

SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY
HEALTH EDUCATION SERVICES
PHONE 754-321-2272

Dear Parent/Guardian,

This year the school district will be performing the following health screenings on students:

Vision – Kindergarten, first, third and sixth grades

Hearing – Kindergarten, first and sixth grades

***Body Mass Index (BMI)** – First, third and sixth grades

Scoliosis – Sixth grade

If your child is tested and the results are not in the “normal” range for the particular test, you will be notified by letter. If you receive one of those letters, it is recommended that you take your child to a doctor or healthcare provider for an evaluation.

If you want your child to participate in the screenings for his/her grade, no action is required. If you **DO NOT** want your child to participate in any or all of the screenings, please complete the bottom portion of this letter and return it to your child’s school. Screenings are not for diagnostic purposes.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Health Education Services at 754-321-2272.

*BMI determines whether a student is within a normal growth pattern, overweight, at risk for overweight, or underweight.

Student’s Name _____ Date of Birth _____

School _____ Grade _____

I **DO NOT** WISH TO HAVE MY CHILD PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLLOWING SCREENINGS:

(Check the ones that apply)

VISION _____

BMI _____

HEARING _____

SCOLIOSIS _____

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date