



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Immunizations are required by law for entry into North Carolina Schools.

There are several vaccines that your child will need to receive prior to entering kindergarten, 7th and 12th grade. It is your responsibility as the parent/guardian to present up to date immunization records for your child to the school. You will have 30 calendar days from the first day of school to provide the immunization record.

If you have any questions, please contact the office. 828-652-7729 ext. 101

Thank You,

Megan Walker, NMCS secretary.

Kindergarten Vaccination requirements for kindergarten-age children can be found below:

Vaccine	Number Doses Required Before School
<u>Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis</u>	5 doses
<u>Polio</u>	4 doses
<u>Measles</u>	2 doses
<u>Mumps</u>	2 doses
<u>Rubella</u>	1 dose
<u>Haemophilus Influenzae type B</u>	4 doses
<u>Hepatitis B (Hep B)</u>	3 doses
<u>Varicella (chickenpox)</u>	2 doses
<u>Pneumococcal conjugate</u>	4 doses

7th Grade Vaccination requirements for 7th grade age children can be found below:

Vaccine	Number Doses Required Before School
<u>Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis</u>	5 doses
<u>Polio</u>	4 doses
<u>Measles</u>	2 doses
<u>Mumps</u>	2 doses
<u>Rubella</u>	1 dose
<u>Haemophilus Influenzae type B (Hib)</u>	4 doses
<u>Hepatitis B (Hep B)</u>	3 doses
<u>Varicella (chickenpox)</u>	1 dose
<u>Tetanus/diphtheria/pertussis</u>	1 dose

<u>Meningococcal conjugate</u>	1 dose
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12th Grade Vaccination requirements for 12th grade age children can be found below:

Vaccine	Number Doses Required Before School Entry*
<u>Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis</u>	5 doses
<u>Polio</u>	4 doses
<u>Measles</u>	2 doses
<u>Mumps</u>	2 doses
<u>Rubella</u>	1 dose
<u>Haemophilus Influenzae type B (Hib)</u>	4 doses
<u>Hepatitis B (Hep B)</u>	3 doses
<u>Varicella (chickenpox)</u>	1 dose
<u>Tetanus/diphtheria/pertussis</u>	1 dose
<u>Meningococcal conjugate (Effective 2020-2021 School Year)</u>	2 doses