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School Year

Dear Parents:

Kindergarten is one of the most important grades in your child's schooling. The formal education of reading and writing begins at this level. Healthy eyes and good vision are essential for success in school.

Since academic learning is 80% visual and vision problems are best detected and treated early, an **eye examination by an optometrist or ophthalmologist is required for every child entering kindergarten (or first grade)**

Please ask your eye doctor to complete the attached Vision First *Student Comprehensive Eye and Vision Examination Report*. Vision screening is *not a substitute* for an eye examination by an eye doctor.

A completed Vision First report will assist your child's teacher in providing an excellent educational program for your child and will allow us to maintain the records in your child's health folder. Please **return a copy to our office by**

If you have any questions or if you need further information, please contact us at the number listed below. Thank you for your cooperation in helping your child to receive the best start possible for a lifetime of learning.

Sincerely,

*Kindergarten Required Examination Letter with  
Student Comprehensive Eye and Vision Examination Report  
and optional Reference Page and/or fact sheet choice*

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