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Dear Parent or Guardian:

There will be a screening program for scoliosis for all pupils as required by law and outlined in the 2017-2018 student handbook.

Scoliosis is defined as a condition of the spine in which the spine may curve to the left or right. It is most commonly found during the time of rapid growth and may progress if not treated. The purpose of the screening program is to recognize scoliosis in its earliest stages.

If you want your child to be exempt from the scoliosis exam, please complete the form at the bottom and have your child bring it in on the first day of school. If you wish to be present during your son/daughter's exam, please indicate below and you will be notified of the exact date and time. Your daughter may wish to bring a sports bra/cami to school to keep in her locker until the time of the screening.

A scoliosis screening **will be done** for all students in fitness in the 9th and 11th grades, unless the form below is returned. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Mrs. Joan Lynch, RN, MS, MA

Please return on the first day of school

_____ I Do Not want my son/daughter screened at AAHS for scoliosis.

_____ I would like to be present during my child's screening.

_____ My son/daughter is under doctor's care for scoliosis

Student's Name _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature _____