



Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your student's school will soon be conducting vision screenings in accordance with the Utah School Vision Screening Policy. Friends for Sight is a local nonprofit organization that specializes in vision screening, and FFS staff and volunteers will be on hand to assist with the process.

**For the most accurate results, if your student wears prescription glasses or contacts, please have them wear them on the day of the screening.** Screenings are intended to find out if the student has the tools they need to see clearly at school, so it's ideal to test the student's best possible corrected vision.

If your child cannot see at the appropriate distance for their age, or fails a SPOT machine screening, a referral form will be sent home with your child. This sheet will recommend that a full eye exam for your child should be a priority. Please remember that a vision screening is not a substitute for a complete eye exam and vision evaluation by an eye doctor.

Since no child should be denied proper eye care because of finances, Friends for Sight has several partnerships that provide free eye exams and glasses for those who qualify for financial assistance.

If you have any questions regarding vision screening, ages when full exams are recommended or would like any additional information, please call us at (801) 524-2020 or visit our website [www.friendsforsight.org](http://www.friendsforsight.org).

As a non-profit that relies on donations to fund our free screenings, please consider donating \$2 to Friends for Sight when you renew your driver license or vehicle registration.

We are looking forward to screening your child at school!

Sincerely,

**Friends for Sight Staff and Volunteers**

