Annual Notice to Parents/Guardians about Annual Vision Screening in Select Grades

In accordance with the California Education Code (EC) Section 49455, student vision screening will be provided at school entry Transitional Kindergarten/Kindergarten, two, five, and eighth grades and to all students enrolled in special education as required for their Individualized Education Plan. Additionally, vision screening may be provided to any student who exhibits signs and symptoms of eye or vision problems. Parents may opt their child out of any non-emergency, invasive physical examination or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, including hearing or vision screenings, or any physical examination or screening permitted or required under state law. Parents have the right to have their child's vision tested outside of school (at the parent's expense) to meet the state law requirement.

** This language will be added to the 23-24 Student/Parent Handbook, Annual Notification section, if approved by the board.