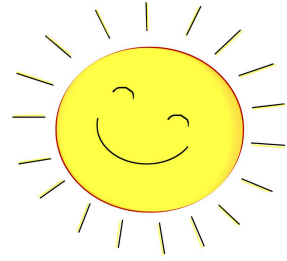


Summer Notes from Mrs. Fritz...

BACK TO SCHOOL, SUMMER TO-DO LIST



REQUIRED SCHOOL IMMUNIZATIONS:

❖ REQUIRED FOR KINDERGARTEN:

- All incoming Kindergarten Students are required to have a health physical within 12 months PRIOR TO the first day of kindergarten.
- All Kindergarten shots before the first day of kindergarten. *provide an up to date immunization record (or waiver form)
- A dental visit is strongly recommended prior to kindergarten.
 - When a mouth or tooth injury occurs at school, it is extremely difficult to get an emergency appointment with a dentist unless the child is already established.

All 7th grade students and 12th grade students are required to have additional immunizations before the first day of their 7th and 12th grade year.



**Please provide a copy of your immunization record to the school nurse after you receive these shots.*

- ❖ REQUIRED FOR 7TH GRADE: (must be received ON OR AFTER AGE 10 to count toward the 7th grade requirement)
 - Tdap vaccine
 - Meningococcal vaccine
- ❖ REQUIRED FOR 12TH GRADE: (must be received ON OR AFTER AGE 16 to count toward the 12th grade requirement)
 - Meningococcal vaccine

Places to get Vaccinations:

- ❖ Darke County Health Department: Walk-in Clinic (937)548-4196
 - Every Tuesday 8am-10:30am & 2-5pm
- ❖ Family Health (Tina, PA-C) will offer an immunization clinic at the school once every Fall and Spring, as needed
 - Contact Nurse Jodi for more information (937)996-1511 ext 1203
- ❖ Your Primary Care Provider/Physician's office
- ❖ Some pharmacies (contact your pharmacy first to determine availability)

ANNUAL SCHOOL SCREENINGS per the school nurse or other trained staff:

❖ VISION AND HEARING SCREENINGS

- All Preschool, Kindergarten, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, and 11th grade students
- Any student new to the district
- Any student with parent or teacher concern related to vision or hearing health
- Students being evaluated for additional education services

❖ SCOLIOSIS SCREENING

- All 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students

❖ BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

- 9th and 11th grade students

❖ HEAD LICE SCREENINGS

- As needed based on contact tracing

*Please contact the school nurse with any questions regarding annual screenings.

**Vision and Hearing Screenings occur in October and as needed throughout the school year.



If your child has glasses or contacts, please encourage them to wear them to school.



IS IT TIME FOR A VISION EXAM?

Here are a few symptoms that may indicate your child needs a vision exam:

- Excessive rubbing of the eyes
- Trouble reading
- Tilting the head
- Covering one of the eyes to see better

HEALTH EMERGENCY PLANS:

If your child has a medical diagnosis that may require medication or emergency care, please contact the school nurse at (937)996-1511 ext. 1203.



*During Summer hours, please email: jodi_fritz@tri-village.k12.oh.us

OTHER INFORMATION:

Guidelines for Keeping your child home from school:

<https://www.tri-village.k12.oh.us/Wellness.aspx>

Medication Information:

Permission for Over-The-Counter **Medications**, such as tylenol, ibuprofen and benadryl may be given through final forms. Other non-prescription and prescription medication permission forms are available in the office or can be found on our webpage:

<https://www.tri-village.k12.oh.us/FritzJodi1.aspx>

OR

<https://www.tri-village.k12.oh.us/FormsLinks.aspx>

Students are not permitted to carry medications on our school campus or buses. An adult must bring all medications to the school clinic. Medications must be in the container they are dispensed in.