Pox (Varicella) or received two doses of the Varicella vaccine. Children 24-59 months of age who have not received the primary series of pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, according to the recommended schedule, need to show proof of receiving one dose of pneumococcal vaccine. If your child has not had these vaccines, please contact your health care provider promptly to begin the series of injections.

It is strongly recommended that students entering school also submit record of a current dental examination. Dental and physical forms are enclosed. It is required that completed physical and dental examination forms be submitted by the first day of school. If the Hepatitis B series or Varicella series is not completed at that time, I will need a schedule of immunization appointment dates signed by your health care provider or clinic.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me at 385-3269 ext. 5203.

Sincerely,

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