

State of Illinois School Health Requirements

Due October 15, 2026

Pre-K (1st time entry):

Physical and immunizations.

Kindergarten:

Physical including lead testing, immunizations, dental exam, and eye exam completed by ophthalmologist/optometrist.

Grade 2:

Dental Exam.

Grade 6:

Physical, immunizations, and dental exam.

Grade 9:

Physical and dental exam.

Grade 12:

Meningococcal vaccine, given on or after the 16th birthday.

Sports Physical: A yearly sports physical is required for all athletes to participate in school sponsored athletics for grades 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12. Sports physicals are good for 395 days from the date of the physical. A school physical exam can be used in place of a sports physical. **A sports physical cannot be used as a required school physical exam.**

Dental Clinic: There is a **FREE** dental clinic held at the school by the Dewitt-Piatt Health Department each year. This is available to ALL students. This will cover the State of Illinois required school dental exam for grades K, 2, 6, and 9. Paperwork will be sent home and needs to be completed if interested.

Students new to the State of Illinois: Physical exam with Immunizations, an Illinois Eye Exam or waiver, an Illinois Dental Exam or waiver, and Updated health history form.

Note: New religious exemptions are required for: Pre-K (1st time entry), K, 6, 9, and 12.

Dental Exams are due by 5/15/27.