

Jersey City Public Schools



Immunization Requirements Grade 6

Tdap (*Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Acellular Pertussis*) – Children entering Grade 6 and age 11, or a comparable age level special education program or transferring into a New Jersey school from another state or country are required to receive a booster dose of Tetanus, Diphtheria and Acellular Pertissis (Tdap).

Students who have received a DTP/DTap or Td less than 5 years prior to entry or attendance will not be required to receive a Tdap until 5 years have elapsed from the last dose.

Meningococcal – Children entering Grade 6 and age 11 or a comparable age level special education program with an assigned grade shall have received 1 dose of meningococcal containing vaccine.

For more information, contact the nurse at your child's school, your healthcare provider, or the Jersey City Department of Health and Human Services (201 547-6800 extension 3105 or 5535) **to make an appointment**. Immunizations are free to all Jersey City residents without health insurance. Parent or guardian must be present.

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