

Thompson Falls School District

STUDENTS

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Student Health/Physical Screenings/Examinations

The Board may arrange each year for health services to be provided to all students. Such services may include but not be limited to:

1. Development of procedures at each building for isolation and temporary care of students who become ill during the school day;
2. Consulting services of a qualified specialist for staff, students, and parents;
3. Vision and hearing screening;
4. Scoliosis screening;
5. Immunization as provided by the Department of Public Health and Human Services.

Parents will receive written notice of any physical or mental health screening result.

Parents or eligible students will be given the opportunity to opt out of physical or mental health screenings. Further, parents will be notified of the specific or approximate dates during the school year when a physical or mental health screening administered by the District will be conducted.

Students who wish to participate in certain extracurricular activities may be required to submit to a physical examination to verify their ability to participate in the activity.

All parents will be notified of the requirements of the District's policy on physical examinations and screening of students, at least annually at the beginning of the school year and within a reasonable period of time after any substantive change in the policy.

Legal Reference:	§ 20-3-324(20), MCA	Powers and duties
	§ 40-6-701, MCA	Interference with Fundamental Parental Rights Restricted – Cause of Action
	20 U.S.C. 1232h(b)	General Provisions Concerning Education

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