

HEALTH SERVICES

Students with an illness or injury may report to the nurse with permission from the teacher. The nurse will make all decisions regarding a student's health and ability to stay in school. Students may not call a parent prior to visiting the nurse.

Students requiring prescription medication, including inhalers, during school must submit a written note from the prescribing physician and the medication in the original bottle to the nurse. Over the counter medications will be administered when the medication in the original bottle and a written note from the parent is supplied to the nurse.

Elevator and two-minute passes require a doctor note and must be obtained from the nurse.

In accordance with the Public School Code, students will receive the following screenings as scheduled by the school nurse:

Grades K to 12: Height, weight and BMI

Grades K to 12: Vision

Grades K, 1,2,3,7, 11 & students with a hearing loss: Hearing

Grades K, 6 & 11: Physical Examination

Grades 1,3 & 7: Dental Examinations

Grades 6 & 7: Scoliosis Screening

A parent may request to be present during screenings. This request must be made to the nurse prior to the end of the second week of school.

A parent may decline mandated state screenings by submitting a written letter to the school nurse prior to the end of the second week of school.