



**Summary: Philadelphia Immunization
Requirements For School Entry, 2016-2017**

| Grades | Vaccines | Requirements |
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| K – 1 | Diphtheria & Tetanus..... Pertussis..... Polio..... Measles..... Mumps..... Rubella..... Hepatitis B..... Varicella..... | 4 Doses: at least one on/after 4 th birthday (DTaP/DTP/DT/Td) 4 Doses: at least one on/after 4 th birthday (DTaP or DTP) 3 Doses: (OPV/IPV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 3 Doses: (HBV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (Varicella or MMRV) or documentation of chickenpox immunity proven by laboratory testing or a written statement of prior chickenpox disease from a healthcare provider |
| 2-5 and 8-12 | Diphtheria & Tetanus..... Polio..... Measles..... Mumps..... Rubella..... Hepatitis B..... Varicella..... | 4 Doses: at least one on/after 4 th birthday (DTaP/DTP/DT/Td/Tdap)** 3 Doses: (OPV/IPV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 1 Dose: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 3 Doses: (HBV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (Varicella or MMRV) * |
| 6-7 | Diphtheria & Tetanus..... Pertussis..... Polio..... Measles..... Mumps..... Rubella..... Hepatitis B..... Varicella..... Meningococcal..... | 4 Doses: at least one on/after 7 th birthday (DTaP/DTP/DT/Td/Tdap)** 1 Dose: at least one on/after 7 th birthday (Tdap) 3 Doses: (OPV/IPV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 1 Dose: on/after 1 st birthday (MMR or MMRV) 3 Doses: (HBV) 2 Doses: on/after 1 st birthday (Varicella or MMRV) * 1 Dose: on/after 2 nd birthday (MCV4) |

References: Requirements from The Pennsylvania Code – Subchapter C. *IMMUNIZATION* §23.81, amended May 28, 2010, effective August 1, 2011, and from the Philadelphia Board of Health *Regulations Governing the Health of Newborns, Children and Adolescents*, published 2009.

* Or documentation of a history of chickenpox immunity proven by laboratory testing or a written statement of history of chickenpox disease from a parent, guardian or physician.

** Only 3 doses of Td-containing vaccine are necessary if series is started on/after 7th birthday, if at least one dose is given as Tdap.