

Voorheesville Central School District
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Health Examination Requirements 2021-2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

New York State law requirements for health examinations and in-school health screenings have changed. The new regulations require health exams for **all NEW entrants** and students **entering the following grades:**

K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 11th

- The examination must be completed by a New York State licensed physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner. *A copy of the health examination must be provided to the school within 30 days from start of the school year.* If your child has an appointment for an exam during this school year that is after the first 30 days of school, please notify the Health Office with the date.
- Completed physicals must be dated no more than 12 months prior to the start of this school year.

We suggest you make copies of the completed forms for your own records before sending them to the school health office. Forms may also be faxed to either number below.

The new screening requirements are as follows:

- Vision and hearing for new entrants within 6 months of admission and **grades K, 1, 3, 5, 7, and 11.**
- Scoliosis will be required for **girls in grades 5 and 7** and for **boys in grade 9.**

Sincerely,

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