

Morrisville Eaton Central School District

Dear Parent/Guardian of _____ Date _____

All students entering or attending school in NYS, including distance (virtual) learning, must be immunized. Your child is missing one or more immunizations (shots) for school entry or attendance.

Please share the attached documents with your child's health care provider (MD, NP, PA) so they can provide the immunizations your child needs. The age at which vaccines (shots) are given must match the [NYSDOH Immunization Requirements for School Entrance/Attendance Chart](#).

Children 4-6 years old are due for the following boosters prior to *Kindergarten*: **D-tap** (diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis, also called whooping cough), **chicken pox**, **MMR** (measles, mumps and rubella) and **polio**. In addition, yearly flu vaccinations are recommended for all children 6 months and older. Please call your doctor/provider to make certain these vaccines are up to date. New York State is very strict with these vaccinations. The Madison County Health Department in Wampsville also provides vaccinations, 315-366-2327

Tdap requirements in the 2020-2021 school year are:

- Students entering 6th grade will need a Tdap no earlier than 10 years of age and no later than 11 years of age.
- Students in grades 7- 12 doses will need a Tdap no earlier than 7 years of age.

Meningococcal requirements in the 2020-2021 school year are:

- Students entering grade 7 are required to have the first dose of meningococcal conjugate no earlier than 10 years of age.
- New entrants in grades 8-12 are required to have the first dose no earlier than 6 weeks of age.

Schools can accept the following immunization records as proof of immunization:

- An immunization record from your health care provider or health department.
- An official copy of the immunization record sent directly from your child's previous school with the dates given.
- A NYSIIS/NYCIR Immunization Registry record.
- A blood test (titer) lab report that proves immunity to Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Varicella, Hepatitis B.
- A note from your health care provider with the date your child had Chicken Pox (varicella).

Please return your child's immunization record to the School Health Office.

Contact Information

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New York State Public Health Law, Section 2164 requires that schools will not permit a child to attend school unless the parent provides the school with a certificate of immunization or proof from a physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant that the child is in the process of receiving the required immunizations. All health care providers that give immunizations to children are required to enter the immunizations they provide in NYSIIS or NYCIR within 14 days.

[NYSDOH Immunization Regulations are available on the NYSDOH website.](#)

