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Dear Parents of Children Entering Kindergarten in 2017,

Before your child enters kindergarten this Fall, please be aware that the Wisconsin Immunization Law requires 4 doses of DTP/DTAP/DT (**one dose is required after the 4th birthday**), 4 doses of Polio, 3 doses of Hepatitis B, 2 doses of MMR and 2 doses of Varicella vaccine. Waivers are available for religious, health and personal conviction reasons. See the enclosed immunization letter from the Sheboygan County Public Health for more details on the immunization requirements.

If your child requires medication at school, a Medication Authorization Form needs to be completed. This form is available on the district website at www.oostburg.k12.wi.us or in the school office. Over the counter medications require a parent's signature. Prescribed medications require a parent's signature **and** a physician's signature. Herbal medications and supplements are not allowed at school. Students are not allowed to carry medication on their person, unless the physician explicitly states it is okay in writing.

Lastly, there is information on when to keep a sick child home. This is very important information as we have several students in the District that are at high risk for becoming ill due to a lowered immune system. For these children even a simple cold or flu virus could make them seriously ill. Please keep this in mind when your child(ren) are sick and keep them home for 24 hours **AFTER** their symptoms resolve. This is also important to prevent the spread of influenza.