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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Education Center  
520 N.W. Wall Street  
Bend, Oregon 97703

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Dear Parent or Guardian:

It is important to know that Bend-La Pine Schools **does not** carry accident insurance for students. This means that you are responsible for the medical bills if your child gets hurt during school activities. However, as a service to you and your child, the District does provide access to a voluntary low cost, student accident and sickness insurance program that families may purchase. These insurance plans are offered through Myers-Stevens & Toohey & Co., Inc (MST). This company provides both accident and sickness policies for families wishing to purchase coverage for their students for the 2023-2024 school year. They also offer Dental Accident coverage with or without an accident plan.

MST offers accident only policies as well as accident and sickness policies. You can get coverage for single events like field trips or coverage full-time, 24/7. The attached brochure provides information on all coverages available as well as the pricing for each. Please **read this brochure carefully** for an outline of the policies, and **save the brochure** for reference. These plans provide **LIMITED COVERAGE**. You will want to be aware of those limitations. If you have any questions, please call the plan administrator, Myers-Stevens & Toohey & Co., Inc. at **(800) 827-4695 or www.myers-stevens.com**. Bilingual representatives are available for parents who need assistance in Spanish.

You can find this letter and other information on our health and wellness site at:

<https://www.bend.k12.or.us/district/home/health-wellness/insurance>

You can find the policy enrollment form on the MST site at:

<https://myers-stevens.com/enrollment/>

Thank you,  
Brad Henry  
Chief Fiscal and Operations Officer