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Dear Parents and Guardians:

I am writing to provide important information for families who may have insufficient accidental injury insurance coverage for their students.

**ISD 279 – Osseo Area Schools does not provide any type of health or accident insurance for injuries incurred by your child at school.** Therefore, we encourage you to review your present health and accident insurance program to determine if your coverage is adequate. There are two reasons why you may want to purchase supplemental coverage: you feel your insurance is inadequate because of a deductible or co-insurance clause; or you do not have insurance.

Families have the opportunity to purchase supplemental accident insurance through Student Assurance Services, Inc. The enclosed brochure describes the cost and benefits for medical expenses incurred because of an accident. If you have other insurance, the benefits will apply to your deductible or co-pay.

**Online enrollment through the Student Assurance website:** [www.sas-mn.com](http://www.sas-mn.com).
*Please note: There is a $5 processing fee to enroll online.*

If you prefer, complete the attached hard copy application and mail it to Student Assurance Services:

- Print names, addresses and other information clearly.
- Enclose a check or money order made payable to **STUDENT ASSURANCE SERVICES, INC** or complete the credit card payment form.
- Print student’s name on the face of the check or money order if this is the method of payment.
- Detach and retain the summary of coverage and send the envelope to:

  Student Assurance Services, Inc.
  PO Box 196
  Stillwater, MN 55082-0196

Coverage will become effective at 12:01 a.m. the date the envelope containing the enrollment form and premium is postmarked by the U.S. Post Office. **Do not send your envelope back to your student’s school.**

All questions regarding the coverage should be directed to Student Assurance Services, Inc., Stillwater, Minnesota 651-439-7098, or toll free 1-800-328-2739.

Respectfully,

*Patricia Magnuson*

Executive Director of Finance and Operations

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