Good vision is essential to your child’s learning. Beginning in the 2007-08 school year, it is mandated that the parent or guardian of each student enrolled in kindergarten at a public school in this state shall provide certification to school personnel that the student passed a vision screening within the previous twelve (12) months or during the school year. Students enrolled in first or third grade at a public school in this state shall provide, within thirty (30) days of the beginning of the school year, certification to school personnel that the student passed a vision screening within the previous twelve (12) months.

A vision screening will be provided on ________________ at _________________________.

(Date)                                   (School)

Please sign this form and return it to the school by ________________ if you do not wish to have your child receive a vision screening.  

(Date)

You will be notified of the screening results by the school. **A vision screening does not substitute for a comprehensive eye examination by an eye care practitioner. If you have any concerns about your child’s vision contact an eye care professional about an eye examination.**

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(Parent/Guardian Signature)                                                      (Date)