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New Hampshire
School Immunization Requirements 2019-2020

Refer to page 2 for minimum ages and intervals

Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis DTaP DT/DTP Tdap/Td	6 years and under: 4 or 5 doses with the last dose given on or after the 4 th birthday 7 years and older: 3, 4, or 5 doses with the last dose given on or after the 4 th birthday Grades 7-12: 1 dose of Tdap is required for entry into 7 th grade
Polio	Grades K-7: 3 or 4 doses with the last dose given on or after the 4 th birthday and the last 2 doses separated by 6 months or more Grades 8-12: 3 doses, with the last dose given on or after the 4 th birthday OR 4 doses regardless of age at administration
Hepatitis B	Grades K-12: 3 doses at acceptable intervals
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella MMR	Grades K-12: 2 doses; the first dose must be administered on or after the 1 st birthday
Varicella (Chicken Pox)	Grades K-10: 2 doses with the first dose administered on or after the 1 st birthday OR laboratory confirmation of immunity Grades 11-12: 2 doses with the first dose administered on or after the 1 st birthday OR laboratory confirmation of immunity OR history of chicken pox disease

- Children must have proof of all required immunizations, documentation of immunity, or valid exemptions, in order to be admitted or enrolled in any school in New Hampshire. Documentation of immunity by confirming laboratory test is acceptable for Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Varicella, and Hepatitis B.
- A child may be “conditionally” enrolled when the parent or guardian provides:
 - 1) Documentation of at least one dose for each required vaccine; AND
 - 2) The appointment date for the next dose of required vaccine.
- All immunizations must meet minimum age and interval requirements for each vaccine. A 4-day grace period is allowed; however, live attenuated vaccines (MMR, Varicella, or nasal influenza vaccine) that are not administered on the same day must be administered at least 28 days apart.
- Medical and religious exemptions have specific requirements. Information is available at:
<https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/immunization/exemptions.htm>