



## 2017-2018 SCHOOL IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

### **ATTENTION 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PARENTS:**

Get a jump start on preparing your child for 6<sup>th</sup> grade by getting his/her immunizations up to date!

The Indiana State Department of Health **requires** the following immunizations for **all** students entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade:

- **One (1) meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MCV4).**
- **One (1) Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis) booster, after 10 years of age.**

The ISDH has also recommended that all 6th grade students have:

- 2 doses of Hepatitis A vaccine

We want to let you know now so you have plenty of time to schedule an appointment to update your child's immunizations with his/her medical provider *before the start of the new school year*.

You can now view your child's current immunization record on [Skyward Family Access](#) under Health Information.

The Johnson County Health Department can accept all patients regardless of insurance status. This includes anyone who is fully insured, has Hoosier Healthwise, or is uninsured. Call the Johnson County Health Department at 317-346-4368 for more information.

After your child receives these immunizations, please send in or fax a copy of his/her updated immunization record to the school clinic.

Please contact your [school nurse or clinic assistant](#) if you have any questions.

**DEADLINE: Students without proof of up-to-date immunizations will NOT be allowed to attend school as of **October 2, 2017** until updated records are turned in to the clinic.**