

Physical/Immunization Requirements for 2016-17 School Year

The State of Illinois requires students entering Kindergarten, 6th and 9th grades to have a complete physical exam. Unit 5 has a first day exclusion policy which means the exam and all required immunizations must be done and on file BEFORE the first day of school for the 2016-2017 school year. Students without the required exam/immunizations on file will be excluded from attending classes.

Current 5th graders may complete this requirement NOW and it will meet the requirement for next fall. Summer time slots at doctor's offices are already filling up quickly. Please consider making your child's appointment as soon as possible to ensure the exam and immunizations are completed and submitted on time.

If you choose to have the exam done this school year, please feel free to turn the completed form to Glenn. It will be put in your child's health file that will be sent to Kingsley. That will give you one less thing to worry about in the fall. Exams/immunizations completed over the summer may be turned in at the Kingsley Junior High School office. The office will have limited summer hours so please call ahead to be sure someone will be there when you arrive.

Immunizations required for 6th grade include: 3 Hepatitis B, 2 Chicken Pox, 1 Tdap, and 1 Meningococcal. The form for the physical exam is available at the website below: http://www.isbe.net/pdf/school_health/child-health-exam-form-11-15.pdf Most physicians have the forms available in their offices as well.

The State of Illinois requires students entering Kindergarten, 2nd and 6th grades to have a dental exam. The completed dental form for the 2016-2017 school year is due to the nurse's office BEFORE May 15, 2017. Most dentists have the forms in their offices and will complete them when the exam is finished.

All medications, (including cough drops containing menthol) that you would like to have administered at school MUST be accompanied by a Unit 5 medication form that is completed by a physician and parent. These forms must be renewed each school year.

Thank you for all you do to ensure your child will be in attendance the very first day!