

Immunization Requirements for Iowa Schools

Immunization certificates are required by law for all students. Immunization certificates are audited annually by Washington Co. Public Health. New immunizations are needed for students as they enter Kindergarten, 7th grade and 12th grade.

Before entering Preschool:	DTaP- 4 doses Polio- 3 doses HIB- 3 doses Pneumococcal- 4 doses MMR- 1 dose Varicella- 1 dose
Before entering Kindergarten:	DTaP- 5 doses with at least one dose after age 4 Polio-4 doses with at least one dose after age 4 MMR- 2 doses Varicella- 2 doses Hepatitis B- 3 doses; last dose after age 6 months
Before entering 7th grade: (the above +)	Tdap- 1 dose Meningococcal- 1 dose after age 10
Before entering 12th grade: (the above +)	Meningococcal- 1 dose after age 16 (2 total doses)