

Dear 2nd Grade Parents/Guardians:

This letter is to inform you that Pennoyer and the State of Illinois require 2nd grade students to have a comprehensive dental exam dated no later than May 15th of the current school year. To ensure compliance, we can accept dental exams that are dated within 18 months of the first day of attendance as well.

Dental neglect can lead to loss of teeth, and difficult chewing and eating capability. Widespread body infection develops from dental decay, with involvement of the brain, heart, kidneys, bladder, pancreas, and other areas of the body.

Please take a moment to schedule your child for this examination if you have not already done so. If your family fails to present proof of a dental exam by May 15, 2022 Pennoyer and your child will be considered non-compliant with the State. We can accept the following forms to establish compliance.

- A. Proof of dental examination form
- B. Dental examination waiver form
- C. Proof of a scheduled dental examination will take place within 60 days after May 15th

Pennoyer reserves the right to withhold report cards for families that do not provide proof of exam before the deadline. If you feel that you will have difficulty, we have programs that can help with exams during the school day/school year. Families that qualify may also turn in a dental exam waiver form.

Sincerely,



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