

2019-2020
**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION
PHYSICAL AND IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS**

Dear Parent:

According to the Illinois School Code, your child must have a physical exam, dental exam, eye exam, a blood lead screening and be fully immunized before entering school for the first time.

PHYSICAL - The attached form is the **ONLY** form acceptable. It is to be used by all Illinois schools for kindergarten, 6th, 9th grades and transfer students. The exam must have been done after August 20, 2018 to be valid for the 2019-2020 year.

DENTAL EXAM - Attached is the required dental exam form to be used by all Illinois schools for kindergarten, 2nd, and 6th grades. The exam must be done no more than 18 months prior to May 15, 2019 to be valid for the 2019-2020 school year.

EYE EXAM - All students entering kindergarten are required to have a full eye exam before October 15, 2019. Attached is the proper form.

IMMUNIZATIONS - We must have MONTH, DAY and YEAR for each dose. If immunization information is not provided, it will be assumed that further immunizations are necessary to attend school.

This is what is **REQUIRED** for Kindergarten:

Polio: series of 4 or more doses (4 weeks apart);
Last dose after 4th birthday

Diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis:
series of 4 or more doses (4 weeks apart);
last dose after 4th birthday

Measles, Mumps, Rubella:
TWO doses; first dose after 12
months of age; second dose at least
one month later

Lead Screening: one blood **lead screening**

Varicella (chickenpox): **TWO doses;** first dose after 12
months of age; second dose at least
one month later **OR** written proof of illness.

The physical and immunization record must be presented by the first day of school, August 19, 2019. Your help is appreciated in providing exact, thorough information. PARENTS MUST SIGN AND COMPLETE THE HEALTH HISTORY SECTION FOR THE PHYSICAL TO BE IN COMPLIANCE. Any needed immunizations can be obtained from your family physician or the Wayne County Health Department.

If your student has a diagnosis of asthma or food allergies contact the office or school nurse for more information.

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