



FREE DENTAL SCREENING AT YOUR SCHOOL

WDG Public Health is coming to your school!

WDG Public Health will provide free dental screenings during the 2025-2026 school year for students in JK, SK and Grade 2. Screenings are provided under the Ontario Public Health Standards. **If your child is in one of these grades, you do not need to register for dental screening. Your child is already enrolled.**

What is a dental screening?

A dental screening is a quick look in the mouth by a Registered Dental Hygienist. A sterilized dental mirror and protective non-latex gloves are used for each child. This screening does not replace a full exam by a dentist. Parents are notified if there is an area of concern or if an urgent dental issue is found.

When will we visit your school?

Your child's school will provide notification of the dental screening date.

How can I include or exclude my child? (Opt-in/Opt-out)

You can opt-in or out of the dental screening program if your child:

1. **Is not** in one of the grades listed above, and you would like them to be screened (opt-in), or
2. **Is** in one of the grades listed above, but you **do not** want them to be screened (opt-out).

To opt in or out, use your phone to access our QR code or call us at 1-800-265-7293 ext. 2661.



Public Health offers free dental services for children and youth 17 and younger for families that cannot afford dental care. If you know that your child needs dental treatment, but you cannot afford the cost, please call us. We can help. There is no need to wait for the dental screening day.

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