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Hamilton, Virginia

April 9th, 1951

TO PRINCIPALS:

Immunization Clinics for pre-school children will be arranged by the health department if apparent they are necessary, then just those children referred by the family physician.

Before children enter school in September they should be vaccinated for smallpox. It is also desirable that they be immunized against diphtheria and whooping cough. It is important that this be accomplished before the first of June because of the possible unfavorable effect this immunization would have on poliomyelitis which occurs during the summer and fall months.

If children were immunized for diphtheria in infancy, it is desirable that a booster shot be given before entering school. To be effective there should be a booster shot for whooping cough each year.

If you desire a pre-school clinic, and will secure your own doctor, the health department will pay the doctor, provide the serum and a nurse. Clinics should be held as soon as possible.

If I can be of assistance please contact me.

Thank you for giving this your immediate attention.

Yours sincerely,  
Alice L. Cady  
Visiting Teacher

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December 5, 1951

*Phys & H. Ed*

## TO HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS:

Please be advised that we have set up a minimum requirement in Health of 72 class periods for the school year 1951-52. These classes may be conducted continuously five periods a week through the winter months or they may be held at such times as your school may decide. Please have each teacher keep a record to show the number of class periods in Health, so that it can be accurately reported at the end of the year.

Mr. Gibson and I feel that this is one requirement that is easily within the possibilities of our high schools and that we ought to conform.

Unless especially excused by the principal or guidance counselor from Health or Physical Education in accordance with the state regulations for accrediting secondary schools, page 13, each pupil is expected to take Health and Physical Education for four years.

In our county we have a rule that there is to be given 1/4 unit credit in Health each year if the work is satisfactorily done and then 17 units will be required for graduation.

Very sincerely yours,

O. L. Emerick  
Division Superintendent

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November 15, 1951

*Vaccinations*

TO PRINCIPALS:

We are undertaking to make up a list of substitutes and shall appreciate your help if you will send me the names of any persons who are available for substitute work. Please give address and telephone number.

Dr. Souder tells us that vaccination can now be done at anytime. The law requires all children to be vaccinated.

Very sincerely yours,

*O. L. Emerick*

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Division Superintendent

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PLEASE FILL AND RETURN

Full Name of Child \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent (Father or Guardian) \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Completed \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Put in blank spaces year child had disease:

Chicken Pox \_\_\_\_\_ Mumps \_\_\_\_\_ Measles \_\_\_\_\_ Small Pox \_\_\_\_\_ Whoop-  
ing Cough \_\_\_\_\_ Diphtheria \_\_\_\_\_ Scarlet Fever \_\_\_\_\_

Date Successfully Vaccinated \_\_\_\_\_ Diphtheria Immunization

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Please send birth certificate for examination.