



VACCINES REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, GRADES K-12

August 1, 2020 – July 31, 2021

VACCINE	Kindergarten - 6 th Grade	7 th – 9 th Grade	10 th - 12 th Grade
Hepatitis B	3 doses Dose 3 must be given on or after 24 weeks of age		
DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis)	5 doses (4 doses only IF 4 th dose given on or after 4 th birthday AND a minimum interval of 6 months from the previous dose)		
Tdap (Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis)	Not Required	1 dose Tdap <i>(see page 2 for more details)</i>	
IPV (Polio, for OPV see page 2)	4 doses (3 doses only IF 3 rd dose given on or after 4 th birthday) The final dose given on or after August 7, 2009, must be given on or after 4 years of age AND a minimum interval of 6 months from the previous dose.		4 doses (3 doses only IF 3 rd dose given on or after 4 th birthday)
MMR (Measles, Mumps, and Rubella)	2 doses		
Varicella (Chickenpox)	2 doses OR Healthcare provider verified disease history		

- Look at the Minimum Age and Interval Table on page 2 for recommended minimum age and spacing information.
- Review the Individual Vaccine Requirements Summary for more detailed information: <https://www.doh.wa.gov/SCCI>.

Minimum Age & Interval for Valid Vaccine Doses

Vaccine	Dose #	Minimum Age	Minimum Interval Between Doses	Notes
Hepatitis B HepB	Dose 1	Birth	4 weeks between Dose 1 & 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 doses acceptable if both doses are documented as adult dose of Recombivax HB® given between ages 11 and 15. The doses must be separated by at least 4 months.
	Dose 2	4 weeks	8 weeks between Dose 2 & 3	
	Dose 3	24 weeks	16 weeks between Dose 1 & 3	
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis DTaP	Dose 1	6 weeks	4 weeks between Dose 1 & 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 month interval is recommended between Dose 3 and Dose 4, but a minimum interval of 4 months is acceptable. DTaP: can be given to children through age 6. If catch-up doses are needed at age 7 and older Tdap is used followed by additional doses of Td if needed. A Tdap given at age 7 through 9 years of age does not count for the 7th grade Tdap requirement. See the Individual Vaccine Requirements Summary for more details about the catch-up schedules: https://www.doh.wa.gov/SCCI
	Dose 2	10 weeks	4 weeks between Dose 2 & 3	
	Dose 3	14 weeks	6 months between Dose 3 & 4	
	Dose 4	12 months	6 months between Dose 4 & 5	
	Dose 5	4 years	–	
Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis Tdap	Dose 1	11 years See notes for exceptions	–	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tdap booster dose recommended at age 11 is required for all students in grades 7-12. For students in 7th grade: Tdap dose acceptable if given on or after 10 years of age. For students in 8th-12th grades: Tdap dose acceptable if given on or after 7 years of age. Tdap booster dose can be given regardless of the interval between DTaP/DT/Tdap/Td.
Polio IPV or OPV	Dose 1	6 weeks	4 weeks between Dose 1 & 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPV given on or after 04/01/16 cannot be accepted as a valid dose in the series. Not required for students 18 years and older. Please see Individual Vaccine Requirements Summary for more details: https://www.doh.wa.gov/SCCI
	Dose 2	10 weeks	4 weeks between Dose 2 & 3	
	Dose 3	14 weeks	6 months between Dose 3 & 4	
	Dose 4	4 years	–	
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella MMR	Dose 1	12 months	4 weeks between Dose 1 & 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MMRV (MMR + varicella) may be used instead of separate MMR and varicella vaccines. Must get the same day as other live vaccine (ex. varicella, Flumist) OR at least 28 days apart. 4-day grace DOES apply between doses of the same live vaccine such as MMR/MMR or MMRV/MMRV. The 4 day grace period DOES NOT apply between dose 1 and dose 2 of different live vaccines, such as between MMR and Varicella or between MMR and live flu vaccine.
	Dose 2	13 months	–	
Varicella (chickenpox) VAR	Dose 1	12 months	3 months between Dose 1 & 2 (12 months through 12 years) 4 weeks between Dose 1 & 2 (13 years and older)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Age 12 months through 12 years: 3 months between varicella doses recommended, but minimum interval of 28 days acceptable on retrospective record review. MMRV (MMR + varicella) may be used instead of separate MMR and varicella vaccines. Must get the same day as other live vaccine (ex. MMR, Flumist) OR at least 28 days apart. 4-day grace period DOES apply between doses of the same live vaccine such as varicella/varicella or MMRV/MMRV; The 4 day grace period DOES NOT apply between doses of different live vaccines, such as between MMR and varicella or between varicella and live flu vaccine.
	Dose 2	15 months	–	