

IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

At the time of registration, all students under the age of 18 will be asked to provide proof of required immunizations documented by a licensed physician with location and date of immunization

Reference Health and Safety Code Sections 120325-120380 (formerly Sections 3380-3390); California Administrative Code, Title 17, Sections 6000-6075

Immunization Requirements : To enter or transfer into public and private elementary and secondary school students under the age of 18 must have immunizations as outlined as below.

VACCINE	REQUIRED DOSES
Polio	4 doses at any age, but... 3 doses meet requirement for ages 4–6 years if at least one was given on or after the 4th birthday ¹ ; 3 doses meet requirement for ages 7–17 years if at least one was given on or after the 2nd birthday. ¹
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis	Age 6 years and under: DTP, DTaP or any combination of DTP or DTaP with DT (diphtheria and tetanus) 5 doses at any age, but... 4 doses meet requirements for ages 4–6 years if at least one was on or after the 4th birthday. ¹
	Age 7 years and older: Tdap, Td, or DTP, DTaP or any combination of these 4 doses at any age, but... 3 doses meet requirement for ages 7–17 years if at least one was on or after the 2nd birthday. ¹ If last dose was given before the 2nd birthday, one more (Tdap) dose is required.
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	Kindergarten: 2 doses² both on or after 1st birthday. ¹
	7th grade: 2 doses² both on or after 1st birthday. ¹
	Grades 1–6 and 8–12: 1 dose on or after 1st birthday. ¹
Hepatitis B³	Kindergarten: 3 doses at any age
Varicella	1 dose^{4, 6}
Tdap Booster (Tetanus, reduced diphtheria, and pertussis)	7th grade: 1 dose on or after 7th birthday. ^{5, 7}

¹ Receipt of a dose up to (and including) 4 days before the birthday will satisfy the school entry immunization requirement.

² Two doses of measles-containing vaccine required. One dose of mumps and rubella-containing vaccine required; mumps vaccine is not required for children 7 years of age and older.

³ Not required for 7th grade.

⁴ Physician-documented varicella (chickenpox) disease history or immunity meets the varicella requirement.

⁵ Tdap, DTaP, or DTP given on or after 7th birthday will meet the requirement. Td does not meet the requirement.

⁶ 2 dose varicella requirement for ages 13-17 years applies to transfer students who were not admitted to a California school before July 1, 2001.

⁷ 8th-12th grade students transferring from outside of California must meet the requirement.

For more information on requirements for all ages please visit <http://www.sdiz.org/Schools-CC/Resources-for-Parents.htm>.