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Director of Student Services

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Incoming 6th Grade Students,

I am writing to notify you of an immunization requirement for your child. The New York State Department of Health requires that all students entering grade 6 need to provide proof that they have received a Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis (Tdap) booster.

Please contact your child's physician to <u>arrange for this immunization and obtain written</u> <u>documentation</u> to bring to school.

Acceptable documentation is:

- A copy of your child's immunization record from your child's health care provider; or
- A note from your child's health care provider indicating that your child has received the vaccine; or
- If your son or daughter will not be eleven (11) years old by the start of school,
 September 6, 2011, a note from your child's health care provider indicating that he/she will be receiving the vaccine on or after his/her eleventh (11th) birthday.

If your child has received the Tdap booster already or will receive it prior to the end of school, please obtain documentation from your child's physician and send it to your school nurse.

Documentation received after the close of school in June should be sent to the nurse at your child's middle school.

Thank you,

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<u>Building</u>	Phone #	Fax #	<u>Nurse</u>
Allen Creek School	267-1240	381-9217	Kathy McMahon
Jefferson Road School	267-1340	218-1339	Cindy Chambers
Mendon Center School	267-1440	267-1441	Sue Weiner & Meredith Hurley
Park Road School	267-1540	218-1550	Jill Richards
Thornell Road School	267-1740	218-1741	Teresa Lattuca