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Dear Parent/Guardian of 5th Grade Student **Requiring Immunization Before Entering WMS:**

Students who are entering 6th grade in September 2025, and who will be 11 years of age or older by the first day of school in September 2025, **must receive a Tdap immunization prior to their first day at WMS. You are receiving this letter because we do not have documentation of your child receiving this vaccine.**

Those students who will be 10 years old entering 6th grade in September will not be required to receive a Tdap by the first day of middle school, but must be immunized within 14 days of turning 11 years old. Please keep this in mind and contact your child's health care provider to arrange a visit to receive Tdap as soon after their 11th birthday as possible.

- Students entering Grade 6 in September 2025, and will be 11 years old by the first day of school, must receive the Tdap vaccine by the first day of school.
- Students entering Grade 6 in September 2025, and will be 10 years old on the first day of school, must receive a Tdap vaccine within 14 days of their 11th birthday.

New York State law requires parents/guardians to provide the school with an immunization record that documents their child has received, or has an appointment to receive, the required vaccine in order to attend school. ***Please submit this record to Ms. Cindy Woods, Columbus Elementary School RN, cwoods@mtplcsd.org until June 26th, 2025. During the summer break, please submit to Cheryl Horowitz, Westlake Middle School RN via email: chorowitz@mtplcsd.org.***

Thank you for your attention to this important matter and please contact me in the CES Health Office via email or phone, 914-769-8537, with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Ms. Cindy Woods, RN BSN
CES School Nurse