



## St Rose School

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I hope that this letter finds you and your family well. Each spring, the Health Office sends a letter to Kindergarten parents to remind them of the State of CT requirement that students have a physical exam and updated immunizations before entering kindergarten. This year our reminder has been delayed, knowing that many of you have had limited access to well-child care during the COVID-19 lockdown.

Our local pediatricians tell us that they are working hard to continue to safely provide needed immunizations and required physicals. Current health and immunization information will be more important than ever in keeping our children and community safe as we go forward. With these things in mind, we are asking that parents submit a current physical for their students to the nurse's office before the start of school. Any physical completed after August 2019 is acceptable as long as all immunizations are up to date.

[https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/School-Nursing/Forms/Immunization\\_Requirements.pdf](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/School-Nursing/Forms/Immunization_Requirements.pdf)

If your child has already had a physical dated after August 2019, we would appreciate it if you would forward it to the school nurse as soon as possible. Physicals should be recorded on the State of CT Early Childhood Health Assessment Record form. This form is available here:

[https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/School-Nursing/Forms/HAR3\\_2018.pdf?la=en](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/School-Nursing/Forms/HAR3_2018.pdf?la=en)

If your child has not had a physical since August 2019, please call your health care provider for guidance on scheduling a well-child visit for a physical exam and any needed immunizations. Completed physicals should be emailed, faxed, or mailed to the school nurse:

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Health Office  
40 Church Hill Road  
Newtown, CT 06470  
nurse@srles.com  
Fax: 203-426-5374

We realize that there are still many unknowns about school reentry. We will need everyone's help as we plan for the health and safety of the whole community. Thank you in advance for working with us to meet that goal.

Stay Safe, Save Well,  
Bonnie Nezvesky, RN