

Kindergarten through 12th Grade Immunization Chart
Immunizations Required for School Attendance 2017-18

VACCINE	Number of Doses	Grades K-12 (4-18 Years of Age)
	<i>Vaccines must follow MINIMUM INTERVALS & AGES to be valid. A 4 day grace period applies in most situations.</i>	
Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis (DTaP) <i>Only licensed through 6 yrs of age.</i>	4 to 5	5 DTaP unless dose 4 given is given on or after the 4 th b-day. Final dose of DTaP given no sooner than 4 years of age.
Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis <i>For students 7 years of age or older who did not have a full series of DTaP.</i>	3 or 4	3 doses tetanus/diphtheria containing vaccines (DTaP, DT, Td, Tdap) is required, or 4 doses required if 1 st dose of DTaP is given before 1 year of age. 1 dose of Tdap given if DTaP series not completed and student is at least 7 yrs of age. Tdap is required at 6 th grade entry through 12 th grade.
Polio (IPV) <i>With combination of OPV & IPV, need series of 4 doses</i>	3 to 4	4 IPV unless 3 rd dose is given on or after 4 th birthday. Students who were compliant with 3 or 4 doses (4 weeks minimum intervals between doses) prior to August 7, 2009 have met the requirement.
Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR) <i>There must be at least a 28 day interval between 2 live vaccines.</i>	2	The 1 st dose is not valid if administered more than 4 days before the 1 st birthday. 2 doses are required for students entering Kindergarten & through 12 th grade.
Varicella (Chickenpox) <i>There must be at least a 28 day interval between 2 live vaccines.</i>	2	The 1 st dose is not valid if administered more than 4 days before the 1 st birthday. 2 doses are required for students entering Kindergarten & through 12 th grade. Note: no vaccine required if there is laboratory documentation of chickenpox disease or a disease screening performed by a health care provider.
Hepatitis B <i>Dosing must follow minimum intervals between doses and last dose must be administered at or over 24 wks of age.</i>	3	The 2 nd dose administered at least 4 weeks after the first dose. The 3 rd dose must be administered at least 16 weeks after the 1 st dose, at least 8 weeks after the 2 nd dose, and the final dose must be administered no sooner than 24 weeks of age. Note: there is a specific 2-dose series is for ages 11-15 years only using adult vaccine.

RECOMMENDED VACCINES FOR THE BEST PROTECTION AGAINST VACCINE-PREVENTABLE DISEASE

VACCINE	Number of Doses	Grades K-12 (4-18 Years of Age) <i>Vaccines administered ≤ 4 days before the minimum age are valid</i>
Influenza (Flu)	1 to 2	2 doses initially if under 9 yrs of age with a minimum interval of 28 days between doses, then 1 dose annually, thereafter. (Recommended for all children 6 months of age and older).
Meningococcal Meningitis		
MenACWY MenB	<u>2 doses</u> Series	<u>Adolescents 11-18 years of age (11-12, 16-18)</u> Adolescents 16-18 years of age
Human Papillomavirus (9vHPV)	2 to 3	Adolescents 11-18 years of age Series initiation age 9-14 - two doses 6-12 mo apart Series initiation 15+ - three doses 0, 1-2 and 6 mo
Hepatitis A (Hep A)	2	All children 1 year of age and older

Immunization requirements strictly enforced for all students. Students who do not meet the requirements will be denied attendance according to Colorado Revised Statutes 25-4-902. There are three ways to be in compliance with the school immunization law:

1. Student's immunization record shows they are fully immunized with required vaccines. A laboratory report for some vaccines or diseases showing immunity is also acceptable.
2. For the student who is not up to date on required vaccines, the school will notify the parent/guardian that the student has 14 days to receive the required vaccine(s) or to make an appointment to receive the required vaccine(s). Parents are to provide a written plan for the remaining vaccines following the minimum intervals of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) schedule. If the plan is not followed, the student shall be excluded from school for non-compliance.
3. Submission of a Medical Exemption form signed by a health care provider or a Non-Medical exemption (religious or personal) submitted by a parent/guardian or emancipated student go to www.colorado.gov/vaccinexemption

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