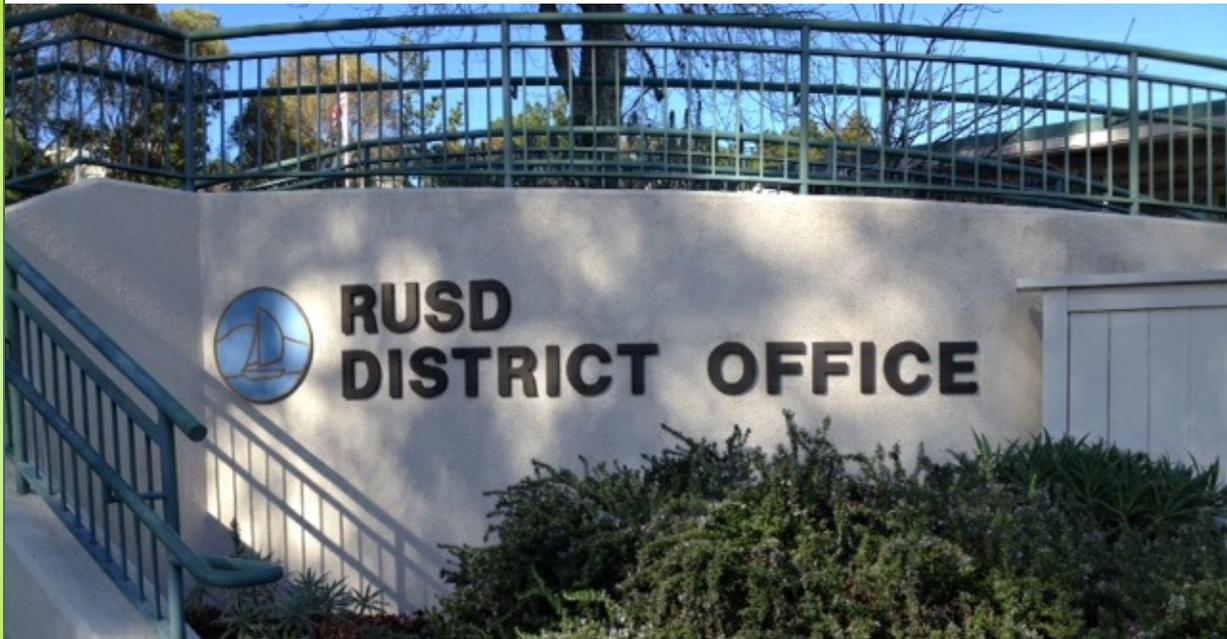


A Message From the Office of the Superintendent



Dear parents and guardians,

We have appreciated the guidance and support our District Nurse, Deborah Meshel has provided to our students, staff and families during the first semester. Due to personal commitments, she has resigned from her position. Although we will certainly miss Deborah, I am happy to announce that we have hired Laurel Johnson as her replacement, who will be working 5 days per week. Ms. Johnson's schedule will be Monday/Wednesday/Friday at Bel Aire, and Tuesday/Thursday at Del Mar. Janelle Aquino will continue to be our full time Health Specialist nurse at Reed school. We are fortunate to have two exceptional nurses to serve the students of Reed Union School District.

Laurel Johnson is looking forward to meeting our students and families, and welcomes you to contact her with any health related questions or concerns at Ljohnson@reedschools.org.

Respectfully,

Nancy Lynch, Ed.D.
Superintendent
Reed Union School District

Message from Nurse Laurel Johnson:

Re: New immunization requirements for 2016

Under a new law known as SB 277, beginning January 1, 2016 exemptions based on personal beliefs will no longer be an option for the vaccines that are currently required for entry into child care or school in California. Most families will not be affected by the new law because their children have received all required vaccinations. Personal beliefs exemptions on file for a child already attending child care or school will remain valid until the child reaches the next immunization checkpoint at kindergarten (for those students in transitional kindergarten) or 7th grade.

For more information about SB 277, please see the Frequently Asked Questions available at: <http://www.shotsforschool.org/laws/sb277faq/>.

For more information about school immunization requirements and resources, please visit the California Department of Public Health's website at www.shotsforschool.org, or contact your local health department or county office of education.

Please note that in August 2016 all entering 7th graders will need to show proof of Tdap immunization before starting school.

Thank you for helping us to keep our children and community healthy.

Sincerely,

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