

September 2023

Dear Parent or Guardian:

RE: STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

The Upper Grand District School Board does **not** provide accident insurance coverage for student injuries that occur on school premises or during school activities. Accidents can and do happen. Some injuries incur medical, dental or other expenses that are not covered by Provincial health care or employer group plans. As a parent or guardian, you become responsible for these expenses.

Under *the Education Act*, the Board is empowered to make available an Accident and Life Insurance Program for students. Families have a choice between two Providers for the purchase of Student Accident Insurance. Both Providers offer a variety of plans and benefits at affordable annual prices.

Student Accident Insurance Provider Information:

INSUREMYKIDS®– Underwritten by Old Republic Insurance Company of Canada

Insuremykids® offers 3 plans that provide coverage 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Each plan offers different levels of coverage ranging in price from \$17 - \$33 per year. Family rates for 3 or more children are also offered. There is an added bonus of locking-in at current rates for 3 or 5 years. If you wish to purchase or have any questions in regard to coverage, please visit their website at www.insuremykids.com or call toll free **1-800-463-5437**.

STUDYINSURED™ – Underwritten by Certain Lloyd’s Underwriters through AON insurance

Studyinsured™ offers 3 plans that provide coverage 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Each plan offers different levels of coverage ranging in price from \$17 - \$33 per year. Family rates for 3 or more children are also offered. If you wish to purchase or have any questions in regard to coverage, please visit their website at www.studyinsuredstudentaccident.com or call toll free 1-855-649-4182, Mon – Fri 9am – 5pm EST.

Please note that payment is made directly to the Provider. The insurance agreement is between **you** and the Provider. The Upper Grand District School Board is not compensated in any way regardless of the number of students participating in the insurance program. Our interest is to protect our students and their families, resulting in healthier and financially secure communities.

Paper applications are no longer available through your child’s school. Please visit the Provider’s website. Some promotional Provider information is posted on the Upper Grand District School Board website and can be viewed at this link: <https://www.ugdsb.ca/parents/accident-insurance/>

Student Accident Insurance or Extended Health and Dental coverage is strongly recommended for all students, especially students participating in extra-curricular athletics.

Sincerely,



Peter Sovran
Director of Education

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