## Immunization Requirements for Students in Grades 6, 7, & 8

Important: On 6/13/19, NYS eliminated the religious exemption from vaccinations for school attendance. Information is available on the NYS Department of Health website at: <a href="https://www.health.ny.gov/prevention/immunization/schools/">https://www.health.ny.gov/prevention/immunization/schools/</a>.

Dear Parent/Guardian,

**School Contact Information** 

Date: June 2020

New York State Law Section 2164 requires certain immunizations (shots) to enter and attend school. Please check with your health care provider as soon as possible to make sure that your child has all the needed immunizations.

Required Immunizations for Grade 6, 7, & 8

Immunization	Number of Doses  3 doses		
DTaP/DTP			
Tdap	Age 11: Must receive an immunization containing Tetanus Toxoids, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis (Tdap)		
Polio	4 doses		
	or <b>3 doses</b> if the 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose was received at age 4 or older		
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MMR	2 doses		
Hepatitis B	3 doses or 2 doses		
	of adult hepatitis B Vaccine (Recombivax) for children who		
	received doses at least 4 months apart between ages 11		
	through 15 years		
Varicella (chickenpox)	2 doses		
Meningococcal conjugate	1 dose		
(MenACWY)	Grade 7 or 8*, 9*, & 10*		

Please send proof of immunization to the school prior to the start of school.

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