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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The 2020-2021 school year is fast approaching. As you are aware, our school nurses are an integral part of the daily practices of each building in order to ensure the health and safety of our students. Because we will be limiting visitors in our buildings this fall, Nurse's Office procedures for this upcoming year will be different. Please take note of the changes and reminders below.

IMMUNIZATIONS

New York State Law Section 2164 requires certain immunizations to attend school. Please check with your health care provider as soon as possible to make sure that your child has all of the required immunizations. All immunization records must be up to date prior to the start of school on Thursday, September 8, 2020. Please refer to the chart found at <https://www.health.ny.gov/publications/2370.pdf> for the 2020-21 School Year New York State Immunization Requirements (according to grade level) for School Entrance/Attendance.

New Procedures

For the 2020-2021 school year, the school nurses will be in the school buildings starting on Tuesday, September 1st until Friday September 4, 2020 during normal operating hours. It is at this time that parents can go to the school building to drop off medication orders, update immunization and physical exam records, and to discuss medical concerns with the nurses. If you only need to drop off updated records, please feel free to mail, fax, or bring them to the school prior to these dates. Typically, many of these tasks are done during the first week of school - this will no longer be the case. We are asking that parents/guardians who need to accomplish one of the above tasks choose a day and time that is convenient for them within the parameters above. No appointment is necessary. Please note: When visiting your child's building, you are required to wear an appropriate face covering and/or mask and social distancing must be observed. If you are not feeling well or exhibiting any COVID-19 related symptoms, please refrain from coming to the building. Health and safety is the responsibility of all. If your child has a significant medical concern that you would like to discuss prior to these dates, please email your school nurse directly. Contact information below:

Connetquot Elementary School Nurse - Tamara Hoina at 631 581- 1300 or email at thoina@eischools.org

East Islip High School Nurses- Debbie Siebert/Jan Rucky at 631-224-2006 option 4 or email at dsiebert@eischools.org or jrucky@eischools.org

East Islip Middle School Nurses-Kathleen Franceschina/Sue Weber at 631-224-2008 option 4 or email at kfrances@eischools.org or sue.weber@eischools.org

Ruth C. Kinney Elementary School Nurse- Dayna Norton at 631-224-2007 option 4 or email at dayna.norton@eischools.org

John F. Kennedy Elementary School Nurse-Lauren Larkin at 631-224-2003 option 4 or email at lauren.larkin@eischools.org

Timber Point Elementary School Nurse-Colleen Barnes at 631-224-2004 option 4 or email at cbarnes@eischools.org

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