

DC School Immunization Requirements Guide *effective June 2023*

This is a summary of vaccines required for children to enter key grades in the District of Columbia. Children are required to be up to date on vaccinations in every grade. More detail on the requirements is available at dchealth.dc.gov/immunizations.

To start Pre-K3*	To start Kindergarten	To start 7 th grade	To start 11 th grade
DTaP	DTaP	DTaP	DTaP
Polio 🗸 🗸 🗸	Polio	Polio VVV	Polio 🗸 🗸 🗸
Chickenpox 🗸	Chickenpox 🗸 🗸	Chickenpox <	Chickenpox <
MMR ✓	MMR ✓✓	MMR ✓✓	MMR ✓✓
Hepatitis B	Hepatitis B	Hepatitis B	Hepatitis B
Hepatitis A	Hepatitis A	Hepatitis A	Hepatitis A
Pneumococcal (PCV)		Tdap ✓	Tdap ✓
Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (Hib)		HPV ✓✓	HPV ✓✓
Depending on brand used = number of doses		Meningococcal (ACWY)	Meningococcal (ACWY) ✓ ✓

*Your Pre-K3 child may become eligible for a booster dose of vaccines against MMR, Chickenpox, Polio, and Diptheria/Tetanus/Pertussis when they turn 4 years of age. We highly encourage getting these on time, however these will not count against the attendance requirement mid-year.