

Hi Parents,

Hearing screening is scheduled for Thursday 9/21 from 9 to 11:45ish. It would be great to have 6 or more volunteers to help with this event. Sign up here:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b49afae28aafd0-hearing>

Details:

- © Need volunteers to show up no later than 8:45. *Once event is underway it's difficult if not impossible for me to pull out and give instructions, so show up at 8:45!* Your children can hang with us or in the cafeteria until classrooms are opened.
- © Sign in at front desk a bit before 8:45, get a visitor badge and come find me. Front desk can direct you. (possibly in the Library this year)
- © Specific jobs include:
 - Retrieving classes (wear comfortable shoes!)
 - Instructing classes – “listen carefully, raise either hand when you hear the tone, checkout with Nurse Nancey when finished”
 - Instructing classes – “inside voice, inside feet, wait quietly”
 - Door monitor, keep the students coming into and out of room, and keep door from slamming.
 - May have 1 or 2 Volunteers operate the audiometer. This is an easy task and UW audiology students will give clear instruction.
- © Yes, you can probably retrieve and work with your child's class!
- © Can also rotate around in the above roles.
- © Fourth graders will not be tested anymore. State law stipulates that K-3 & grade 5 should be tested each year, so grade 4 will henceforth be skipped.

It would be very difficult and time consuming to complete the screening without parent help! With parent volunteers, classroom interruption is minimized, screening is completed prior to the start of recesses and lunch, screening is completed in about 2 ½ hours, and **everything flows smoothly.**

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Dr. Seuss