

Immunization Requirements

IS YOUR STUDENT READY FOR 7TH GRADE?

DID YOU KNOW...

...the Pennsylvania Department of Health requires all students entering 7th grade to submit the required proof of vaccinations prior to school attendance or they will not be able to attend school? It's the law.



Follow these steps to make sure your student is ready for school.



SCHEDULE

your student's well visit to ensure receipt of the required 7th grade vaccinations:

- Tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis (Tdap) - 1 dose
- Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV4) -1 dose



OBTAIN

a medical certificate signed by your student's doctor, detailing the plan to complete vaccines on the appropriate schedule.

The medical certificate is available at philasd.org/VAX.



SUBMIT

an exemption form if your student is exempt from any immunizations for a medical, religious or philosophical/ strong moral reason.

Exempt students may be removed from school during a disease outbreak.

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Call your student's doctor or a city health center today!

To schedule an appointment at a health center call (215) 685-2933.

