

Immunization, Physical Examination and Vision Screening/Eye Examination**

Immunization

Proof of immunization must be presented prior to the time of initial enrollment in school or within 30 days of transfer to the district. Proof consists of a signed Certificate of Immunization Status form documenting either evidence of immunization or a religious, philosophical beliefs and/or medical exemption.¹

Physical Examination

The Board recommends that all students initially enrolling in school have a physical examination. Parents will be asked to complete a district Health History form when initially enrolling their students in the district and when registering them for seventh grade.

All students participating in athletic programs are required to submit to the district a School Sports Pre-participation Examination form² prior to their initial participation in a district athletic program. The form is to be completed and signed by a parent and physician giving permission for the student to participate.

A student who is subsequently diagnosed with a significant illness or has had a major surgery is required to have a physical examination prior to further participation in extracurricular sports.

Students who continue to participate in extracurricular sports in grades 7 through 12 shall be required to complete a physical examination once every two years, thereafter.

Vision Screening or Eye Examination

The parents 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:

1. The student has received a vision screening or eye examination; and
2. Any further examination, treatments or assistance necessary.

¹Documentation requirements for exemptions are outlined in ORS 433.267.

²Form available at www.osaa.org.

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

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 326.580](#)

[ORS 336.479](#)

[ORS 433.235 to -433.280](#)

[OAR 333-019-0010](#)

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

[OAR 581-021-0031](#)

[OAR 581-021-0041](#)

[OAR 581-022-0705](#)

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