



# Community Unit School District 200

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## HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Dear Parent/Guardian:

### Physical Examination Requirements

The Illinois school code requires that students entering school for the first time (**early childhood, kindergarten, or first grades**), students entering **kindergarten, sixth and ninth grades, and transfer students** must submit evidence of a physical examination and a complete record of immunizations.

- **The completed physical examination and record of immunization form is expected at the school health office upon enrollment/ registration and required by the first day of student attendance.**
- **Appointment dates for obtaining a physical exam do not meet the school requirement.**
- Physical examinations must be done by a licensed physician, advanced practice nurse or examining physician assistant.
- Physical examinations must be dated within twelve months **prior** to the first day of school.
- Only the State of Illinois Department of Human Services Certificate of Child Health Examination form will be accepted.
- For safety considerations, students may not be allowed to participate in physical education classes until the required physical form is on file in the school office.
- Medical objections to any physical examination or immunization must be submitted in writing by a physician and must contain required information.
- Religious objections to any physical examination or immunization must be submitted on the Illinois Department of Public Health's Certificate of Religious Exemption form and must contain the required information and be signed by a parent/guardian and physician.

### STUDENTS WHO DO NOT MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS

**WILL BE EXCLUDED AND WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ATTEND SCHOOL PER DISTRICT POLICY.**

### Immunization Requirements

Immunization records must show proof of immunization against diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, measles, mumps, rubella, polio and chicken pox.

- **Early childhood students** are also required to have the haemophilus influenzae and pneumococcal vaccine.
- **Early childhood and sixth grade through high school** students are also required to have the hepatitis B vaccine..
- **Sixth grade thru twelfth grade** are required to have the Tdap vaccine.
- **Sixth grade and twelfth grade** are required to have the meningococcal vaccine.

### Dental Examination Requirements

Students in **kindergarten, second, sixth and ninth** grades must submit evidence of a dental examination by May 15<sup>th</sup> of that school year. Dental exams must be completed within 18 months prior to May 15<sup>th</sup>.

### Vision Examination Requirements

Students entering Illinois schools for the 1<sup>st</sup> time (**kindergarten or transfer**) must submit evidence of a vision exam.

All required health forms are available at the school office or [www.cusd200.org](http://www.cusd200.org). The school nurse may be able to provide resources for obtaining health requirements.

**STATE AND CUSD 200  
MEDICAL/DENTAL/VISION REQUIREMENTS BY GRADE**

	<b>EC</b>	<b>Kdg</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>6th</b>	<b>9th</b>	<b>12th</b>
<b>Physical Exam</b>	Due prior to the first day of attendance	Due prior to the first day of attendance		Due prior to the first day of attendance	Due prior to the first day of attendance	
*Note: Diabetic and Lead screening are required. Parent must complete and sign Health History portion. A TB test is recommended for Early Childhood students.						
<b>Dental Exam</b>	Recommended but not required	Required	Required	Required	Required	
<b>Vision Exam</b>		Required	Required for transfer students new to Illinois			
<b>IMMUNIZATIONS</b>						
<b>Diphtheria/ Tetanus/ Pertussis (DTP/DTaP)</b>	4 doses (4 <sup>th</sup> dose must be 6 mos or more after 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose)	4 or more doses with last dose after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday				
<b>Tetanus/ Diphtheria /Pertussis (Tdap)</b>			1 dose required for students in grades six thru twelve (if not already received after age 10)			
<b>Polio (IPV/OPV)</b>	3 doses administered at proper intervals	4 or more doses with last dose after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday				
<b>Varicella</b>	1 dose required after the age of 12 months	2 doses administered at proper intervals				
<b>Hepatitis B</b>	3 doses administered at proper intervals	3 doses administered at proper intervals (if not already received.)				
<b>Measles/Mumps/ Rubella (MMR)</b>	1 dose after the age of 12 months	2 doses of MMR or measles, mumps rubella live vaccines administered at proper intervals.				
<b>Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (Hib)</b>	Primary series and booster administered at proper intervals or 1 dose after 15 months					
<b>Pneumococcal</b>	Primary series or a single dose between 24-59 months of age.					
<b>Meningococcal (MCV)</b>				1 dose required for students in sixth grade.		2nd dose or initial dose required after 16th birthday.