

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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In accordance with the California Education Code (EC) Section 49455, student vision and hearing screening will be provided at school entry Transitional Kindergarten/Kindergarten, two, five, and eighth grades and to all students enrolled in special education as required for their Individualized Education Plan. Additionally, vision/hearing screening may be provided to any student who exhibits signs and symptoms of eye or vision problems and/or hearing problems. Parents may opt their child out of any non-emergency, required screenings, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, including hearing or vision screenings, or any physical examination or screening permitted or required under state law. Parents have the right to have their child's vision and hearing tested outside of school (at the parent's expense) to meet the state law requirement.

Note: If a parent does not turn in any type of outside examination results or a written request refusing to have their child undergo non-emergency screenings (such as vision and hearing screenings), the child will be screened during the mandated screening process per EC Section 49455.

Please contact TUSD Health Services with any further questions at (209)830-3241.

Sincerely,

TUSD Health Services