

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA
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SCHOOL HEALTH INFORMATION/REMINDERS

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The School District of Philadelphia requires that students get medical examinations upon entry and transfer to a new school. Students entering 7th Grade will be required to get a dental exam when dental restrictions are lifted by the Pennsylvania Health Department. Students entering 11th grade are required to get a medical exam.

All students must be up-to-date on vaccines based on their grade level. Please check with your child's health care provider to confirm vaccine status. For students who need to have medication administered during school hours, you and your child's physician must complete the Request for Administration of Medication Form(Med-1).

Guide To School District of Philadelphia Immunization Requirements
FOR ATTENDANCE IN ALL GRADES (k-12)

Diphtheria, Tetanus and Acellular Pertussis (DTap)—4 Doses
Polio (IPV)—4 Doses
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)—2 Doses
Hepatitis B(HepB) —3 doses
Chickenpox (Varicella) —2 doses

FOR ATTENDANCE TO 7TH GRADE : Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV4) - 1 dose
and Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Acellular Pertussis (Tdap) — 1 dose

FOR ATTENDANCE TO 12TH GRADE: Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV4) - 2nd dose

I have attached the following forms for you.

1. Request for Administration of Medication (Med-1)
2. Student Emergency/Medical Information (S-865)

Or you can download these and other health forms at this link: www.philasd.org/studenthealthservices.

Upon return to school, please submit copies of completed exams/forms to the School Nurse. Thank you and have a safe Summer.


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