

# California Schools Vaccine Requirements for Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

California School Immunization Laws: Health and Safety Code, Division 105, Part 2, Chapter 1, Sections 120325 – 120380;  
California Code of Regulations, Title 17, Division 1, Chapter 4, Subchapter 8, Sections 6000-6075

School Grade or equivalent age	Polio	DTaP Diphtheria, Tetanus, pertussis	MMR Measles, mumps, rubella	Hep B Hepatitis B	Varicella Chickenpox
<b>Kindergarten/1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> (4 to 6 yrs old)	<b>4 doses at any age</b> But 3 is OK if one was given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday	<b>5 doses at any age</b> But 4 is OK if one was given on or after 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday	<b>2 doses required</b> (1 MMR and 1 measles containing vaccine) both on or after 1 <sup>st</sup> Birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> Given at any age	<b>1 dose required</b> Physician-documented varicella disease history or immunity meets the varicella requirement
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<b>2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> (7 - 11 yrs old)	<b>4 doses at any age</b> But 3 is OK if one was given on or after 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	<b>4 doses at any age</b> But 3 is OK if one was given on or after 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	<b>2 doses required</b> (1 MMR and 1 measles containing vaccine) Both given on or after 1 <sup>st</sup> Birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> Given at any age	<b>1 dose required</b> Physician-documented varicella disease history or immunity meets the varicella requirement
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<b>7<sup>th</sup> grade</b> (age 11 – 13 yrs old)	<b>4 doses at any age</b> But 3 is OK if one was given on or after 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> One Tdap/DTap booster must have been given on or after the 7 <sup>th</sup> birthday	<b>2 doses required</b> (1 MMR and 1 measles containing vaccine) Both given on or after 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> Given at any age	<b>1 dose required</b> Physician-documented varicella disease history or immunity meets the varicella requirement
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<b>8<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> (age 14 – 17 yrs old)	<b>4 doses at any age</b> But 3 is OK if one was given on or after 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> One Tdap/DTap booster must have been given on or after the 7 <sup>th</sup> birthday	<b>2 doses required</b> (1 MMR and 1 measles containing vaccine) Both given on or after 1 <sup>st</sup> Birthday	<b>3 doses required</b> Given at any age	<b>1 dose required</b> ; 2 if immunized on or after 13 <sup>th</sup> birthday (Grades 11-12 exempt for 2011-2012 school yr) Physician-documented varicella disease history or immunity meets the varicella requirement

This is only for quick reference, for more specific information on immunizations or dose intervals; refer to the California Immunization Handbook.