

## Supplemental Guidance for School-Required Vaccines

Children vaccinated in accordance with either the current ACIP harmonized schedule or the ACIP harmonized catch-up schedules (including all minimum age and interval requirements) are considered appropriately immunized for school attendance\*†

Grade Level	Antigen	Minimum Requirement	Notes	Vaccine Information	
				Components	Trade Names
Kindergarten (KG)	Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis (DTaP) vaccine	4 doses of DTaP vaccine - one on or after the 4th birthday	Typically, 5 doses are given by entry to kindergarten. However, a 5 <sup>th</sup> dose is not necessary if dose 4 was administered at age 4 years or older <b>and</b> at least 6 months after dose 3.  NOTE: Children over the age of 7 years will need only 3 doses of tetanus-containing vaccine provided the 1st dose was administered at 12 months of age or older (Tdap may be given as one of the 3 doses).	DTaP	Daptacel; Infanrix
				Tdap	Adacel; Boostrix
				Td	Decavac; Tenivac
	Polio (IPV) vaccine	4 doses of Polio vaccine - one on or after the 4th birthday	<b>NOTE:</b> A 4th dose is not necessary if the 3rd dose was administered at 4 years of age or older and at least 6 months following the previous dose.  Trivalent oral poliovirus vaccine (OPV) may be accepted in lieu of IPV if it is indicated as trivalent (or the dose was administered prior to April 1, 2016).	IPV	IPOL
	Varicella (Chickenpox) vaccine	2 doses of Varicella vaccine			Varivax
	Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR) vaccine	2 doses of measles and mumps vaccine 1 dose of rubella vaccine.	Not usually a problem for children born in the US as 2 doses of MMR are typically given; foreign-born children may have received single antigen vaccines.	MMR	M-M-R II PRIORIX
	Hepatitis B vaccine	3 doses of Hepatitis B vaccine	If a child is 11-15 years of age at the time of FIRST vaccination, only 2 doses are needed if the adult dose of Recombivax HB is used.		Engerix-B; Recombivax HB
	Hepatitis A (HAV) vaccine	2 doses of Hepatitis A vaccine, the first dose shall be administered at age 12 months or older.			VAQTA Havrix

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Non-Grade Specific Vaccine Information & Combination Vaccines	Pneumococcal (PCV) vaccine	Not required for kindergarten entry.	Only required for children in daycare or head start programs.		Prevnar 15 Vaxneuvance Prevnar 20
	Haemophilus Influenzae Type b (Hib) vaccine	Not required for kindergarten entry.	Only required for children in daycare or head start programs.		ActHIB; Hiberix; PedvaxHIB
	Rotavirus vaccine	Not required for kindergarten entry.	Only required for children in daycare or head start programs.		RotaTeq; ROTARIX
	Combination Vaccines (contains at least one of the vaccines required for school)				
				MMR + Varicella	ProQuad (MMRV)
				DTaP + IPV	Kinrix; Quadracel
				DTaP + Hepatitis B + IPV	Pediarix
				DTaP + IPV + Hib	Pentacel
				DTaP+ IPV + Hib +Hepatitis B	VAXELIS
				MenACWY + MenB	PENBRAYA PENMENVY

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Seventh Grade	<b>Tetanus, Diphtheria, &amp; Pertussis (Tdap) vaccine</b>	1 dose of Tdap vaccine	If the Tdap vaccine has been given after the age of 7 years, the requirement is met. NOTE: Only 1 dose of Tdap is required, regardless of the interval since the last dose of pertussis-containing vaccine.	Tdap	Adacel Boostrix
	<b>Meningococcal ACWY (MenACWY) vaccine</b>	1 dose of MenACWY vaccine	The first dose should be administered prior to 7 <sup>th</sup> grade. Doses given before age 10 years should not be counted.  The final dose should be administered before 12 <sup>th</sup> grade. (See below).		Menactra Menveo MenQuadfi Menomune - (discontinued)
	<b>Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine</b>	2 doses of HPV vaccine	ACIP requires a total of two or three doses depending on age of the first dose.		Gardasil 9
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<b>Meningococcal ACWY (MenACWY) vaccine</b>	1 dose of MenACWY vaccine	Final dose must be administered prior to the start of 12 <sup>th</sup> grade. If the first dose is received at or after 16 years of age, a second dose is not needed. MenACWY vaccine should not be administered to students over the age of 22, who are enrolled in 12 <sup>th</sup> grade.		Menactra Menveo MenQuadfi Menomune - (discontinued)

**NOTE: 4-day grace period IS allowed according to current recommendations for ALL antigens/doses. Current schedules may be found at:**  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/index.html>

† Minimum age/intervals table may be found in Appendix A of The Pink Book: <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/index.html>

To receive additional information regarding school-age vaccination please refer to the VDH Division of Immunization website <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/immunization/requirements/>

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<b>Catch-up (Adults)</b>	<b>Polio (IPV) Vaccine</b>	3 doses of Polio vaccine	Adult students aged 19 years or older who are known or suspected to be unvaccinated or incompletely vaccinated against polio should complete a primary vaccination series with inactivated polio vaccine.		
	<b>Measles, Mumps &amp; Rubella (MMR) vaccine</b>	1 dose of MMR vaccine	Adult students aged 19 years or older with no evidence of immunity/vaccination of MMR should receive one dose of MMR vaccine.		

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Vaccine Requirement for newly enrolling students, based on School Year in Virginia

Grade	2-dose series - Hepatitis A
KG	2021-2022
1st	2022-2023
2nd	2023-2024
3rd	2024-2025
4th	2025-2026
5th	2026-2027
6th	2027-2028
7th	2028-2029
8th	2029-2030
9th	2030-2031
10th	2031-2032
11th	2032-2033
12th	2033-2034

1 dose - Meningococcal Conjugate	
Grade	School Year
7th	2021-2022
8th	2022-2023
9th	2023-2024
10th	2024-2025
11th	2025-2026
At least 1 dose prior to 12 <sup>th</sup> grade -- after the age of 16 - Meningococcal Conjugate	
Grade	School Year
12th	2021-2022
12th	2022-2023
12th	2023-2024
12th	2024-2025
12th	2025-2026
2 doses - Meningococcal Conjugate (1 dose prior to 7 <sup>th</sup> grade, and 1 dose prior to 12 <sup>th</sup> grade -- after the age of 16)	
Grade	School Year
12th	2026-2027

In subsequent years, vaccines are required at the grade level of the initial cohort affected by the change in the requirements.