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Green Brook School District
Student Registration
School Health Guidelines

Green Brook
Middle School
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Two factors greatly influence a student's success in school. They are health status and regular school attendance. The guidelines will help you reach his/her fullest potential in the school environment.

I. Illness/Injury:

- ❖ **Report to the school nurse** any of the following:

1. serious illness or communicable disease: i.e.

Strep throat	Mononucleosis	Impetigo
Chicken pox	Tuberculosis	Molluscum contagiosum
Hand/ foot and mouth disease	Conjunctivitis/ pink eye	Weeping rashes
Whooping or 100 Day Cough	Fifth's Disease	

2. trauma or injury (fracture, broken bone, sprain, etc.)

3. surgery or hospitalization.

- ❖ **Students experiencing a fever** (100 degrees °F or higher) should remain home until fever-free for 24 hours. Students placed on **antibiotics** should not return to school until after a minimum of 24 hours of treatment and they are feeling well enough to function within the school environment.

- ❖ **DO NOT SEND A CHILD TO SCHOOL IF HE/SHE IS EXPERIENCING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING within the last 24 hours:**

Fever	Strep. or Sore throat	Reddened eyes/itchy/ pink eye
Vomiting	Frequent cough	Earache
Diarrhea	Unexplained rash	Communicable disease

- ❖ **Special care instances** such as assisted mobility devices (crutches, cast, and splint), gym exclusion or other restrictions due to illness or injury require written instructions from your healthcare provider. Water bottles are not allowed in the middle school unless you have a serious medical problem, and have a physician's note stating the diagnosis and length of time the water bottle is required.
- ❖ **Extended absences** (more than 10 continuous school days) for an illness or injury may qualify your child for home instruction. Contact the school nurse for arrangements.

II. Absences: All absences must be reported daily to the school by 9:30 am.

- ❖ **To report an absence call:**

GBMS	732-968-1051	Line # 2	Ms. C. Seracka
IEF	732-968-1052	Line # 2	Ms. P. Ostrander

Answering machines are available 24 hours a day for absence phone lines.

- ❖ **If homework/class work** is requested, please indicate whether it will be picked up at the main office at dismissal or should be sent home with another student.
- ❖ **A healthcare provider note** is required for any absence of 3 days or more.
- ❖ **Scheduled personal absences** require a note before the absence and a phone call to the attendance line.

II. General information:

- ❖ **Student height and weight** are recorded yearly.
- ❖ **Vision, hearing and scoliosis screenings** are performed according to current state guidelines.
- ❖ **Head lice examinations** are done on an as needed basis.
- ❖ **Physical and dental exams** are required for all students entering the school district.
- ❖ **Sport physicals** are required for students' trying-out for any interscholastic or intramural team or sport. See the GBMS nurse for state required forms. Physician's office forms are not acceptable.