

WALLINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Health Service Department

Dear Parent or Guardian,

The State of Connecticut requires schools to perform mandated screening. The screenings are:

- Vision screening of students in grades K, 1, 3,4,5
- Hearing screening of all students in K,1,3,4,5
- Postural screening of students in grades 5, 7 girls and grade 9 boys

Parents or guardians will be informed in writing of any abnormality that is discovered at the time of screening. If a student for some reason does not participate in screening without being excused, the school nurse will provide notification to parents or guardians of the reason the student did not receive the screening.

A student may be excused from any screening if they have this exam performed by their private physician. If your child will have the exam performed by a private physician, please notify the school nurse by September 10th.

Please contact the school nurse if you have any questions regarding any of the required screenings.

Sincerely,

Carlos R. Valentin, MD
School Medical Advisor