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2017-2018 School Year Immunization Requirement for Meningococcal Vaccine

Students Entering Grades 7 and 12

Dear Parent/Guardian:

In the fall of 2017, all 7th and 12th grade students must show proof of having been given meningococcal vaccine in order to attend school. Students will not be allowed to attend school if they are not up to date with this vaccine by the first day of school.

- Students entering **grade 7 in 2017 must have 1 dose** of meningococcal vaccine. They will be required to get a booster at age 16.
- Students entering **grade 12 in 2017 must have either:**
 - **2 doses** of meningococcal vaccine with **the booster dose given on or after age 16**
 - **1 dose** of meningococcal vaccine if your child's **first dose was given on or after age 16**

Please contact your health care provider to make sure your child has received the appropriate dose of meningococcal vaccine in order to attend school in the fall. The following link provides additional information concerning the New York State requirements for the meningococcal vaccine

<https://www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/meningococcal/>.

If you have questions or concerns about immunizations, please contact your school nurse.

Sincerely,

Thomas Graham
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