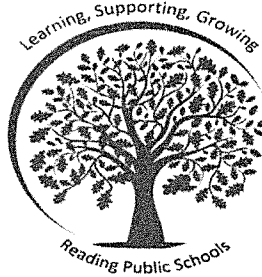


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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The **Massachusetts State Mandated Postural Screening** program is conducted annually in grades 5-9. We will be conducting our screenings this year during Physical Education classes.

In choosing to participate in this screening, girls should wear a sports bra or low back bathing suit on the day of screening. This type of clothing permits more accurate observation of the back. Boys will be asked to remove their shirts.

If you choose not to have your child screened at school, the state mandated postural screening program **requires** that we have a current statement of screening from your child's physician including the progress and or treatment of your child if needed.

If you **DO NOT** want your children screened at school, please OPT OUT below on this form and return it to school.

Please reach out to me with any questions.

Thank you,

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Postural screening **OPT OUT: current Physician documented Postural Screening attached**

Student Name _____ Grade _____

I **DO NOT** want my child screened at school:

Parent Name (print, then sign below) _____

X

Parent/Guardian