

2023-2024 Kindergarten Student Health Forms

Dear Family,

This is the time to begin planning for your child's entry into kindergarten. These forms are required by the school district. Please take a moment to review each one. Some forms parents/legal guardians complete; some forms parents <u>and</u> a health care provider complete. You may return completed forms to the District Nurse at any time. The address is 305 E. Slifer Street, Portage.

- Student Immunization Record (yellow form, only included if vaccines are due).
 - Complete Steps 1 through 5 as it applies to your child
 - Attach WIR or clinic print out or copy of immunizations OR
 - Select a waiver if your child is not receiving the vaccines (list exactly which vaccines you are waiving, i.e., "DTaP dose 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5")
 This is due no later than October 16, 2023, or the 30th school day. (Schools must begin to send letters to those students without up-to-date immunization records on file with school on the 15th school day and again on the 25th school day.)
- Kindergarten Physical Examination form
 - <u>Parent</u> should complete the parent portion
 - <u>Healthcare Provider</u> should complete the remainder of this form based upon the 5-year-old health check-up
- Eye Doctor Exam form
 - Parent should complete the student's name, etc.
 - Optometrist or ophthalmologist should complete the remainder of this form
 - If your insurance does not cover eye exams OR you do not have insurance for eye exams, call the district nurse for free resources.

If your child will require any medication during the school day, a district form is required. Part of the form is completed by parents, and if needed, part is completed by physician or other health care provider licensed in Wisconsin. Please see the School Nursing and Health Services, Medication webpage for details and forms. Use one form for each medication. <u>http://www.portage.k12.wi.us/district/medication.cfm</u>

If you have questions or need help in locating services, please contact the District Nurse at 608/742-4879, extension 4022.

Sincerely,

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