

# Jackson Local Schools

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## Vision & Hearing Screening Waiver

In accordance with Ohio law, schools are required to screen students for vision and hearing deficits. Distance vision and hearing screenings are performed for all students in grades kindergarten, first, third, fifth, seventh, ninth, and eleventh. These screenings are also performed for all new students to the district.

This year, due to COVID-19, some families have chosen to educate their children in a virtual setting (eLearning). As such, these students are not physically in the school building to obtain these mandated screenings. Since school districts are still required to account for these students; guardians of eLearners must choose to either sign the waiver below or provide documentation of a recent vision and hearing exam from the child's primary care provider.

If you have any questions or concerns, please direct them to the appropriate building nurse:

### Jackson High School

Lori Fisher, RN, BSN, MSN  
330-834-4653  
laf2jc@jackson.sparcc.org

### Jackson Memorial Middle School

Carrie Anne Shoop, RN, BSN, MSN  
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### Lake Cable Elementary

Jackie Callahan, RN, BSN  
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### Amherst Elementary

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### Sauder Elementary School

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### Strausser Elementary

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## **Please return waiver or corresponding documentation to the designated building nurse**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Building: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, request that he/she be exempt from the state mandated annual school vision and hearing screening/monitoring for the current school year. I understand that **this waiver to exclude my child is for the current school year** and in the future, my child's vision and hearing may be screened/monitored as mandated by the Ohio Department of Health guidelines for school vision and hearing screenings. I understand that by choosing to exempt my child from the district vision and hearing screening/monitoring, I cannot hold the district liable in any way for any undetected changes in vision/vision health, changes in hearing/auditory health, or for any related services/accommodations that he/she may not receive due to any unidentified changes in vision/vision health or hearing/auditory health.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian

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