



School Health Services

Kindergarten Registration Letter

Dear Kindergarten Parents/Guardians:

It is with much anticipation that we await your child's entrance into Kindergarten! Nursing services in this school district are provided by Akron Children's Hospital School Health Services. Akron Children's Hospital School Health Services is dedicated to supporting the academic success of all children and youth through health promotion, education and child advocacy.

The following forms are needed for school entry:

1. **Emergency Medical Authorization**, REQUIRED AT REGISTRATION.
2. **School Health Record** provides a student health history, completed by parent, REQUIRED AT REGISTRATION.
3. Current **Immunization Record**, completed by a healthcare provider, REQUIRED AT REGISTRATION. Please bring the record even if your child has not had the final boosters yet. We can make a copy if you have the original. State of Ohio health law requires the following immunizations for school entry:

DT/DTaP, Polio, MMR, Hepatitis B, Varicella

Please note: Immunizations must be completed within 15 days of starting school, or your child may be excluded from attendance by the principal. Immunizations can be obtained through your child's primary healthcare provider or through the:

- Portage County Health Department
(330-296-9919)

4. **Healthcare Provider Report**, completed by the doctor. Can be mailed or faxed in to the school clinic.
5. **Dentist Report**, completed by a dentist. Can be mailed or faxed in to the school clinic.
6. **Other:** _____

In addition, if your child has a medical condition that may need intervention at school, for example asthma, food allergies, medications, etc., please call us so accommodations can be arranged.

We are looking forward to a healthy school year!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Kelly Norton", written over a horizontal line.

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