

Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten

Immunization Requirements and Health Checkup

Take note of this
important information!



**Huckleberry
the Helpful Hound**

KINDERGARTENERS MUST BE IMMUNIZED

California law requires children entering kindergarten to have these five immunizations:

- Diphtheria, Pertussis, and Tetanus (DPT)
- Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)
- Polio
- Hepatitis B
- Varicella (Chickenpox)

Children cannot be enrolled in or attend kindergarten unless they have up-to-date immunizations and an immunization record on file at the school. Your healthcare provider will need to assist you with updating your child's vaccines. If you do not have a doctor or have questions about immunizations in general, please contact the Sonoma County Immunization Coordinator, (707) 565-4573.

If your child is not immunized with one or more of the required immunizations due to a medical reason, you will need to submit to your school a Permanent or Temporary Medical Exemption signed by a Medical Doctor (MD) or a Doctor of Osteopathy (DO).

ORAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT REQUIRED

Your child should have an oral health assessment no later than May 31 of his/her first year in school. The assessment should be provided by a dentist or licensed dental health professional.

LOOKING AHEAD HEALTH CHECKUP REQUIRED FOR FIRST GRADE

A certificate verifying that your child has received a health checkup within the last 18 months is required within 90 days of entering first grade.

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