



## INDIVIDUAL VACCINE REQUIREMENTS SUMMARY

### Guidelines on Immunizations Required for Child Care/Preschool and School Entry in Washington State SCHOOL YEAR 2019-2020

#### VACCINES REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, GRADES K-12

VACCINE	Kindergarten - 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Hepatitis B	3 doses Dose 3 must be given on or after 24 weeks of age		
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTaP)	5 doses (4 doses only IF 4 <sup>th</sup> dose given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday)		
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (Tdap)	Not Required	1 dose Tdap if 11 years of age or older <i>(see page 2 for more details)</i>	
Polio (IPV, for OPV see page 2)	4 doses (3 doses only IF 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday) • The final dose given on or after August 7, 2009, must be given on or after 4 years of age AND a minimum interval of 6 months from the previous dose.		4 doses (3 doses only IF 3 <sup>rd</sup> dose given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday)
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella	2 doses		
Varicella	2 doses OR Healthcare provider verified disease history		

Students entering school must get the required doses listed in this chart to be in compliance with immunization requirements. The requirements follow the national Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) Immunization Schedule with requirements specified by grade level.

To find the doses required, look at the column that includes the student’s grade and the row for the required vaccine. For example, a student entering Kindergarten needs 2 doses of MMR vaccine. The requirements and rules vary depending on the student’s grade.



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## DIPHTHERIA, TETANUS, PERTUSSIS (DTaP, DT, Td, Tdap)

All children/students entering child care/preschool and Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grades must get vaccinated against diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis ([WAC 246-105-030](#)).

Routine schedule for DTaP vaccine: 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, 15-18 months, and 4-6 years of age.  
 Routine schedule for Tdap vaccine: 1 dose recommended at 11-12 years of age.

### Child Care/Preschool Entry

	<b>DTaP</b> (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis)
<b>By 3 Months</b> (on or before last day of mo. 2)	<b>1 dose</b>
<b>By 5 Months</b> (on or before last day of mo. 4)	<b>2 doses</b>
<b>By 7 Months</b> (on or before last day of mo. 6)	<b>3 doses</b> May get Dose 3 as early as 6 months of age
<b>By 16 Months</b> (on or before last day of mo. 15)	<b>3 doses</b>
<b>By 19 Months</b> (on or before last day of mo. 18)	<b>4 doses</b> May get Dose 4 as early as 12 months as long as 6 months separate Dose 3 and Dose 4
<b>By 7 Years</b> (on or before last day of year 6 or by Kindergarten Entry)	<b>5 doses</b>

### School Entry

VACCINE	Kindergarten through 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	6 <sup>th</sup> through 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Diphtheria, Tetanus And Pertussis <b>(DTaP)</b>	<b>5 doses</b> (4 doses only <b>IF</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> dose given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday)	
Diphtheria, Tetanus And Pertussis <b>(Tdap)</b>	<b>Not Required</b>	<b>1 dose if age 11 or older</b>