

Dear Parents and Guardians:

All students attending EASD 131 are required by the Illinois School Code to meet the following health requirements:

Preschool students: Require a physical exam dated within one (1) year of the first day of school in August of the current school year.

Kindergarten students: Require a physical exam dated within one (1) year of the first day of school in August of the current school year. Require a dental exam on the Illinois form dated within 18 months of May 15 of the current school year. An eye exam on the Illinois form dated within a year of the first day of school in August is due by October 15 of the current school year.

2nd Grade students: Require a dental exam on the Illinois form dated within 18 months of May 15 of the current school year.

6th Grade students: Require a physical exam dated within 1 year of the first day of school in August of the current school year. Require a dental exam on the Illinois form dated within 18 months of May 15 of the current school year. Immunizations are required including a Tdap and meningococcal vaccination. A sports physical form will **not** meet this requirement for a school physical.

9th Grade students: Require a physical exam dated within one (1) year of the first day of school in August of the current school year. Require a dental exam on the Illinois form dated within 18 months of May 15 of the current school year. A sport physical form will **not** meet this requirement for a school physical.

12th grade students: Require proof of receiving (2) Meningococcal vaccinations. The first dose received on or after the student's 11th birthday, and second dose received at least eight (8) weeks after the first. Only one dose is required if the first dose was received at 16 years of age or older.

The Illinois Certificate of Child Health form is the only accepted form and must be complete including a front and back page. **Parents must complete the yes/no questions and sign and date the form on the back page.** Immunization records must be signed and dated by the physician.

For religious exemptions: The Illinois State Religious Exemption form must be completed upon entry into Preschool, Kindergarten or 1st grade, 6th and 9th grades. It must be signed by the parent and the physician.

Please return the completed physical no later than October 15th to your child's school health office.

Jennifer Sternberg, RN BSN CSN-PEL
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