

2010

Nurse's Office Year End Reminders...



Physical requirements for next year are as follows:

All upcoming Pre-K students' need a health physical with current immunizations, lead screening and BMI noted. (These are good for 2 years so if your student is returning to pre-k and has a physical on file from this year it does not need to be repeated for the upcoming year).

All upcoming Kindergarten students will need a new physical with current immunizations, lead screening and BMI noted. An eye exam by an optometrist or ophthalmologist, and a dental exam.

All upcoming second graders need a dental exam.

All upcoming sixth graders will need a health exam and dental exam for 6th grade. (This physical may also be used for 6th grade sports)

All physicals should be completed before the first day of school.

Because appointments fill fast, please call your physician now to schedule your appointments.

All students will need new medication authorization forms on file before any medications can be given at school. This includes all prescription and, over the counter meds as well as all inhalers and epi-pens. These forms must be renewed yearly. If you have an appointment for a health exam, this would be a good time to have the Dr. complete this form. The form will be available at registration in July or by contacting the nurse before the end of school, or in the main office once school is out.

All 5th, 6th, 7th and 8^{th-grade} students will need a current sports physical on file **before try-outs start. If your student does not have the physical done at school on May 11th, they need to see their own physician to have this completed.**

Remember if your student has medication at school, it must be picked up by May 27th or it will be discarded unless previous arrangements have been made with the nurse. This includes inhalers and epi-pens. An adult must pick them up; the student will not be allowed to carry them home.

When you register your student this summer, please be sure all information on the pink card is complete and current. The more health information you can provide, the easier it is to help meet your student's health needs at school. If we do not have current information for emergency contact, allergies etc., it detracts from the care we can give.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these matters or any student healthcare matters, please feel free to call me at 233-1054, extension 522.

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