

## **Immunizations and Vision Screening/Eye Examinations \*\***

### **Immunization**

As a condition of enrollment in school or within 30 days of transfer to the district, every student shall submit to the administrator proof of immunization.

Proof consists of one of the following:

1. A statement signed by a physician or a representative of the local health department that the student has received an initial immunization and prescribed reinforcing immunization against the communicable diseases pursuant to rules of the Health Division;
2. A statement signed by a physician that the physical condition of the child is such that the immunization would seriously endanger his/her health;
3. A statement signed by the parent that the student has not been immunized as described in section 1. because the student is being reared as an adherent to a religion or philosophical beliefs, the teachings of which are opposed to such immunization, and/or medical exemption;<sup>1</sup>
4. A statement signed by the parent of a child entering the school from outside the state, that they will arrange to have the necessary immunizations initiated by a physician or local health department within 30 days.

District administrators are responsible for the maintenance, review and submission of noncompliant student immunization records to the Curry County Health Department. All schools shall follow the rules prescribed by the Health Division relating to child immunizations.

### **Vision Screening/Eye Examination**

The parent of a student who is 7 years of age or younger and is beginning an education program with the district for the first time shall, within 120 days of beginning the education program, submit a certification that the student has received a vision screening or eye examination.

The certification is not required if the parent or guardian provides a statement to the district that:

1. The student submitted a certification to a prior education provider; or

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<sup>1</sup>Documentation required for exemption is outlined in ORS 433.267.

2. The vision screening or eye examination is contrary to the religious beliefs fo the student or the parents or guardian of the student.

The policy is in effect for all students not exempted for religious, philosophical beliefs or medical reasons.<sup>2</sup>

END OF POLICY

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**Legal Reference(s):**

[ORS 326.580](#)  
[ORS 433.235](#) to -433.280

[OAR 333-019-0010](#)  
[OAR 333-050-0010](#) to -0120

[OAR 581-021-0031](#)  
[OAR 581-022-0705](#)

**Cross Reference(s):**

JEC - Admissions

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