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IMPORTANT IMMUNIZATION NOTICE

Dear Parents and Guardians of **Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students**,

Starting with the 2010-2011 school year, the State of Indiana Department of Health has added the following immunization requirements to be completed by the first day of school:

Pre-Kindergarten Students:

***2 doses** of Varicella (chickenpox) vaccine received **on or after their first birthday and separated by 3 months** or a history of chickenpox (previous requirement was one dose)

Kindergarten Students:

***2 doses** of Varicella (chickenpox) vaccine **on or after their first birthday and separated by 3 months** or a history of chickenpox (previous requirement was 1 dose, now 2 are required for all)

***1 booster dose** of Polio vaccine **on or after their 4th birthday and at least 6 months after the previous dose** (this will make 4 total vaccinations for most children)

Proof of these immunizations will be required on registration day for the 2010-2011 school year. It is very important for the health of all our ISD students that they are immunized in compliance with state requirements.

These required immunizations can be obtained from your family doctor or local Health Department. If you have any questions, please contact the ISD Health Center.

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