

May 3, 2017

Dear parent/guardian:

In light of recent measles cases in Minnesota, the White Bear Lake Area Schools are urging families to ensure that their children are fully immunized against measles. To be fully immunized against measles, mumps and rubella (MMR), a student needs two doses of the MMR vaccine.

Our recommendation is that you check with your child's healthcare provider to ensure all immunizations are up to date. If you have chosen not to immunize your student, and have submitted a signed conscientious exemption form, now would be a good time to discuss whether the MMR vaccine may be indicated for your student with their health care provider .

Immunizations are available from your medical clinic and urgent care centers. If you are in need of low cost immunizations, please contact the county health department of the county you live in to make an appointment. Please forward any additions to your student's immunization record to the school health office.

Ramsey County Public Health at 651-266-1234  
Washington County Public Health at 651-430-6655  
Anoka County Public Health at 763-422-6970

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for your help with keeping all of our students and staff healthy.

Sincerely,

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