

PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS – STUDENT

- A. It is recommended that children entering kindergarten or early childhood have a physical examination prior to starting school. In addition, students new to the District and students entering seventh grade are strongly encouraged to have a physical examination. Physical examinations shall be paid for by the child(ren)'s parent or guardian.
- B. The district is also required to request each student entering kindergarten to provide evidence that the student has had his/her eyes examined by a licensed optometrist or evaluated by a licensed physician. Districts are expected to provide such students with the state-approved Kindergarten Eye Health Examination Report.
- C. A child may be exempt from the physical examination requirement on the basis of religious conviction provided his/her parent or guardian has filed a written statement to this effect with the District.
- D. Signed physical examination forms shall be maintained in the student health files.
- E. Athletic physical examinations:
 - 1. Any student participating in interscholastic athletics shall be required to have a physical examination every other year in accordance with requirements of the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association (WIAA).
 - 2. Payment of athletic physical examinations shall be paid for by the athlete's parent or guardian.

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