

June 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child will be entering 7th grade in the fall of 2024.

The State of Wisconsin has changed immunization laws for students entering 7th grade.

Changes include:

- Adding meningococcal (MenACWY-containing) vaccine and adolescent Tdap vaccine to the requirements for students entering seventh grade.
- Parent report of chickenpox disease is no longer acceptable for exemption from the varicella (chickenpox) vaccine requirement. Children must have a diagnosis of chickenpox from a qualified health care provider (M.D., D.O., N.P., or P.A.) to be exempt from this requirement, however existing exemption options still apply.

Please submit the immunizations to the school by September 13, 2024. Waiver information is found under step 4 of the immunization form.

Please contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Pam Jesse RN

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