

CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS HEALTH SERVICES

FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

- All **first** and **fourth** grade students will have their height, weight and BMI measured. The process will begin February 22. Parents who do not wish to have this screening done should submit a written request to my attention by February 10. Thank you.
- All **fifth** grade students will be screened for scoliosis on Friday March 5. Students will watch a video, to be prepared for the screening, in wellness class the week before. If you have any questions, please call me. Thank you.
- **Third** grade students are required to have a physical exam prior to entrance into fourth grade. The date of the physical must be after Sept 2009. Please plan accordingly.
- A reminder to parents not to send any medications to school with students. Medications should be delivered to the school nurse in a pharmacy labeled container.
- Please return the physician/provider reports if your child was referred for vision or hearing testing
- All students are expected to have a complete immunization record on file in the health office

Please call me if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Thornton

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