



## Columbus City Schools Health, Family and Community Services

As part of the School Health Services of Columbus City Schools, and in fulfillment of Ohio Law 3313.69, school nurses conduct periodic student health screenings. The State of Ohio mandates that screenings include: height, weight, vision, hearing and dental. The school nurses perform various screenings in kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grades and students new to the school district.

In addition to state mandated screenings, children in kindergarten, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grades and students new to the school district will have their Body Mass Index (BMI) calculated using their height and weight. BMI is a screening tool designed to track children's growth and development.

Parents/Guardians will receive the results of all screening. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's health screening, contact the school nurse at 365-5506.