

GUIDE TO IMMUNIZATIONS REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL ENTRY

GRADES TK/K-12

Requirements by Age and Grade Entering:

Vaccine	18 months-5 years (Preschool only)	4-6 Years Old Elementary School at Transitional-Kindergarten Kindergarten and Above	7-17 Years Old Elementary or Secondary School	7th Grade*
Polio (OPV or IPV)	3 doses	4 doses (3 doses OK if one was given on or after 4th birthday)	4 doses (3 doses OK if one was given on or after 2nd birthday)	
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTaP, DTP, DT, or Tdap)	4 doses	5 doses (4 doses OK if one was given on or after 4th birthday)	3 doses (4 doses required if last dose was before 2nd birthday. At least one dose must be Tdap or DTaP/DTP given on or after 7th birthday for all 7th-12th graders.)	1 dose of Tdap (Or DTP/DTaP given on or after the 7th birthday.)
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR or MMR-V)	1 dose (On or after 1st birthday)	2 doses (Both given on or after 1st birthday. Only one dose of mumps and rubella vaccines are required if given separately.)	1 dose (Dose given on or after 1st birthday. Mumps vaccine is not required if given separately.)	2 doses of MMR or any measles-containing vaccine (Both doses given on or after 1st birthday.)
Hepatitis B (Hep B or HBV)	3 doses	3 doses		
Varicella (chickenpox, VAR, MMR-V or VZV)	1 dose	1 dose	1 dose for ages 7-12 years. 2 doses for ages 13-17 years.	
Hib	1 dose (On or after the 1st birthday – Only required for children less than 4 years, 6 months.)			

*New admissions to 7th grade should also meet the requirements for ages 7-17 years.