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Dear Parents of Students Entering Grade 6 & 7:

As of March, 2014, new NYS immunization requirements for school entrance/attendance requires your child to have a BOOSTER immunization containing Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Acellular Pertussis (Tdap), a second Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine, and a fourth polio vaccine before entering **Grade 6**. As of September 1, 2016, students entering **Grade 7** are required to have Meningococcal conjugate vaccine.

Your child may have had shots with similar vaccines, but protection from those shots gradually wears off. Thus, these boosters are required if they have not been already given.

Please bring this letter with your child to your health care provider and bring proof of these required vaccines to your school nurse if you haven't done so already.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Cathy Hannigan, R.N.  
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