

PRE-SCHOOL IMMUNIZATION NOTICE

Dear Parent/Guardian:

As stated in Kansas Statute, K.S.A. 72-5208, all students attending Kansas schools must show evidence of completing immunizations required by Kansas law prior to admission to school. A completed Kansas Certificate of Immunization (KCI) form must be signed by your child's health care provider. New students are also required to obtain a physical examination. KCI and physical forms are provided in your information packet.

Students entering preschool will need to show proof of the following vaccinations:

- **5 DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis)**
- **4 Polio**
- **2 MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)**
- **3 Hepatitis B**
- **2 Varicella (or verification of chickenpox disease)**
- **3 Hib (Haemophilus influenzae type b)**
- **4 PCV7 (Pneumococcal)**
- **2 Hepatitis A**

Because our preschool is located at Windsor Place and the children have interactions with the residents, we require that students be fully vaccinated, including the DTaP, Polio, MMR and Varicella that are recommended when a child reaches age 4. This protects both the children and the residents. Please show this letter to your healthcare provider when you receive immunizations, as these requirements may differ from other schools.

Students who do not provide evidence of immunization compliance or valid exemption for medical or religious reasons by will not be allowed to attend school until this requirement is met.

You may obtain immunizations and the physical exam from your private physician or from SEK Multi-County Health Department, 221 S. Jefferson, Iola, KS (365-2191). If you have questions or concerns regarding this law, please contact your health care provider, the health department or Jacki Chase at 365-0946.

Sincerely,

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