

# The Oakland Public Schools

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## **Physical Examination Form Incoming Kindergarten and Grade 1 Students**

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Under New Jersey State law, every student must be examined by a physician upon enrollment in school and the examination report must be entered on the student’s cumulative health record. The Oakland Board of Education requires that if you are enrolling your child in school for the first time that you provide a current Physical Examination Form showing an examination that was conducted within one year prior to September 2021. If your child previously attended school in a different district, that district should forward the documentation of your child’s examination to our school office.

If you have a religious objection to the required physical examination for your child, you are permitted under State law to submit a signed statement to that effect. Your child may still be required to undergo an examination to the extent necessary to determine whether he or she carries a communicable disease and whether he or she is fit to participate in physical education activities.

Your child’s Physical Examination Form and required immunization information should be submitted to the school office by April 30, 2021.

If you would like to discuss any critical health issues, please feel free to contact your school’s Health Office to discuss these issues with the School Nurse.

Thank you. We look forward to welcoming your child to school in September.

Educationally yours,

*Dr. Gina M. Coffaro*

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Immunization information submitted by April 30, 2021

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