# **Fonda-Fultonville** CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

TO: Parents and Guardians

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RE: Immunizations & Physical Requirements

The following are required immunizations according to New York State law that every student needs prior to the start of the school year. Immunizations or immunity may be permitted a grace period to attend school for no more than 14 calendar days, or for an individual who is transferring from out of state for no more than 30 days, or by showing proof of appropriate appointments to complete immunizations. Immunization records must be signed by the health care provider according to Department of Health regulations.

Required Immunizations are as follows: 2 MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella) 4 or more DTAP's (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis) 3 Hepatitis B 3-5 Polio 2 Varicella (Chicken Pox) are required for all students Pre-Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grades, or history of the disease documented by the Health Care Provider. \*\*Your doctor's office will follow the Guidelines for Child/Adolescent Immunization Schedule. This schedule can be found on the CDC website.\*\*

https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/imz/child-adolescent.html

Pre-K needs the above and: 4 HIB 4 Pneumococcal Lead Levels (usually obtained at age 1 and 2)

6th-12th grade students need a Tdap booster (usually given between 11 & 12 years old)

<u>7th-12th grade students</u> need Meningitis immunization(s) First dose usually given between 11 & 12 years old and 2nd dose usually given at 16 years old.

New York State requires that all students that are new to the school district and all students in PreK or K,  $1^{s}$ ,  $3^{e}$ ,  $5^{h}$ ,  $7^{h}$ ,  $9^{h}$ , and  $11^{h}$  grade have a physical examination. A physical form is enclosed for the Health Care Provider to complete. Parental permission for authorization for use or disclosure of protected health information (HIPAA) is also included with the physical form. Please return these forms to the health office, as this allows the nurses to share information with others on a need to know basis. If the forms are left at the doctor's office, please have a stamped envelope with the school's address so the physical may be sent to the school nurse. Your physician may also fax the physical to (518)853-4426. (This is a private fax at the health office that only the school nurses have access to.)

If your child has a physical scheduled during the school year, please notify the Health Office with the date of the scheduled physical exam. If by October 1<sup>st</sup> we do not have knowledge of this scheduled physical when one is required, we will schedule it to be done at school.

A dental health certificate is also enclosed for your dentist/dental hygienist to complete following a dental exam. It is recommended, but not required, for all new students and those in PreK or K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, and 11th grade to have the dental certificate completed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Health Office at 853-3332, extension. 5010.

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# **District Office**

518-853-4415 Ext. 4230 Fax: 518-853-4461 Mr. Thomas Ciaccio Superintendent of Schools

# **Business Office**

518-853-3732 Ext. 4207 Fax: 518-853-3534 Mrs. Jodie Rodriquez *Business Official* 

#### **High School**

518-853-3182 Ext. 4238 Fax: 518-853-1239 Mr. Aaron Grady *Principal* 

#### Middle School

518-853-4747 Ext. 4246 Fax: 518-853-4498 Mr. David Zadoorian *Principal* 

#### Elementary School

518-853-3332 Ext. 5001 Fax: 518-853-1455 Mr. Eric Romano Principal

# **Pupil Services**

518-853-4747 Ext. 4234 Fax: 518-853-8643 Mrs. Kristine Dickson Director of SPED/Pupil *Personnel* 

#### **Student Registration**

518-853-4747 Ext. 5008 Fax: 518-853-4498 Mrs. Amy Thum Data Coordinator