

FORT WORTH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Health Services Department

Minimum State Vaccine Requirements for Texas School Entrance/Attendance
2009 – 2010

Grade PK (Pre-Kindergarten)

Vaccine	Required Doses
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP)	4 doses
Polio (IPV)	3 doses
Measles Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	1 dose on or after 12 months of age (1st birthday)
Haemophilus Influenzae type b conjugate vaccine (Hib)	1-4 doses 1 dose if given on or after 15 months OR 3-4 doses (Completed series with the last dose given on or after 12 months of age)
Varicella	1 dose on or after 12 months of age (1st birthday) if no history of chickenpox
Hepatitis A	2 doses with the 1 st dose received on or after the 1 st birthday
Hepatitis B	3 doses
Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV7)	1-4 doses 1 dose if given on or after 2nd birthday OR 2 doses if both given on or after 12 months of age and 8 weeks apart OR 3-4 doses if last dose was given on or after 12 months of age (1st birthday)

Kindergarten

Vaccine	Required Doses
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTap/DTP/DT/Td/Tdap)	5 or 4 doses, one of which must have been received on or after the 4 th birthday
Polio	4 or 3 doses, one of which must have been received on or after the 4 th birthday
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)	2 doses with first dose on or after 1 st birthday*
Hepatitis B	3 doses
Varicella	2 doses with the first dose received on or after the 1 st birthday or documented history of disease from physician, school nurse, or the child's parent or guardian in lieu of either dose*
Hepatitis A	2 doses with the 1 st dose received on or after the 1 st birthday*

*Indicates new requirement beginning the 2009-2010 school year

Grades 1st – 6th

Vaccine	Required Doses
Diphtheria, Tetanus Toxoid, and Pertussis Vaccine (DTaP/DTP/DT/ Td /Tdap)	5 or 4 doses, one of which must have been given on or after 4th birthday Students 7 years or older: 3 doses of a tetanus/diphtheria-containing vaccine, provided at least 1 dose was administered on or after the 4 th birthday
Polio	4 or 3 doses; one of which must have been given on or after the 4th birthday
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	2 doses of a measles-containing vaccine with the first dose on or after the 1 st birthday; 1 dose each of rubella and mumps vaccine
Hepatitis B	3 doses
Varicella	1 dose on or after the 1st birthday or documented history of disease by physician, school nurse, or the child's parent or guardian (2 doses if vaccine given at 13 years of age or older)

Grade 7

Vaccine	Required Doses
Diphtheria, Tetanus Toxoid, and Pertussis Vaccine (DTaP/DTP/DT//Td/Tdap)	3 doses, including one dose on or after the 4 th birthday 1 Tdap/Td booster if it has been 5 years since their last dose of a tetanus-containing vaccine. Td is acceptable in lieu of Tdap if a contraindication to pertussis exists.*
Polio	4 or 3 doses; one of which must have been given on or after the 4th birthday
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	2 doses of a measles-containing vaccine with the first dose on or after the 1 st birthday; 1 dose each of rubella and mumps vaccine
Hepatitis B	3 doses
Varicella	2 doses with the first dose received on or after the 1 st birthday or documented history of disease from physician, school nurse, or the child's parent or guardian in lieu of either dose*
Meningococcal	1 dose*

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Grades 8th – 12th

Vaccine	Required Doses
Diphtheria, Tetanus Toxoid, and Pertussis Vaccine (DTaP/DTP/DT//Td/Tdap)	3 doses, including one dose on or after the 4 th birthday 1 Tdap/Td booster within last 10 years. Students will be required to have booster dose of Tdap if it has been 10 years since their last dose of tetanus-containing vaccine. Td is acceptable in lieu of Tdap if a contraindication to pertussis exists.*
Polio	4 or 3 doses; one of which must have been given on or after the 4th birthday
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	2 doses of a measles-containing vaccine with the first dose on or after the 1 st birthday; 1 dose each of rubella and mumps vaccine
Hepatitis B	3 doses
Varicella	1 dose on or after the 1st birthday (2 doses if vaccine given at 13 years of age or older)

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