

Parental notification of an eye test in kindergartens of Upper Austria

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Dear Parents,
dear Legal Guardians,

Your child _____



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underwent an eye test by an optician today.

The eye test included the measurement of short- and long-distance vision, as well as spatial vision.

The following results concerning vision (short/long distance and spatial) have been recorded:

Normal results

Please make sure that your child's eyesight is examined regularly in the future (the next routine examination will be carried out by the school doctor).

Abnormal results

Please make an appointment with an ophthalmologist in the next few days so that your child can be given a specific examination before it starts school! This will make it possible to assess whether there is really an impairment.

It is so important to be screened by an optician in order to be able to recognise a reduction in visual performance at an early stage and correct it in good time.

Good vision is so important for the development of your child and especially for a good start at school!

Comments by the optician: _____

Please note:

- Occasionally, the eye test at the kindergarten shows an abnormal result, but the specialist does not diagnose any abnormality. However, we recommend that an ophthalmologist should clarify any abnormal test results.
- If, within the last 3 months, your child has had an appointment with an ophthalmologist, or is under such care or is attending a vision school, please continue to keep the regular check-up appointments.
- In the event of acute complaints, please contact an ophthalmologist immediately.

Yours sincerely,

For the Province of Upper Austria
Province Medical Director Dr Georg Palmisano