

Immunization Information

State law requires that ALL students have the following immunizations to attend school:

Vaccine	Kindergarten	7th Grade	8th - 12th Grade
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis ¹ (DTaP/DTP/DT/Td/Tdap)	5 doses or 4 doses ²	3 doses ³ 1 Tdap/Td booster ⁴	3 doses ³ 1 Tdap/Td booster within last 10 years ⁵
Polio ^{1, 6}	4 doses or 3 doses	4 doses or 3 doses	4 doses or 3 doses
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella ^{1, 7, 11} (MMR)	2 doses	2 doses	2 doses
Hepatitis B ^{1, 8, 11}	3 doses	3 doses	3 doses
Varicella ^{1, 9, 11, 12}	2 doses	2 doses	2 doses
Meningococcal ¹		1 dose	
Hepatitis A ^{1, 10, 11}	2 doses		

1. Receipt of the dose up to (and including) 4 days before the birthday will satisfy the school entry immunization requirement.
2. Five doses of a diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis containing vaccine, one of which must have been received on or after the fourth birthday; however, 4 doses meet the requirement if the 4th dose was given on or after the 4th birthday.
3. Three doses, including one dose on or after the fourth birthday.
4. Students will be required to have a booster dose of Tdap only if it has been five years since their last dose of tetanus-containing vaccine. Td is acceptable in lieu of Tdap if a contraindication to pertussis exists.
5. Students will be required to have a booster dose of Tdap if it has been ten years since their previous dose of tetanus-containing vaccine. Td is acceptable in lieu of Tdap if a contraindication to pertussis exists.
6. Four doses of polio vaccine one of which must have been received on or after the fourth birthday; however, 3 doses meet the requirement if the 3rd dose was given on or after the 4th birthday.
7. Two doses of MMR vaccine with the first dose on or after the 1st birthday.
8. Two doses of adult hepatitis B vaccine (Recombivax®) are acceptable. Dosage and type of vaccine must be clearly documented. (Two 10 mcg/ 1.0 ml of Recombivax®)
9. Two doses received on or after the 1st birthday.
10. Two doses with the first dose received on or after the 1st birthday.
11. Serologic confirmation of immunity to measles, mumps, rubella, hepatitis B, hepatitis A, or varicella or serologic evidence of infection is acceptable in lieu of vaccine.

Medication Procedures

If it is necessary for a student to have medication in order to remain in school, his/her physician and parent are requested to complete the Medication Permit Form and return it to the school nurse. The medication must have a pharmacy label stating the student's name, medication's name, dosage, doctor's name and prescription date. Non-prescription medication will not be administered. All medicines are required to be brought to the school nurse in the original container to be administered by school personnel.