



# HAMILTON

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## LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Current Vaccination Requirements For Registration

Parents and Guardians,

Please make certain your child has had the following vaccinations and doses prior to the start of the 2016-17 school year.

**If your child is going into kindergarten they will need the following vaccinations / total doses during their life time:**

Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis: 5 doses

Polio: 4 doses

Hepatitis B: 3 doses

Measles, Mumps, Rubella, and Varicella (Chicken Pox): 2 Doses

**If your child is going into 7th grade:**

**New for this year: The state is requiring one dose of Meningococcal Vaccine.**

As in previous years, incoming 7th graders will also need a Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis) booster. Tdap is the preferred booster because it provides vital protection against pertussis, which is commonly known as "whooping cough."

**If your child is going into 12th grade:**

**New for this year: Two doses of Meningococcal Vaccine are required prior to the entrance of 12th grade. Only one dose is required if given on or after the 16th birthday.**

If you have any questions, please contact our district nurse, Mrs. Brickey by email. You can also get immunization information at the Ohio Department of Education's website.