

July 8, 2011

Attention Parents,

ALL NEW STUDENTS, KINDERGARTENERS, AND 6TH GRADERS FOR THE 2011 – 2012 SCHOOL YEAR, ARE REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO HAVE A CURRENT AND COMPLETE HEALTH FORM ON FILE IN THE SCHOOL.

Forms based on physical exams from September 2010 or later are valid.

For health forms to be complete, the following **MUST** be included:

- ✓ **Immunizations** – Please make sure your child has received the required vaccines; DPT, POLIO, Hib, MMR, Hep B, and VARICELLA (chicken pox). If your child has had the chicken pox please ask the doctor to note that on the form (there is a special line on side one for this).
- ✓ **Lead test** – All children who live in the city of Chicago between the ages of 1-6 are **REQUIRED** to have a blood test for lead. Please ask the doctor to report the result on the health form.
- ✓ **Diabetes screening** – a diabetes screening (a couple of questions, not a blood test) based on the child's BMI is required.
- ✓ **Child's history** – the Child's history section at the **TOP OF SIDE 2** is for the PARENT to fill out and SIGN.

PLEASE MAKE A COPY OF THE FORM TO KEEP IN YOUR FILES in case it gets lost in transit. Most doctors now charge \$10-20 to redo this form.

**COMPLETED FORMS ARE DUE BACK IN THE OFFICE
NO LATER THAN August 1st, 2011**

Forms are available on the school website – www.ariecrown.org.

IMPORTANT NOTE: If your child has an appointment scheduled for August or September 2011 **PLEASE RETURN THE ENCLOSED EXTENSION FORM WITH THE DATE OF THE APPOINTMENT** to get a deadline extension.

Sincerely,

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