To: Parents and Guardians,
From: School Nurse

RE: Dental Examination Reminder

The Pennsylvania School Health Law requires all students upon entering school, (Kindergarten or grade 1) and in the third and seventh grades to have a dental examination.

Parents are urged to have these examinations done by their family dentist because they have a better knowledge of the child’s oral health and are in the best position to recommend immediate steps for any necessary remedial care. Examinations done within one year prior to the opening of school and recorded on this form will be accepted as the required examination for this school year.

While healthy kids are the goal of this effort, the amount of state reimbursement to school districts depends on the completion and documentation of required dental exams. In an effort to assure maximum reimbursement, please make every effort to get this information to your school nurse.

Students in these grades not receiving a private examination will have an opportunity to be visually examined by the school dentist in the spring. These examinations do not include any treatment.

Thank you for your prompt attention in this matter.

Child’s Name ______________________________________ __ Grade ____________

Last    First   M.

DENTIST MUST SIGN THIS SECTION:

The above child visited my office on ______________________

Date

All dental corrections had been made ______________________

No corrections were necessary ______________________

This child is currently under care ______________________

This child is in need of care ______________________

DENTIST’S SIGNATURE ______________________

DENTIST PHONE NUMBER ______________________