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## **VOLUNTARY STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE**

Dear Parent/Guardian

The safety of our students is one of our most important concerns. Even so, accidents do happen and resulting medical treatment (ambulance transport, surgery, hospitalization, etc.) can be very expensive.

Please know that the District **does not** assume responsibility for these costs. However, as a service to you and your child, your school has joined with 1,000s of others by offering you access to a low cost, voluntary purchase student accident/sickness insurance program. The program is arranged and administered by Myers-Stevens & Toohey & Co., Inc., a firm that has specialized in such coverages for over 40 years. The program is sponsored by the *California School Boards Association*.

The plans can be used on a stand-alone basis or, **if your child has other insurance coverage**, they can be used as a low cost supplement to expand your choice of providers and help cover the high deductible and co-pay requirements.

Options are available to cover your child 24/7 anywhere in the world or you can limit coverage to school-related injuries. Because trips to the ER are especially difficult, please note that all the plans offered will cover ambulance/paramedic and emergency room (room, supplies and physician) expenses at 100%, subject to all other policy terms and conditions. And, unlike many other insurance plans, these plans do not restrict your choice of medical provider or hospital.

Also offered is the pay-as-you-go *Student Accident & Sickness Plan* (\$50 deductible) that provides the broadest level of coverage and can be used for all sports except high school tackle football. The optional *Dental Accident* plan can be of particular value with younger students as final dental treatment to injured teeth often needs to be deferred until after children mature.

While you are free to take your child to any licensed provider, you'll also have access to an extensive network of doctors and hospitals who have agreed to discounted fees. Seeking care through contracted providers may further reduce your out-of-pocket costs, particularly if your child needs surgery or hospitalization. And, a very large percentage of the *Best Hospitals in America* as annually listed by *U.S. News and World Report* are contracted through the networks.

[Please click here for complete details on rates, benefits and exclusions.](#)

[For online enrollment and immediate proof of coverage, please click here.](#)

You may also complete an enrollment form in full, select the plan(s) you want for your child, enclose the proper premium using a check, money order or credit card, seal and return to Myers-Stevens & Toohey & Co. Inc. as directed on the form.

**IMPORTANT** – Coverage is currently being offered for the 2018-2019 school year and some plans may terminate at the end of this school year. Coverage for the 2019-2020 school year can be offered as early as May 1, 2019. Please call Myers-Stevens & Toohey at (800) 827-4695 to discuss enrollment options that work best for your needs. Bilingual representatives are available for parents/guardians who need assistance in Spanish.

Sincerely  
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