

**ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOLS
IMMUNIZATION AND PHYSICAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT ENROLLMENT NOTICE
K THROUGH 12**

Student: _____

School: _____

North Carolina Immunization Law (G.S. 130A-155) requires that all students have a **Certificate of Immunization** on file with the school within 30 calendar days of entry. After 30 calendar days, the principal shall not permit the child to attend school until the required immunizations have been received. **It is the parent's responsibility to provide this record. Records must be signed or stamped from a medical provider and/or obtained from an official state immunization registry. School records are not accepted.**

Note: A Certificate of Immunization according to the NC General Statutes 130A-154, must include:

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| 1. child's legal name | 4. name and address of child's parent/guardian | 6. name and address of physician's office/clinic giving the immunizations |
| 2. child's date of birth | 5. number and date of vaccine doses | |
| 3. child's sex | | |

All students entering a NC public school for the first time must have a **health assessment** (G.S. 130A-440) on file with the school within 30 calendar days of initial entry. After 30 calendar days, the principal shall not permit the student to attend school until the required health assessment has been received. It must be completed within one year prior to the date of school entry AND documented on an official Health Assessment Transmittal form. **It is the parent's responsibility to provide this record.**

For a student entering kindergarten through twelfth grade, the immunization requirements are:

- Five (5) DTP/DTaP** One dose must be on/after 4th birthday. If 4th dose is on/after 4th birthday, 5th dose may not be required.
- Four (4) Polio** If 3rd dose is on/after 4th birthday, 4th dose may not be required.
- One (1) - Four (4) HIB** Series complete if at least 1 dose if given on/after 15 months. Not required after age 5.
- One (1) - Four (4) PCV** Series complete if at least 1 dose if given on/after 24 months. Not required after age 5. [Applies to students born on/after July 1, 2015]
- Two (2) MMR** First dose must be on/after 1st birthday.
- Three (3) Hep B** Last dose must be on/after 24 weeks of age.
- Two (2) Varicella** First dose must be on/after 1st birthday. [Applies to students born on/after April 1, 2001.] The 2nd dose is to be administered at least 28 days later and before entering school for the first time. [Effective July 1, 2015]
- One (1) Tdap** The dose must be given upon 7th grade entry or by 12 years of age.
- Two (2) MCV** First dose must be given upon 7th grade entry or by 12 years of age. [Effective July 1, 2015] Booster dose must be given upon 12th grade entry or 17 years of age. [Effective August 1, 2020] If 1st dose if given on/after the 16th birthday, 2nd dose is not required.

Permanent enrollment in Orange County Schools is contingent upon completion of the requirements as stated in this document. Students without a Certificate of Immunization and/or proof of a health assessment will be excluded (cannot come back to school) on the 31st calendar day after school entry.

If you have any questions, please contact the school nurse at your child's school.

I am completely aware of the requirements as outlined above and affix my signature below in acknowledgement.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____