



## **Attention 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents – Save this information!**

**The state requires that all students submit proof they have received the immunizations below (or are exempt) PRIOR to entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade:**

- Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccine (**Tdap**)
- One dose of meningococcal vaccine (**MCV4 or Menactra®**).

**NOTE - These vaccines are routinely given at the child's 11 year old visit**

**Incoming 6<sup>h</sup> graders should return proof of immunizations and all sports physicals to the RMS Health Office you may:**

- email to the nurses directly or
- E-fax to (908) 923-8614
- Drop in RMS lock box

**Students who fail to submit immunization documentation may be excluded from school attendance and sports participation.\***

\*Children who turn 11 after starting 6th grade have 2 weeks from their birthday to submit the required documentation.

Families requiring financial assistance to obtain vaccines should contact the Hunterdon County Childhood Vaccine Program at 908-806-4570.

### **Now is an excellent time to schedule a well child check-up.**

- If your child plans on participating in school athletics at Readington Middle School next year, please have your primary care provider fill out the **Annual Athletic Pre-Participation Physical Examination** forms during their well child check-up. These sports forms can be found by following this link to the RMS Health Office website:  
<https://sites.google.com/readington.k12.nj.us/rms-health-office/athletics>
- please review and complete any additional necessary forms as indicated.
  - [Readington Middle School | Health Office](#)  
(908)534-3809/3810

Please contact the school nurses with any questions or concerns.

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