REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR ATTENDING 8TH GRADE 2017-18

Please submit to the school nurse by August 1st

✅ PHYSICAL EXAM

- A physical exam is not required for 8th grade, however it is requested.
- District exam forms can be found on the PVC Nurse website.

(“Note – Modified Sports: The physical exam requirements to participate in modified sports vary by season. Information regarding modified sports health requirements can be found on the PVC Nurse website.)

✅ IMMUNIZATION RECORD

Showing proof of immunity for the following:

- 2 chicken pox (varicella)
- 1 Meningitis vaccination
- 1 Tdap vaccination
- 3 DTaP/DTP containing vaccinations
- 4 polio vaccinations (IPV) or 3 Polio vaccinations with last does after age 4
- 2 Measles, 2 Mumps and 1 Rubella vaccination (2 MMR)
- 3 Hepatitis B vaccinations

Additional information regarding immunizations can be found on the PVC Nurse website. (www.pvcschoolnurse.weebly.com).

✅ MEDICATION FORM

If your child requires any medication(s) in school, please have your child’s MD complete a Medication Administration Form (located on the PVC Nurse website).

- Provide the completed Medication Administration Form along with a pharmacy labeled bottle of the matching medication to the school nurse in August.

- A Medication Administration Form is required for both over the counter medications (such as Advil, Tylenol, cough drops, eye drops, etc.) as well as prescription medications.

- The Medication Administration Form needs to be signed and stamped by the healthcare prescriber. A parent / guardian also need to complete and sign section 1 of the form.

- The Medication Administration Form needs to be completed annually for each school year.

✅ STUDENTS WITH SEVERE ALLERGIES AND/OR SIGNIFICANT MEDICAL ISSUES

If your child has a severe allergy or a significant medical condition, please notify the school nurse and have your child’s physician complete a Medication Administration Form and an Emergency Care Plan.

- Please provide this to the nurse along with the corresponding medication in August.

- These forms can be found on the PVC Nurse website.

- The Medication Administration Form also needs to be signed by a parent.

- Emergency Care Plan forms for food allergies, bee sting allergies and seizure disorders can be found on the PVC Nurse website in the forms section.

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OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

✓ IN SCHOOL SCREENINGS

- 8th grade students are screened for scoliosis in the spring. If you have provided a recent physical examination record, dated on or after July 1\textsuperscript{st} of the current school year, indicating the scoliosis screening results, your child will not be screened in school.

✓ K12 EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

- This information is vital should your child become injured or ill during the school day.
- Parents/guardians need to login to K12 annually, to review & update emergency contact names, telephone numbers, and health information.
- Whenever emergency contact information changes (i.e. new cell phone, new job, new emergency contact or MD change, etc.) you will need to update this in K12.

✓ BMI WEIGHT STATUS CATEGORY SURVEY

- New York State surveys different schools annually for general information on weight groups to help them develop programs that make it easier for children to be healthy. No names or individual information is ever shared. Only weight group information is used for the survey.
- If you do not wish your child’s information to be included in the survey for that school year, please complete an opt-out form, which can be found on the forms section of the PVC Nurse website.

✓ DENTAL CERTIFICATE

- This certificate is requested, but not required for school. Copies of the Dental Health Certificate can be located on the forms section of the PVC Nurse’s website.
- If you would like to submit a copy of your child’s dental records, please have your child’s dentist complete a Dental Health Certificate and return it to the school nurse. Dental Health Certificate Forms can be found on the forms section of the PVC Nurse website.