MIDDLETOWN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

The following is an outline of the units covered this year in your child's Health Curriculum. The units are designed to provide students with the information, decision-making skills and attitudes that will encourage thoughtful and responsible behavior.

If you choose not to have your son/daughter participate in any portion of a unit, you must complete a "Request to be Excused" form which is available in the main school office. If you wish to discuss these units, please call your child's school for an appointment.

CURRICULUM UNITS – GRADE 1

- I. Wellness
 - Healthy Habits
 - Food Groups
 - Medicine
- II. Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco
 - Medicines
 - Harmful Effects of Alcohol and Other Drugs

- III. Community Health
 - Healthy Decision-Making
 - Wants and Needs in Health and safety situations
 - Character
 - Physical Disabilities
 - Safe and Appropriate Behaviors and Touches
 - Conflict Resolution

Sincerely,

Devyn Orozco

MIDDLETOWN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS <u>ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF HEALTH CURRICULUM OUTLINE</u>

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