

Kindergarten Health Requirements

Physical Exam should include the following:

- Hearing and Vision Screening
- Lead test

The following vaccinations are required:

DTaP	5 doses; 4 doses are acceptable if the 4th dose is given on or after the 4th birthday. DT is only acceptable with a letter stating a medical contraindication to DTaP.
Polio	4 doses; 4th dose must be given on or after the 4th birthday and ≥ 6 months after the previous dose, or a 5th dose is required. 3 doses are acceptable if the 3rd dose is given on or after the 4th birthday and ≥ 6 months after the previous dose.
Hepatitis B	3 doses; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
MMR	2 doses; first dose must be given on or after the 1st birthday and the 2nd dose must be given ≥ 28 days after dose 1; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
Varicella	2 doses; first dose must be given on or after the 1st birthday and 2nd dose must be given ≥ 28 days after dose 1; a reliable history of chickenpox* or laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable

*** If you child's five year physical is after the start of the school year, your child still needs to have all of the above vaccinations. Doctor's offices are aware of this and should be able to schedule vaccinations before the start of the year.**