

# The School District of Osceola County, Florida

## *Student Services*

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## **The Rules of Enrollment For Pupil Assignment 2023-2024**

### **Physical Examination & Immunization Requirements**

#### **PROOF OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION**

The physical examination must have been completed within the last twelve months prior to the anticipated day of enrollment by a health professional who is licensed in Florida, Puerto Rico or in the state where the student resided at the time of the exam. If the student has ever been in a Florida school, that student is exempt, provided that there is documented evidence of a physical from that Florida school. We will presume that students who have attended a Florida school have already had a physical examination. Students entering Kindergarten from an Osceola County School District VPK program will have already met the school entry physical requirement. If, when requested records are received, or upon other verification as documented, no valid physical examination documentation is presented, the student will be required to submit to a physical examination. Certification that a health examination has been completed may be documented on the State of Florida, Department of Health, DH Form 3040-CHP-07/2013, "School Entry Health Exam form," which is available online or a signed statement by an authorized professional that indicates the results of the components included in the health examination.

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#### **IMMUNIZATIONS**

All student immunizations must be up to date and on a Florida Form 680.

**Five (5) DTP's** - If the fourth primary dose on or after the fourth birthday, the fifth dose is not required. DTaP is acceptable for one or more DTP's. DT (pediatric) is acceptable if Pertussis vaccine is medically contraindicated.

**Four (4) Polio** - If the third dose on or after the fourth birthday, the fourth dose is not required. A Fifth (5) dose of Polio is required if 4 doses were administered prior to the fourth birthday. IPV is an acceptable alternative for one or more doses of OVP.

**Two (2) MMR's** – The first dose is valid if given on or after first birthday. The second dose is valid if given at least one month after first dose.

**Hepatitis B** - Series of three. A student may enter school if first dose has been administered prior to initial entry; or series of two for students ages 11-15, minimum four (four) months apart.

**HIB** is required for child care and preschool entry only.

**Varicella** – Two-doses required for Grades Pre-K – Grade 12. Students thirteen (13) years of age and older who have not received Varicella for school entry should receive two (2) doses at least twenty-eight (28) days apart if they have not already been vaccinated or have had the disease.

**Grade 7-12** All required immunizations and a Tetanus (Tdap) booster.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommends that a dose of meningococcal vaccine (MCV4) be administered to children and adolescents eleven (11) through eighteen (18) years of age. This vaccine is **NOT** a requirement for enrollment. Detailed information about meningococcal disease and vaccination is located on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) website at

<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/vis-statements/mening.html>