



IT'S THE RULE SHOTS BEFORE SCHOOL

2012-2013 Minimum Immunization Requirements For School Entry (Preschool & K-12)

Children born on or before September 1, 1999 must have a minimum of:	(4) Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP) (1) Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) (3) Polio (3) Hepatitis B
Children born after September 1, 1999 through September 1, 2005 must have a minimum of:	(5) Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP) ² (2) Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) (3) Polio (3) Hepatitis B
Children born after September 1, 2005¹ must have a minimum of:	(5) Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP) ² (2) Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) (4) Polio ³ (3) Hepatitis B (2) Varicella (Chickenpox) ⁴ (2) Hepatitis A

7th Grade Immunization Requirements

Immunization Requirement by Grade ⁵	Doses of Vaccines Required
Children admitted to 7th grade must meet the following minimum requirements in addition to school entry requirements above:	(1) Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap) (1) Meningococcal

1. Preschool children need only be age-appropriately immunized with the required vaccines (please see About the Preschool Immunization Requirement).
2. DTaP: The 5th dose is not necessary if the 4th dose was administered at age 4 years or older.
3. Polio: The 4th dose is not necessary if the 3rd dose was administered at age 4 years or older and at least 6 months after previous dose.
4. Varicella: History of varicella (chickenpox) disease documented by a physician or licensed health care professional meets the requirement.
5. 7th Grade Requirement: This requirement will be extended to: 7th-8th grade students in 2012, 7th-9th grade students in 2013, 7th-10th grade students in 2014, 7th-11th grade students in 2015, and 7th-12th grade students in 2016.

*If your child is not immunized due to medical, religious, or philosophical reasons, please let the school know and they will provide you with the appropriate document to submit.