

Vision and Hearing Screening

Colorado State Law mandates a vision and hearing screening annually.

Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, and 9 are screened. In addition all students in learning services, new to the district or referred by teachers are screened.

If your child requires any further evaluations you will receive a letter from the Health Office with instructions.

Parents/guardians have the right to remove their student from screenings. Please contact the health Office in person or email dnelson@lotusschool.org or cbranom@lotusschool.org with a statement requesting that you do not want your child to be screened. This will need to be done annually.

C.R.S. 22-1-116

COLORADO REVISED STATUTES

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TITLE 22. EDUCATION GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE ARTICLE 1.GENERAL PROVISIONS

C.R.S. 22-1-116 (2013)

22-1-116. School children - sight and hearing tests

The sight and hearing of all children in the kindergarten, first, second, third, fifth, seventh, and ninth grades, or children in comparable age groups referred for testing, shall be tested during the school year by the teacher, principal, or other qualified person authorized by the school district. Each school in the district shall make a record of all sight and hearing tests given during the school year and record the individual results of each test on each child's records. The parents or guardian shall be informed when a deficiency is found. The provisions of this section shall not apply to any child whose parent or guardian objects on religious or personal grounds.

HISTORY: Source: L. 09: p. 490, § 1.C.L. § 8506.CSA: C. 146, § 304.CRS 53: § 123-21-16. C.R.S. 1963: § 123-21-16.L. 81: Entire section amended, p. 1052, § 1, effective May 18.