

Kindergarten Teeth Tips

Before School Checkup

Starting kindergarten is an exciting time for both kids and parents. One thing to do before your kindergarten student starts school is to make sure they have had a dental checkup.

School Screenings

All kids receive a dental screening at school, starting in kindergarten. This free dental screening is a quick (30-60 second) visual check of your kid's teeth by a registered dental hygienist using a light and a mirror. All students who are screened receive a dental report card to let parents know what the dental hygienist saw.

Free Dental Care

Healthy Smiles Ontario is a Government of Ontario program that provides free dental services for kids. If you would like to see if your family qualifies for this program, please contact the Health Unit.