

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Iowa Department of Public Health requires that all students entering kindergarten have the following immunizations:

Diphtheria/Tetanus/ Pertussis 5 doses
Polio 4 doses
MMR 2 doses
Hep B 3 doses
Varicella 2 doses

All students entering kindergarten must provide proof of having these vaccines before school starts in August, unless the student has a Certificate of Immunization Exemption. There will be no grace/extension period for the implementation of this requirement. Therefore, your child will not be allowed to start the school year unless I have received proof of this immunization.

Now is a great time for your child to receive these immunization requirements and beat the back-to-school rush by making an appointment for your incoming kindergartener.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at nicki.schultz@chariton.k12.ia.us.

Thank you for your time and attention to this requirement.

Sincerely,
Nicki Schultz, RN
School Nurse
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