

## Annual Parental Notification – Ohio Parents' Bill of Rights

In accordance with Ohio House Bill 8 ("Parents' Bill of Rights") and School policy, Buckeye Online must annually provide parents or guardians with information about parents' rights regarding their child's education, well-being, and school policies. This annual notification is being provided to ensure parents are fully informed and involved

Buckeye Online offers the following physical, mental, and behavioral health care services:

- Buckeye Online operates a K–12 comprehensive school counseling program aligned with Ohio's Social Emotional Learning Standards.
- Buckeye Online partners with Aaris Therapy Group to offer hearing and vision screenings to our students.

Buckeye Online is authorized by law to employ health care service professionals and to provide certain services – among them, diabetes care, conducting hearing and vision tests, testing for tuberculosis (if required by the Board of Health), screening for newly enrolling kindergarten or first-grade students, dyslexia screenings, medication administration, concussion assessments, seizure action planning, threat assessments, counseling to any victim of sexual harassment, or sexually related conduct, counseling for habitually absent students, and any other services required by a student's Individualized Education Plan or 504 Plan.

Other options are available for your child to receive physical, mental, and behavioral health services. You can see your primary health care provider. Programs, including a public health clinic, are also offered by the County Health Department.

To facilitate parental involvement and decision-making, parents have the option to withhold consent or decline any service offered by the School. Consenting to any services does not waive the right to access their child's educational or health records or to be notified about a change in their child's services or monitoring as required by law. Parents must notify the School in writing if they choose to withhold consent.

**\*\*Notice and consent does not apply to emergency situations, first aid, other unanticipated minor health care services, or health care services provided pursuant to a student's IEP or 504 Plan.**