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Dear Parent / Guardian:

Illinois School Code requires that all incoming ninth graders have a physical examination prior to their freshman year of high school. Students are required to provide proof of immunization for:

- Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis (Dtap, DTP, Tdap)
- Polio • Hepatitis B • Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR)
- Varicella (unless proof of having disease)
- Meningococcal (MCV4)

All Illinois immunization requirements can be accessed at: <http://www.idph.state.il.us/about/shots.htm>

The student's original freshman physicals are kept on file in the Health Office and can be used for athletic participation. The original freshman physical examination must be completed on the Illinois Department of Human Services' Certificate of Child Health Examination form and turned in during registration or your student will not be allowed to begin the school year. A copy of this form is attached and can also be located on the school's website at www.zbths.org.

A sports physical form does NOT qualify as a freshman physical and will NOT be accepted as such. If your student is participating in high school athletics prior to your completing on-line registration, please be sure to provide the Athletic Office with a copy of your student's physical examination.

Please note the following on your student's State of Illinois Physical Examination form:

1. Health history must be completed, signed and dated by the parent or guardian.
2. Immunization section must be completed, signed and dated by a doctor or the Health Department.
3. The physical section must be completed, signed and dated by a doctor.

If you have any questions, please call 847-731-9336.

Sincerely,

Steve Richter
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