

**2018-19 School Year  
New York State Immunization Requirements  
for School Entrance/Attendance<sup>1</sup>**

Kindergarten setting should be age-appropriately immunized. The number of doses depends on the schedule recommended by the Immunization Practices (ACIP). For grades pre-k through 10, intervals between doses of vaccine should be in accordance with the immunization schedule for persons 0 through 18 years of age. (Exception: intervals between doses of polio vaccine DO NOT need to be reviewed for grades 11 and 12.) Doses received before the minimum age or intervals are not valid and do not count toward the number of doses listed below. Doses of vaccine DO NOT need to be reviewed for grades 11 and 12. See footnotes for specific information for **each** vaccine. Children who are age equivalent should meet the immunization requirements of the grades for which they are age equivalent.

**Dose requirements MUST be read with the footnotes of this schedule.**

	Prekindergarten (Day Care, Head Start, Nursery or Pre- k)	Kindergarten and Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4	Grade 5	Grades 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10	Grades 11 and 12
<b>Tetanus toxoid- diphtheria and Pertussis vaccine (DTaP/Tdap/Td)<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>4 doses</b>	<b>5 doses or 4 doses</b> if the 4th dose was received at 4 years or older or <b>3 doses</b> if 7 years or older and the series was started at 1 year or older		<b>3 doses</b>	
<b>Diphtheria toxoid- diphtheria and Pertussis vaccine (Tdap)<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Not applicable</b>			<b>1 dose</b>	
<b>Poliovirus (OPV)<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>3 doses</b>	<b>4 doses or 3 doses</b> if the 3rd dose was received at 4 years or older	<b>3 doses</b>	<b>4 doses or 3 doses</b> if the 3rd dose was received at 4 years or older	<b>3</b>
<b>Mumps and Rubella vaccine</b>	<b>1 dose</b>	<b>2 doses</b>			
<b>Hepatitis B vaccine<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>3 doses</b>	<b>3 doses or 2 doses</b> of <b>adult hepatitis B vaccine</b> (Recombivax) for children who received the doses at least one year apart between the ages of 11 through 15 years			