

New Student Registration Packet

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CENTRAL REGISTRAR CHECKLIST

Proof of Residency is <u>required before a student will be registered</u>. (Post Office Box is not acceptable).

| Parent/Guardian Form of Identification: ☐ Driver's License ☐ State or Government Issued ID ☐ Passport | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Proof of Residency: TWO FROM LIST A: ☐ Lease Agreement ☐ Mortgage Statement ☐ Signed Rent Receipt ☐ Utility Bill (NYSERDA) ☐ Landline Phone Bill | | | | | | | | |
| OR ONE FROM LIST A + ONE LIST B: ☐ Recent Paystub ☐ Driver's License ☐ State or Gov't Issued ID☐ Passport ☐ Current Income Tax Form ☐ Voter Registration Documents ☐ Documents Issued by federal/state/local agencies ☐ Car/Home/Renter Insurance Documents ☐ Bank/Loan Statements | | | | | | | | |
| OR IF LIST A does not apply (2) LIST B + OTHER: Notarized statement by third party establishing physical presence of parent/guardian in the school district (i.e. landlord, owner or tenant leased from or live with). | | | | | | | | |
| Documents must be from the past 30 days | | | | | | | | |
| Determination of Student Age: | | | | | | | | |
| \square Original Birth Certificate \square Baptismal Record \square Passport \square Driver's License (student) | | | | | | | | |
| \square State or other government issued ID \square Consulate identification Card \square Hospital or Health Records | | | | | | | | |
| \square Military Dependent Identification Card \square Court orders or other court issued documents with DOB | | | | | | | | |
| \square Native American Tribal Documents \square Records from non-profit international aid agencies and voluntary agencies | | | | | | | | |
| Health Records: School Records: | | | | | | | | |
| To Be Completed by Parent/Guardian □ ○ Medical History Form □ ○ Health Information Release Form To Be Completed by Health Care Professional □ ○ Health Certificate/Appraisal Form □ ○ Authorization to Administer Medication (if applicable)* □ ○ Dental Health Certificate □ ○ Immunization Records** ** (Proof of up to date immunizations per NYSED requirements. Temporary enrollment will be considered as needed; parents will be given 14 days upon date of registration to supply school with documents, pending administrative approval.) Authorization to Request Release of Records □ ○ Report Card/ Transcript * □ ○ Current Schedule (MS/HS)* □ ○ Lab grades for Science Courses (HS)* Other Required Paperwork: □ ○ Student Registration Form □ ○ Teacher Data Sheet □ ○ Residency Questionnaire □ ○ Home Language Questionnaire | | | | | | | | |
| Divorce and/or Custodial / Guardianship/Foster Child Documentation: Individual's attempting to enroll a student must be listed on the child's birth certificate as the natural parent or must provide court documentation proving legal custody. When parents reside in different school districts the child must attend the school in the district of the parent with whom the child lives for a majority of the time, unless court order specifies otherwise. If parents split time equally, parents are given school of choice. Custodial paperwork is not required only when both natural parents reside in the same household and are both listed on registration paperwork OR if a natural parent is not listed on the child's original birth certificate. | | | | | | | | |
| □ • Copy of the most recent divorce decree and/or custodial/visitation paperwork issued by the court | | | | | | | | |
| □ • Copy of official Guardianship Paperwork or Foster Placement | | | | | | | | |
| No Official Custody Agreement (both natural parents are not involved) – Affidavit of custodial parent voluntarily relinquishing the role of non-custodial parent, other parent receives copies of school correspondence but has no input on day-to-day. | | | | | | | | |
| Special Education Services: | | | | | | | | |
| Most recent IEP (Individualized Education Program) developed by previous school. Most recent 504 Education Plan developed by previous school. | | | | | | | | |



Forms to Return to School

Completed by Parent/
Guardian

MECHANICVILLE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM

| Student Name: | | Student #: | Grade: | | | | | |
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| Physical Address: Date of Birth: Gender: Street | | | | | | | | |
| City, State, Zip | | County of Residence: | | | | | | |
| Mailing Address: If other than above (ex. PO Boxes) Street, City, Zip | | Home Phone | # | | | | | |
| Special Accommodations: (please check one) ☐ Student does not have any Special Accommodations ☐ Special Education Classification ☐ Section 504 Classification ☐ Hispanic/Latino: ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | | | | |
| Has your child(ren) ever attended Mechanicville City School District in the past? ☐ Yes ☐ No LIST BOTH LEGAL PARENTS AND/OR GUARDIANS***(Step parent - should be listed as Other Adult Living Home)*** | | | | | | | | |
| Parent/Guardian (1): | _ | Parent/Guardian (1): | | | | | | |
| Address: (if different than Student) Address: (if different than Student) | | | | | | | | |
| Email: Email: | | | | | | | | |
| Place of Employment: | _ | Place of Employment: | | | | | | |
| Work Phone: Cell Phone: | | Work Phone: | _ Cell Phone: | | | | | |
| □ Is Primary Contact □ Receives Mail □ Receives Email □ Parent Portal Access □ Automated Emergency Notifications □ Pick up only □ Is Primary Contact □ Receives Mail □ Receives Email □ Parent Portal Access □ Automated Emergency Notifications □ Pick up only | | | | | | | | |
| Child Lives With: (please check one) □ Both Parents □ Mother □ Father □ Other (Specify) □ Foster Parents □ Homeless | | | | | | | | |
| Other adult living in home with Supervisory Jurisdiction: | | Relati | on to child: | | | | | |
| Place of Employment: □ Is Primary Contact □ Receives Mail □ Receives Email □ Pare | \ ent Po | Work Phone: C rtal Access □ Automated Emergency | Cell Phone: | | | | | |
| Any legal custodial restrictions? Yes No Important: The school district shall presume that either pare school. However, a student shall not be released to a non-c legally binding instrument, such as a court order, decree of contact order. | ent of custod | dial parent if the district is provide | the child's release from d with a certified copy of a | | | | | |

parent does not have the right to obtain such a release.

PLEASE LIST ALL CHILDREN LIVING IN PRIMARY HOUSEHOLD UNDER THE AGE OF 21

| Name: | Name: | Name: | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| DOB: Age: | | | | | | | | |
| Gender: | | | | | | | | |
| Gender. | Gender: | Gender: | | | | | | |
| Name: | Name: | Name: | | | | | | |
| DOB: Age: | DOB: Age: _ | DOB: Age: | | | | | | |
| Gender: | Gender: | Gender: | | | | | | |
| child(ren), upon my written authoriz | | viding the following list of people to whom my chanicville City School District. These people ached: | | | | | | |
| Name: | Address: | City, State, Zip: | | | | | | |
| Relationship: | Daytime Phone: | Alternate Phone: | | | | | | |
| ☐ Receives Mail ☐ Receives Email ☐ Parent Portal Access ☐ Emergency Notification ☐ Pick Up Only | | | | | | | | |
| Name: | Address: | City, State, Zip: | | | | | | |
| Relationship: Daytime Phone: Alternate Phone: | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Receives Mail ☐ Receives Email ☐ Parent Portal Access ☐ Emergency Notification ☐ Pick Up Only | | | | | | | | |
| Parent in the Armed Forces: ☐ Yes | s □ No If yes, Parent Name: | | | | | | | |
| | r □ Reserves □ Veteran □ Civ | | | | | | | |
| Technology in the Home: ☐ Des | ktop Computer □ Laptop □ S | mart Phone | | | | | | |
| (please check all that apply) Acces | ss to the Internet: \square None \square Wifi | ☐ Mobile HotSpot ☐ Cell Phone Only | | | | | | |
| Physician to be called in an Emergeno | :y: | Phone: | | | | | | |
| Preferred Hospital Choice: | | | | | | | | |
| | RELEASE | | | | | | | |
| empowers the school authorities to exercise | se their own judgment to transport the child t ns as required by State Law. Likewise, your | immediately, your signature in the space provided below o a hospital emergency room. It also allows the school signature below is not sufficient for the release of | | | | | | |
| Parent Statement: | | | | | | | | |
| - | | garding residency may result in being billed to cover | | | | | | |
| ne cost of instruction and/or exclusion | from attending the Mechanicville City | School District. | | | | | | |
| arent/Legal Guardian Signature: | | Date: | | | | | | |

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Authorization to Request Release of School Records

| I give permission for the exchange of infor | mation concerning my child, |
|---|---|
| Name: | Current Grade: |
| who has been registered for school at Med | |
| Name of Previous School: | |
| Address: | |
| | Fax Number: |
| Signature of Parent/Guardian | Date |
| Items Requested (to be completed by MCS | SD): |
| ☐ Immunizations☐ Last School Health Exam (Physical)☐ Special Education Records (IEP, 504) | R math (ie. iReady, STAR, AIMSWEB, etc.) Plan, psychological, etc.) 8-514-2118 or kdunn@mechanicville.org |
| Please send to: Mechanicville City School District Attn: Amy DeMarco Fax: 518-514-2119 | |

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Mechanicville City School District TEACHER DATA SHEET

Student Information

| Student's Name: | | (| Grade: | Date: | _ |
|---|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Student lives with: ☐ Mother & Father | □ Mother | □ Father | □ Guar | dian/Other | |
| in mother a rather | | | | | |
| Names & Addresses of Pr | | Academic Info | | iret): | |
| Name of School: | | Attended (list III | Phone #: | | |
| Address: | | | | Teacher's Name: | |
| Addices. | | | 1 2 2 1 1 2 2 | | |
| | | | MONUT / TE | ear Attended: From | 10 |
| Name of School: | | | Phone #: | | |
| Address: | | | Previous | Teacher's Name: | |
| | | | Month /Ye | ear Attended: From | To |
| ☐ Reading ☐ Mat Does your child presentl ☐ Occupational Thera Have they received these Comments: | apy 🗆 Physic | cal Therapy | □ Spe | eech Therapy | |
| Has there been a recent of so, please explain: Does your child receive of Comments: | | | | | alization)? If |
| | | | | | |

General Academic Levels

| | Advar | nced | А | verage | Develop | ing | Comments |
|----------------|--------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|----------|-------|--------------------|
| Reading | teading \Box \Box | | | | | | |
| Math | Math | | | | | | 1 |
| Writing | riting | | | | | | |
| Sibling inform | | | | | | | |
| Name (fire | st & last) | Sex | DOB | Living in t | he home? | Grade | e School Attending |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | □ No | | |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | | | · |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Yes ☐ No | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Parent/G | uardiar | n Signa | iture | | | Date |
| (| Parent/Gu Please Prin | | | | | | |



District Name (Number) & School:

STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234 Office of P-12

Elisa Alvarez, Associate Commissioner Office of Bilingual Education and World Languages

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Home Language Questionnaire (HLQ)

Dear Parent or Person in Parental STUDENT NAME: Relation: In order to provide your child with the **First** Middle Last best possible education, we need to determine how well he or she DATE OF BIRTH: GENDER: understands, speaks, reads and writes □ Male in English, as well as prior school and ☐ Female Month Dav Year personal history. Please complete the sections below entitled Language PARENT/PERSON IN PARENTAL RELATION INFO: Background and Educational History. Your assistance in answering these Last Name First Name Relation to questions is greatly appreciated. Thank you. HOME LANGUAGE CODE Language Background (Please check all that apply.) 1. What language(s) is(are) spoken in the student's home ☐ English ☐ Other or residence? specify 2. What was the first language your child learned? ☐ Other □ English specify 3. What is the Home Language of each parent/guardian? ☐ Parent 1 Parent 2 specify specify ☐ Guardian(s) specify 4. What language(s) does your child understand? ☐ English □ Other 5. What language(s) does your child speak? ☐ English ☐ Other ☐ Does not speak specify 6. What language(s) does your child read? ☐ English ☐ Other ■ Does not read specify 7. What language(s) does your child write? ■ English □ Other ☐ Does not write specify THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY DISTRICT IN WHICH STUDENT IS REGISTERED: STUDENT ID NUMBER IN NYS STUDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT INFORMATION: INFORMATION SYSTEM:

Address:

Home Language Questionnaire (HLQ)—Page Two

| 8. Indicate the total number of years that your child has been enrolled in school 9. Do you think your child may have any difficulties or conditions that affect his or her ability to understand, speak, read or write in English or any other language? If yes, please describe them. Yes* No Not sure "If yes, please explain: "Hyes, please explain: "Hyes, please explain: "How severe do you think these difficulties are? Minor Somewhat severe Very severe 10a. Has your child ever been referred for a special education evaluation in the past? No Yes* "Please complete 10b below 10b. "If referred for an evaluation, has your child ever received; any special education services in the past? No Yes - Type of services received: Age at which services received (Please chack all that apply): Birth to 3 years (Early Intervention) 3 to 5 years (Special Education) 6 years or older (Special Education) 10c. Does your child have an Individualized Education Program (IEP)? No Yes 11. Is there anything else you think is important for the school to know about your child? (e.g., special talents, health concerns, etc.) 12. In what language(s) would you like to receive information from the school? Amonth: Day: Year: Signature of Parent or of Person in Parental Relation Date OFFICIAL ENTRY ONLY - NAME/POSITION OF PERSONNEL ADMINISTERING HLQ NAME: Position of Qualified Personnel Reviewing HLQ and Conducting Individual Interview NAME/POSITION OF QUALIFIED PERSONNEL Reviewing HLQ and Conducting Individual Interview NAME Position: Day: Yes "Date of horizonal Name Position: Refer to Language Porticient Name: Day: Yes Position: Refer to Language Porticient Name: Refer to Language P |
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| English or any other language? If yes, please describe them. Yes* No Not sure |
| How severe do you think these difficulties are? Minor Somewhat severe Very severe |
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| OFFICIAL ENTRY ONLY - NAME/POSITION OF PERSONNEL ADMINISTERING HLQ Name: Position: If an interpreter is provided, list name, position and credentials: Name/Position of Qualified Personnel Reviewing HLQ and Conducting Individual Interview Name: Position: Oral Interview Necessary: No Yes **Date of Individual Interview: Administer NYSITELL Individual Interview: Refer to Language Proficiency Team |
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| FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, LIST ACCOMMODATIONS, IF ANY, ADMINISTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH IEP PURSUANT TO CSE RECOMMENDATION: |
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RESIDENCY QUESTIONNAIRE FORM

| Name of Student: | | - |
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| Address: | | |
| Phone: | DOB: | Grade: |
| may be able to receive under the McK McKinney-Vento Act are entitled to im- documents normally needed, such as | inney-Vento A mediate enroll proof of reside otected under | ct determine what services you or your child ct. Students who are protected under the ment in school even if they don't have the ency, school records, immunization records, or the McKinney-Vento Act may also be entitled |
| Is your current address a temporary liv | ving arrangem | ent? □ Yes □ No |
| Is this temporary living arrangement de | ue to loss of h | ousing or economic hardship? ☐ Yes ☐ No |
| Where is the student c | urrently living | g? (Please check <u>one</u> box only) |
| □ In a shelter □ With another family member or economic hardship (sometimes □ In a hotel/motel □ In a car, park, bus, train, or cam Other temporary living situation □ In permanent housing | referred to as | |
| Print name of Parent, Guardian or Student (for unaccompanied homeless | | gnature of Parent, Guardian or tudent (for unaccompanied homeless youth) |

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Eligibility Screen for Migrant Education Services

**Migrant Education Program services are free of charge and may include tutoring, assistance with health

needs, educational field trips, summer programs, parent involvement activities, adult education, emergency assistance and referrals to other services as needed.** Has your family moved to a different school district in the last 3 years? ☐ Yes ☐ No In the last 3 years, has the parent/guardian of the child enrolling done farm work as a paid job? (Did they work on a dairy farm, planting, picking/harvesting fruits or vegetables, food processing or packaging, logging or tree farming?) ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, what farm did you work on? Where? ____ When? If you can answer YES to BOTH of the above questions, your family MAY qualify for Migrant Education services. To be contacted by a Migrant Education liaison, please complete the information below. Child's Name _____ DOB ___ Grade Child's Name _____ DOB ____ Grade ____ Child's Name _____ DOB _____ Grade _____ Child's Name _____ DOB _____ Grade _____ Child's Name _____ DOB Grade Parents/Guardians Mother's Name ____ Father's Name Home Address Home Phone _____ City, State, Zip ____ Cell Phone Print name of Parent/Guardian or Signature of Parent/Guardian or Date

Student (for unaccompanied homeless youth)

Student (for unaccompanied homeless youth)

MEDICAL HISTORY FORM

| Student's Name: | | | DOB | Sex: |
|---|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------|
| Last | First | : Middle | | |
| Address: | | City: | | Zip: |
| Mother's Name (including maiden) | : | | | Phone: |
| Father's Name: | 1700-00 | | | Phone: |
| Physician to: | | | | Phone: |
| Has yo | our child ever h | ad any of the following | ? Please con | nplete: |
| Asthma | NO • YES • | DATE | | |
| Chicken Pox | NO • YES • | DATE | _ | |
| Diabetes | NO • YES • | DATE | Specify | |
| Ear Illness/Tubes | NO · YES · | DATE | | |
| Eye Problems | NO • YES • | DATE | Specify | |
| Fifths Disease | NO º YES º | DATE | | |
| Frequent Sore Throat/ Scarlet Fever/Rheumatic Fever | NO · YES · | DATE(s) | | |
| Head Injury/Concussion | NO • YES • | DATE(s) | | |
| Heart Disease | NO • YES • | DATE | _Specify | |
| Hepatitis | NO • YES • | DATE | _Specify | |
| Kidney Disease | NO • YES • | DATE | - | |
| Measles/Mumps/Rubella | NO • YES • | DATE | | |
| Pneumonia | NO • YES • | DATE | _, | |
| Tuberculosis(TB) | NO · YES · | DATE | - | |
| Whooping Cough | NO • YES • | DATE | - | |
| Neurological Disorders (Asperger Syndrome, Autism, Cerel | | DATE y, Muscular Dystrophy, Trau | | |
| Behavioral/Mental Health (ADD, ADHD, Anxiety, Bi-Polar, Dep | | | Specify | |
| Other (PLEASE SPECIFY) | | | | |

PLEASE COMPLETE IN DETAIL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS RELATING TO YOUR CHILD 1) Does your child have allergies? _____ What kind? _____ Any food allergies? _____ What food(s)? _____ Describe the allergic reaction: Is it life threatening? IF YOUR CHILD IS ALLERGIC TO ANY FOODS, YOU PHYSICIAN MUST DOCUMENT IT AND THE CAFETERIA & TEACHER WILL BE NOTIFIED. Has your child had any operations/serious injuries? _____ If yes, what & when _____ Does your child have any urination/bowel problems that the school should be aware of? Is there anything concerning the eyes, ears or general health of your child which the school should know in order to provide special care? 5) Does your child have any limitations on activities including recess on playground equipment or Physical Education? IF SO, AN ANNUAL PHYSICAL ACTIVITY FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY YOUR PHYSICIAN AND RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL NURSE. 6) Is your child on any medication? _____ If yes, what medication/reason? _____

ALL MEDICATIONS, PRESCRIPTION AND OVER-THE-COUNTER, REQUIRE A PHYSICIAN'S WRITTEN ORDER (EXAMPLE: LOTIONS, CREAMS, OINTMENTS, COUGH MEDICINE OR DROPS, ANALGESICS, ETC) AN ADULT MUST BRING THE MEDICINE IN THE ORIGINAL LABELED PHARMACY CONTAINER TO THE NURSE'S OFFICE WHERE IT WILL BE KEPT IN A LOCKED CABINET AND ADMINISTERED ACCORDINGLY.

Will any need to be administered during school hours? _____



Authorization for Use or Disclosure of Protected Health Information

In order to share protected health information with the school district, your healthcare provider may require completion of the form below to comply with the requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA). Please complete, sign and give the form to your healthcare provider and/or to your school nurse to avoid delays in care for your child.

| l, | authorize my child's hea | lthcare provider(s) listed below: |
|---|---|---|
| Name | Phone | Fax: |
| Name | Phone | Fax: |
| Name | Phone | Fax: |
| To release the medical records of my | child, | , DOB |
| To the school district's: Medical Direct Occupational Therapist (OT) Physics | | ainer (AT) Counselor Social Worker Speech Therapist (ST |
| The healthcare provider may discle Immunizations, Health Appraisals, Pa school programming or therapy. | | d impact on attendance, athletics, and |
| To develop care or therapy plans for a To design appropriate educational, so To assess the impact of the medical of To share school observations/concern To assess a medical basis for modifical Medication delivery or therapy prescript At patient's request with no specified Court, Probation or CPS Mandates | chool, or athletic programs condition(s) on school programmir ns surrounding behavior cation of transportation and/or hom iptions | ng and/or attendance |
| PARENT: This authorization is valid for the d | uration of attendance within the | e school district |
| the authorization for disclosure of the Pro understand that any Protected Health Info state and federal privacy laws and regula | of this authorization is not effective if the tected Health Information before reception and disclosed as a result of this actions may be subject to re-disclosure treatment is not dependent on my agrelevant school information with my health or reimbursements. I give perrocal | the Healthcare Provider or District has use beliving my written revocation notice. I Authorization to anyone not covered by the and may no longer be protected by federa preement to release or withhold information ealthcare providers and when applicable mission for the school representatives |

Relationship

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian



Medical documents

to be Completed by Physician

REQUIRED NYS SCHOOL HEALTH EXAMINATION FORM

TO BE COMPLETED BY PRIVATE HEALTHCARE PROVIDER OR SCHOOL MEDICAL DIRECTOR

Note: NYSED requires a physical exam for new entrants and students in Grades Pre-K or K, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 & 11; annually for interscholastic sports; and working papers as needed; or as required by the Committee on Special Education (CSE) or Committee on Pre-School Special Education (CPSE).

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|---|--|--|-------------|--|---|-------------------------------|------------|----------------------|--|--|
| STUDENT INFORMATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name: | | | | Affirmed Name | e (if applicable): | | | DOB: | | |
| Sex Assigned at B | irth: 🗆 Fem | ale 🗆 Male | | Gender Identi | ty: 🗆 Female | ☐ Male ☐ N | Nonbina | ry 🗆 X | | |
| School: Grade: Exam Date: | | | | | | | Exam Date: | | | |
| | | | | HEALTH HISTO | DRY | | | | | |
| | If yes to a | ny diagnoses | below, ched | k all that appl | y and provide ac | ditional infor | mation. | | | |
| | Type: | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Allergies | | ☐ Medication/Treatment Order Attached ☐ Anaphylaxis Care Plan Attached | | | | | | | | |
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| ☐ Asthma ☐ Medication/Treatment Order Attached ☐ Asthma Care Plan Attached | | | | | | | | | | |
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| ☐ Seizures | Type: | | | | | | | | | |
| | ☐ Me | dication/Trea | tment Orde | r Attached | ☐ Seizur | e Care Plan At | tached | | | |
| Type: □ 1 □ 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Diabetes ☐ Medication/Treatment Order Attached | | | | | ☐ Diabet | es Medical N | /lgmt. P | lan Attached | | |
| Risk Factors for Diabetes or Pre-Diabetes: Consider screening for T2DM if BMI% > 85% and has 2 or more risk factors: Family Hx T2DM, Ethnicity, Sx Insulin Resistance, Gestational Hx of Mother, and/or pre-diabetes. | | | | | | | | | | |
| BMI kg/ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Percentile (Weight Status Category): $\square < 5^{th}$ $\square 5^{th}$ 49^{th} $\square 50^{th}$ 84^{th} $\square 85^{th}$ 94^{th} $\square 95^{th}$ 98^{th} $\square 99^{th}$ and $>$ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hyperlipidemia: ☐ Yes ☐ Not Done | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PHYSICAL EXAMINATION/ASSESSMENT | | | | | | | | | |
| Height: Weight: BP: Pulse: Respirations: | | | | rations: | | | | | | |
| LaboratoryTesti | | | Date | Lead Level Required for PreK & K | | | | Date | | |
| TB-PRN | | | | ☐ Test Done ☐ Lead Elevated >5 μg/σ | | | | | | |
| Sickle Cell Screen-Pf | | | | I restable II lead lievated 29 kg/al | | | | | | |
| System Review Within Normal Limits Abnormal Findings – List Other Pertinent Medical Concerns Below (e.g., concussion, mental health, one functioning organ) | | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ HEENT | ☐ Lymph no | | ☐ Abdomen | | (e.g., concussion, mental health, one fun | | | | | |
| ☐ Dental | ☐ Cardiovas | | | | | | • | al Emotional | | |
| ☐ Mental Health | ☐ Lungs | The court forms and an experience | | | □ Neurological □ Musculoskeletal | | | | | |
| ☐ Assessment/Abr | | ted/Recomm | 1 | | Diagnoses/Pro | | | ICD-10 Code* | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Additional Infor | mation Attac | hed | | | *Required only f | for students w | ith an IEI | P receiving Medicaid | | |
| Additional Information Attached | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Name: | | Affirmed Name (if a | applicable): | | DOB: | | | | |
|---|--|-------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| SCREENINGS | | | | | | | | | |
| | Vision & Hearing Screen | nings Required for P | reK or K, 1, 3, 5, 7, | & 11 | | | | | |
| Vision Screening With | Correction | Right | Left | Referral | Not Done | | | | |
| Distance Acuity | | 20/ | 20/ | ☐ Yes | | | | | |
| Near Vision Acuity | | 20/ | 20/ | ☐ Yes | | | | | |
| Color Perception Screening | ☐ Pass ☐ Fail | | | | | | | | |
| Notes | | | | | | | | | |
| Hearing Screening: Passing Hz; for grades 7 & 11 also | g indicates student can hear test at 6000 & 8000 Hz. | 20dB at all frequen | cies: 500, 1000, 200 | 00, 3000, 4000 | Not Done | | | | |
| Pure Tone Screening | Right ☐ Pass ☐ Fail | Left □ Pass □ Fa | il Refer | ral 🗆 Yes | | | | | |
| Notes | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Negative | Positive | Referral | Not Done | | | | |
| Scoliosis Screening: Boys g | rade 9, Girls grades 5 & 7 | | | ☐ Yes | | | | | |
| | FOR PARTICIPATION IN PH | | | | | | | | |
| | reviewed – required for Do | | | | \ | | | | |
| ☐ Student may participat | e in all activities without re | strictions. | | | | | | | |
| | nplete the information below | | | | | | | | |
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| ☐ Student is restricted from | E. 18 | | | | | | | | |
| | etball, Competitive Cheerlead e, Soccer, and Wrestling. | ling, Diving, Downhil | l Skiing, Field Hocke | y, Football, Gymn | astics, Ice | | | | |
| | ts: Baseball, Fencing, Softbal | l and Volleyball | | | | | | | |
| | Archery, Badminton, Bowling | 750 | Rifleny Swimming | Tennis and Track | & Field | | | | |
| ☐ Other Restrictions: | wertery, baariniteeri, bowinig | , cross country, don | , milery, Swimming, | rennis, and rraci | Correia. | | | | |
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| | Athletic Placement Process sports level OR Grades 9-12 | | | | | | | | |
| | | wito wish to play a | t the modified inter | scholastic sports | ievei. | | | | |
| Tanner Stage: 🗌 I 🔲 II 🗀 |] | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ Other Accommodation | s*: Provide Details (e.g., brad | ce, insulin pump, pros | thetic, sports goggles | s, etc.): | | | | | |
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| Check with the athletic govern | ning body if prior approval/forr | n completion is requi | red for use of the dev | vice at athletic com | petitions. | | | | |
| | | MEDICATIONS | | | | | | | |
| | ☐ Order Form for m | nedication(s) needec | at school attached | | | | | | |
| СОМ | MUNICABLE DISEASE | | IN | MUNIZATIONS | 3 | | | | |
| ☐ Confirmed free | of communicable disease d | during exam | ☐ Record Att | ached \square Rep | orted in NYSIIS | | | | |
| | HE.F | ALTHCARE PROVIDI | R | | | | | | |
| Healthcare Provider Signature: | | | | | | | | | |
| Provider Name: (please print) | | | | | | | | | |
| Provider Address: | | | and the second s | | | | | | |
| Phone: | | Fax: | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Please | Return This Form to Your | Child's School Heal | th Office When Co | mpleted. | | | | | |

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PARENT AND PHYSICIAN'S AUTHORIZATION FOR ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION IN SCHOOL AND SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

| A. To be completed b | y the parent or guardian: | | | |
|---|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| I request that my ch | ild | DOB | receive the | |
| | elow by our physician. I und I container from the pharma | | is to be furnished by me in | |
| Signature (Parent o | r Guardian): | | | |
| Telephone: Home _ | Work | Cell | Date | |
| B. To be completed b | y physician: | | | |
| I request that my pa | tient, as listed below, receive | e the following medication: | | |
| Name of Student | | DOB | | |
| Diagnosis: | | | | |
| MEDICATION | DOSAGE | FREQUENCY/TIME TO BE TAKEN | ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Duration of Treatment: | | | | |
| Possible Side Effects and A | dverse Reactions (if any): | | | |
| PLEASE CHECK ONE: | | | | |
| participate in. | enadryl / inhaler / epi-pen w | • | porting event they | |
| | y Benadryl / inhaler / epi-pe quires | | | |
| Physician's Signature Date: | | | | |
| ddress: Phone: | | | | |
| Students with "may carry" o pecifically ordered by M.D. | rders must have appropriate | e meds with them at all times | s, but only the meds | |

^{*} Medication must be in the original pharmacy labeled container with specific orders and name of medication.

^{*}Medication and refills must be brought to school by a parent, guardian or responsible adult.

Education law is very strict in the control of over-the-counter and prescription drugs; therefore, we ask all families involved to follow this outline. Most medications can be given outside of the school hours. Please ask your doctor to schedule as such.

If, however, during the school year it becomes necessary for your child to take medication ordered by a doctor while in school, please adhere to the following rules:

- Doctors must fill out and sign a written order.
- 2. Parents must fill out and sign a written request.
- 3. Medication must be properly labeled from your pharmacy with the patient's name, dose, name of medication and date.
- 4. Parent is to bring the medication into the nurse. Any medications brought in by the student will not be administered.
- 5. **NO** student is to have **ANY** medication with them at school without a prescription on file in the nurse's office that states "may carry".

On the reverse side is a medication order/request form to be used should your child need it.

Thank you for your attention in this matter

Dental Health Certificate- Optional

Parent/Guardian: New York State law (Chapter 281) permits schools to request an oral health assessment at the same time a health examination is required. Your child may have a dental check-up during this school year to assess his/her fitness to attend school. Please complete Section 1 and take the form to your registered dentist or registered dental hygienist for an assessment. If your child had a dental check-up before he/she started the school, ask your dentist/dental hygienist to fill out Section 2. Return the completed form to the school's medical director or school nurse as soon as possible.

| Section 1. To be completed by Parent or Guardian (Please Print) | | | | | |
|--|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Child's Name: | | First | Middle | | |
| Birth Date: / / Month Day Year | Sex: Male Female | Will this be your | child's first oral health assessment? | ? □ Yes □ No | |
| School Name: Mechanicville City School District | | | | Grade | |
| Have you noticed any problem in the mouth that interferes with your child's ability to chew, speak or focus on school activities? Yes No | | | | | |
| I understand that by signing this form I am consenting for the child named above to receive a basic oral health assessment. I understand this assessment is only a limited means of evaluation to assess the student's dental health, and I would need to secure the services of a dentist in order for my child to receive a complete dental examination with x-rays if necessary to maintain good oral health. I also understand that receiving this preliminary oral health assessment does not establish any new, ongoing or continuing doctor-patient relationship. | | | | | |
| Further, I will not hold the dentist or those recommendations listed below. | performing this assess | sment responsible t | or the consequences or results sho | uld I choose NOT to follow the | |
| Parent's Signature | Parent's SignatureDate | | | | |
| Sect | ion 2. To be com | pleted by the | Dentist/ Dental Hygienist | | |
| I. The dental health condition of on (date of assessment) The date of the assessment needs to be within 12 months of the start of the school year in which it is requested. Check one: \[\textsquare \text{Yes, The student listed above is in fit condition of dental health to permit his/her attendance at the public schools.} \] | | | | | |
| No, The student listed above is not in fit condition of dental health to permit his/her attendance at the public schools. NOTE: Not in fit condition of dental health means, that a condition exists that interferes with a student's ability to chew, speak or focus on school activities including pain, swelling or infection related to clinical evidence of open cavities. The designation of not in fit condition of dental health to permit attendance at the public school does not preclude the student from attending school. Dentist's/ Dental Hygienist's name and address | | | | | |
| (please print or stamp | | | Dentist's/Dental Hygienist | 's Signature | |
| | | | , | | |
| Optional Sections - If you agree to release | se this information to | o your child's sch | ool, please initial here. | | |
| II. Oral Health Status (check all that apply). ☐ Yes ☐ No Caries Experience/Restoration History – Has the child ever had a cavity (treated or untreated)? [A filling (temporary/permanent) OR a tooth that is missing because it was extracted as a result of caries OR an open cavity]. | | | | | |
| Yes □ No Untreated Caries – Does this child have an open cavity? [At least ½ mm of tooth structure loss at the enamel surface. Brown to darkbrown coloration of the walls of the lesion. These criteria apply to pits and fissure cavitated lesions as well as those on smooth tooth surfaces. If retained root, assume that the whole tooth was destroyed by caries. Broken or chipped teeth, plus teeth with temporary fillings, are considered sound unless a cavitated lesion is also present]. □ Yes □ No Dental Sealants Present | | | | | |
| Other problems (Specify): | | | | | |
| II. Treatment Needs (check all that apply) | | | | | |
| □ No obvious problem. Routine dental care is recommended. Visit your dentist regularly. | | | | | |
| □ May need dental care. Please schedule an appointment with your dentist as soon as possible for an evaluation. | | | | | |
| ☐ Immediate dental care is required. Please schedule an appointment immediately with your dentist to avoid problems. | | | | | |



Items To Keep

Mechanicville City School District 25 Kniskern Avenue Mechanicville, NY 12118

Annual Notification of the Availability of the District Asbestos Management Plan

The Mechanicville City School District has submitted information to the New York State Education Department regarding asbestos containing building materials in the school district. This information is documented in the school district's Asbestos Management Plan, which is in accordance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) of 1987 (40 CFR Part 763). This memorandum is intended to fulfill annual notification requirements.

In compliance with the AHERA Regulation, the school district conducted its Triennial Re-inspection in June. The school continues to perform the Six Month Periodic Surveillances as required under the AHERA Regulation as well. Documentation related to all inspections is available in the Asbestos Management Plan.

The Asbestos Management Plan for the Mechanicville City School District is located in the District Office and is available to the public for review during the following times:

Monday through Friday - 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

For more information, please contact the following person: Joseph Manzer, LEA Designee Phone #: (518)664-9888 Ext. 2016

Annual Notification of the Availability of the District-wide School Safety Plan

The Mechanicville City School District has developed the SAVE (Safe Schools Against Violence in Education) Plan as required by New York State Education Law, Section 155.17. The regulation requires that each public school district have emergency management plans in place and that information on emergency procedures be provided to all students and staff. The district will provide training throughout the year and conduct at least eight (8) fire drills, 4 lockdown procedures, as well as a "GO HOME" drill to test transportation and communication systems. Emergency evacuation information is posted in each classroom. For more information concerning the SAVE District-level Plan, please contact the following person:

Taryn Breen, District Business Manager Phone #: (518)664-5727 Ext. 1100

Initial Notification to Persons in Parental Relation and Staff Pursuant to Section 409-h of the State Education Law and Commissioner's Regulation I55.24*

New York State Education Law Section 409-h and State Education Department Commissioner's Regulation I55.24, effective July 1, 2001, require all public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year. The Mechanicville City School District is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty and staff who wish to receive 48 hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications. The following pesticide applications are <u>not</u> subject to prior notification requirements:

- A school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72-hours following an application;
- Anti-microbial products
- Nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Nonvolatile insecticidal baits in tamper resistant bait stations in area
- Silica gels and other nonvolatile ready-to-use pastes, foams or gels in areas inaccessible to children;
- Boric acid and disodium octaborate tetrahydrate;
- The application of EPA designated biopesticides;
- The application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFRI52.25:
- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of I8 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps, and hornets.

In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour prior notification list. If you would like to receive 48-hour prior notification of pesticide applications that are scheduled to occur in your school, please complete the form below and return it to Jodi Birch, District Business Manager, 25 Kniskern Avenue, Mechanicville, NY 12118. Ms. Birch is the school pesticide representative. She can be reached by phone at (518)664-5727 Ext. 1100 for further information on these requirements.

| Mechanicville City School District Request for Pesticide Application Notification | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------|----------------|--|
| School where your child or children attend? | | | | |
| Name: | | Address: | | |
| Day Phone: | Evening Phone: | | Email Address: | |

*Written notification must be provided to <u>all</u> person is in parental relation and staff at the following intervals throughout the school year; at the beginning of each school year or the beginning of summer school; within 2 school days of the end of: February break, spring recess and the end of summer school; and within 10 days of the end of year.

The Mechanicville City School District uses an integrated pest management (IPM) approach to pests. IPM is recommended by the NYS Education Department and the US EPA.



THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234

Office of P-20 Education Policy Child Nutrition Program Administration 89 Washington Avenue, Room 375 EBA, Albany, NY 12234 (518) 473-8781 Fax (518) 473-0018 www.nysed.gov/cn/cnms.htm

Mechanicville CSD - Letter to Parents for School Meal Programs Special Provision Options (Provision 2 Non-Base Year & Community Eligibility Provision)

Dear Parent or Guardian:

All students enrolled at Mechanicville CSD are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at no charge to your household each day of the 2025-2026 school year. No further action is required of you. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without having to pay a fee or submit an application.

If you have any further questions, please contact Susan Frank at (518) 464-5133 or susan.frank@neric.org.

Sincerely,

Shannon Carinci School Lunch Director

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.

Program information may be made available in languages other than English. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication to obtain program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language), should contact the responsible state or local agency that administers the program or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/ad-3027.pdf, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

- (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
 Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
 1400 Independence Avenue, SW
 Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
- (2) fax: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
- (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Connect With Us

School Lunch Director: Shannon Carinci Email: shannon.carinci@neric.org

Program Specialist: Susan Frank Email: susan.frank@neric.org

Phone: 518-419-0311

Phone: 518-464-5133

Free Meals for All Students

During the current school year, our school district will be participating in the Community Eligibility
Provision program, which provides no-cost meals to all students.

CEP is a federal provision that allows qualifying schools to provide free breakfast and lunch to all students. This option increases school meal participation by removing stigma, maximizes federal reimbursements, and eliminates unpaid school meal debt, all while upholding nutrition standards and meal quality.

Food Service Family Portal

LINQ Connect allows families to view menus and manage student meal accounts. You can set up one-time payments, set spending limits, transfer funds between students, set low-balance notifications, and more. It's an easy way to manage meal payments without the hassle of sending cash into school. If you have any difficulties accessing your LINQ account, please contact LINQ support at support@lingconnect.com.





Local Sourcing

We strive to support New York State food producers. Our school district endeavors to utilize as many local farms and vendors as possible.

New York State requires CEP schools to collect information from families through the CEP Household Income Eligibility Form. The information gathered on this form is used for state education funding purposes. Also, individual families may be eligible for certain benefits based on the data collected through these forms. Complete the form by scanning the QR code:



Our school district is supported by the Capital Region BOCES Shared Food Services Team. Our participation in this service provides many benefits to our students and school community, including:



- -Increased access to a wide variety of wholesome food choices.
- -Optimized quality and customer service in our food service programs.
- -Shared staff with expertise in school nutrition, including a registered dietitian and program specialists.

Dining at Our District

The café provides dining services for students through the use of their student ID numbers. All the meals offered exceed the nutrition standards set by federal guidelines. The menu follows a seasonal rotation, with variations for fall, winter, and spring. The grain products served are whole grain rich, and there are daily vegetarian choices available for both breakfast and lunch. Every meal includes fresh fruits and vegetables, and students must select at least one at each meal. Milk is offered but is not required to K-12 students. Full meals are available, as well as daily à la carte choices.













School Breakfast

Students may select three to five breakfast items each day. All students must select a fruit and/or 100% fruit juice at breakfast. Please refer to the website for daily menus.

School Lunch

Daily entrée choices are a balance of traditional student favorites and global flavors to introduce students to new foods and cultural foodways. All students must select a fruit or vegetable at lunch. Alternate lunch options are available daily. Please refer to the website for daily menus.

If your child requires menu modifications due to allergies or other concerns, please contact your food service director.

Too much on your plate? Let us put it on ours.





Why should you participate in School Nutrition Programs?



School Meals Are Cost-Effective

Recent regulations have revamped school food into more nutritious and appealing meals while still at a low cost. Students that are eligible for free and reduced lunches receive meals that are packed with nutrition. Students that are not eligible for free or reduced meals are still receiving a bargain by purchasing school meals. Quite often, the price paid for a healthy school meal is less than the price of a packed meal from home.



School Meals Save Time

An average family can spend up to 30 minutes preparing breakfast and lunch. Doing that for every school day adds up to over 5,500 minutes, or 92.5 hours. That is more than two full work weeks! Our food service professionals are ready to serve your students and eliminate your time crunch.



School Meals Support Academic Success

Students spend around six hours per day in the classroom. Without the proper fuel, students can quickly run out of steam and lose interest in schoolwork. Nutritious meals, such as those provided by the School Nutrition Program, provide students with adequate fuel that can keep them energized and focused all day. Plus, a healthy diet will also support a healthy immune system, which means fewer sick days for your children!

Academic Benefits

Improved Cognitive Function

Short-term memory, the ability to conceptualize, and abstract reasoning skills improved when students ate more nutritious foods.

Higher Test Scores

Students who received the necessary levels of iron in their meals scored better on math and IQ tests.

Better Attention Spans

Parents reported that their children could concentrate better after they had eaten more nutritious meals.

- source: FRAC Food Research & Action Center frac.org

Behavioral Benefits

Better Classroom Behavior

Students have along better with classmates and cause fewer class disruptions when they have been eating properly.

Fewer Absences

Students who consistently eat been shown to get enough throughout the day are less likely to miss school days or extracurricular activities.

Improved Mood

Hungry children tend to be angrier and more irritable. They also cannot socialize as well.

- source: Journal of School Health, 2005

Please refer to the School Nutrition page of the district website for further information about programs and policies, such as:

Wellness • Meal Charge • Affordable Connectivity (ACP) • Smart Snack Guidelines • LINQ Connect FAQ

https://www.mechanicville.org/

Mechanicville City School District 25 Kniskern Avenue Mechanicville, NY 12118

The following is an excerpt from the USDA manual on "Accommodating Children with Special Dietary Needs in the School Nutrition Program".

In cases of Food Allergy:

Generally, children with food allergies or intolerances do not have a disability as defined under either Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act or Part B of IDEA, and the SFA (school food authority) may, but is not required to, make food substitutions for them

Other Special Dietary Needs:

The SFA may make food substitutions, at their discretion, for individual children who do not have a disability, but who are medically certified as having a special medical or dietary need. Such determinations are made on a case-by-case basis. This provision covers those children who have food intolerances or allergies but do not have life-threatening reactions (anaphylactic reactions) when exposed to food(s) to which they have problems.

Medical Statement for Children with Special Dietary Needs:

Each special dietary request must be supported by a statement, which explains the food substitution that is requested. It must be signed by a recognized medical authority.

The Medical Statement MUST include:

An identification of the medical or other special dietary condition which restricts the child's diet. The food (s) that need to be omitted from the child's diet. The food (s) or choice of food to be substituted.

- In the case of liquid milk allergy or intolerance, we are able to provide Lactaid when proper Medical Statement is provided. Please note that Juice and Water are not allowable substitutes for liquid milk in the National School Lunch Program for a reimbursable meal.
- If an allergy or diet accommodation is lifted, it must be signed by a recognized medical authority.

Mechanicville City School District Food Allergy Action Plan

| Date: | Student's Name | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|--|--|--|
| Grade | DOB | | | |
| Allergy To: | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Medical Authority Signature | | | | |
| Provider Name: | | | | |
| Provider Address: | | | | |
| Provider Phone: | | | | |

- * This form is invalid without a signature from a recognized medical authority
- * PLEASE return this form to your child's school nutrition office when completed

TO: Food Service Director
Mechanicville City School District
25 Kniskern Avenue
Mechanicville, NY 12118
scarini@mechanicville.org