

National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP) and vision screening



All children in a Leeds reception class get an important health check whilst in school.

This is called the
**National Child Measurement
Programme (NCMP) and vision
screening.**

We will measure and weigh your child fully clothed and do a distance vision screening.

Issues with either might affect your child's learning, development and achievements and is offered so we can spot any problems.

0-19

**Public Health Integrated
Nursing Service**





Your child's results will be sent to you. It will not be shared with the school without your consent. The results will be included in the letter and we will tell you if your child needs further eyesight tests. You may be asked to go to a local optician or your child may be referred to the Community Eye Clinic.

Please note the service does not screen for squints.

If your child is allergic to Durapore (surgical sticking tape), you want more information about the height, weight and eye screening or if you **DO NOT** want your child to have eye screening or be included in the NCMP programme, please telephone our 0-19 Admin SPA on **0113 843 5683** to tell us.



You can also find out more on the NHS website:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-weight/national-child-measurement-programme>

Information and fun ideas to help your kids stay healthy can be found at: <https://www.nhs.uk/change4life>

We review all children's health records before school entry - so now you are thinking about school tell us about your child's health and development

Visit our www.setforschool.co.uk/Leeds

- Provides self-help information
- Useful links to local and national websites
- Raise any issues you may want us to know about
- Get support before your child goes into school

We will be following 'Government Health Protection Team' (formally Public Health England) guidance at all times and may be wearing PPE at the point of contact with your child.

For further information about how we process your child's data, please view our Privacy Notice on our website: <https://www.leedscommunityhealthcare.nhs.uk>

Information about how NHS Digital and Public Health England collect and use information can be found at <https://digital.nhs.uk/about-nhs-digital/our-work/keeping-patient-data-safe/how-we-look-after-your-health-and-care-information> and <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england/about/personal-information-charter>.

Information about the organisations NHS Digital has shared information from the National Child Measurement Programme can be found at <https://digital.nhs.uk/services/national-child-measurement-programme>

