Required Childhood Immunizations for Michigan School Settings

School communicable disease rules are the minimum standard for preventing disease outbreaks in school settings.
Healthcare professionals in Michigan should follow the
2016 Recommended Immunization Schedule at www.cdc.gov/vaccines or www.michigan.gov/immunize
to best protect patients from all diseases.

****All doses of vaccines must be given with appropriate spacing between doses and at appropriate ages to be considered valid.**

Entry Requirements for All Public & Non-Public Schools		
Age → Vaccine**↓	4 years through 6 years	7 years through 18 years including all 7th grade students
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis	**4** doses DTP or DTaP, one dose must be on or after 4 years of age	**4** doses D and T **OR** 3 doses Td if #1 given on or after 7 years of age. **1** dose of Tdap for children 11 years of age or older upon entry into 7th grade or higher.
Polio	**4** doses, if dose 3 administered on or after 4 years of age, only 3 doses are required	**3** doses
Measles,* Mumps,* Rubella*	**2** doses on or after 12 months of age	
Hepatitis B*	3 doses	
Meningococcal	None	**1** dose for all children 11 years of age or older upon entry into 7th grade or higher
Varicella* (Chickenpox)	**2** doses of varicella vaccine at or after 12 months of age OR current lab immunity OR reliable history of disease	

* If vaccination is not administered, current laboratory evidence of immunity is required.
**Students susceptible to these diseases may be excluded from school.
Parents/guardians must obtain a certified nonmedical waiver from a local health department.

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