

2016 – 2017 School Year  
IN State Department of Health  
School Immunization Requirements  
*Updated November 2015*

<b>3 to 5 years old</b>	3 Hep B (Hepatitis B) 4 DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis) 3 Polio (Inactivated Polio) 1 MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella) 1 Varicella	
<b>K – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b>	3 Hep B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 MMR	2 Varicella 2 Hep A (Hepatitis A)
<b>Grades 3 to 5</b>	3 Hep B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 MMR	2 Varicella
<b>Grades 6 to 11</b>	3 Hep B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 MMR	2 Varicella 1 Tdap (Tetanus & Pertussis) 1 MCV4 (Meningococcal conjugate)
<b>Grade 12</b>	3 Hep B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 MMR	2 Varicella 1 Tdap 2 MCV4

**Hep B** The minimum age for the 3<sup>rd</sup> dose of Hepatitis B is 24 weeks of age.

**DTaP** Four doses of DTaP/DTP/DT are acceptable if 4<sup>th</sup> dose was administered on or after child's 4<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Polio** Three doses of Polio are acceptable for all grade levels if the third dose was given on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday and at least 6 months after the previous dose with only one type of vaccine used (all OPV or all IPV). For students in grades kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade the final dose must be administered on or after the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, and be administered **at least 6 months** after the previous dose.

**Live Vaccines (MMR, Varicella & LAIV)** Live vaccines that are not administered on the same day must be administered a minimum of 28 days apart. The second dose should be repeated if the doses are separated by less than 28 days.

**Varicella** Physician documentation of disease history, including month and year, is proof of immunity for children entering preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Parental report of disease history is acceptable for grades 9-12.

**Tdap** There is no minimum interval from the last Td dose.

**MCV4** Individuals who receive dose 1 on or after their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday only need 1 dose of MCV4.

**Hep A** The minimum interval between 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of Hepatitis A is 6 calendar months

For children who have delayed immunizations, please refer to the 2016 CDC "Catch-up Immunization Schedule" to determine adequately immunizing doses. All minimum intervals and ages for each vaccination as specified per 2016 CDC guidelines must be met for a dose to be valid. A copy of these guidelines can be found at <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/>