



2019 SAINT JAMES SCHOOL / MANCHESTER BOARD OF EDUCATION HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADE 7 ENTRY

The State of Connecticut Statutes requires a physical for students' ages 11-12 year old to enter the 7th Grade.

PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT (BLUE HEALTH FORM):

The mandated health assessment (BLUE HEALTH FORM) given by a medical practitioner must be complete and dated after January 1, 2018. ALL physicals will be accepted dated January 1, 2018 through the present date for 7th grade entry in 2019.

The completed Blue Health Form must be returned to the Nurse at your child's school. You can obtain these forms from the school nurse or on the Saint James School Website in the Forms/Docs section.

Saint James School also requires a separate SPORTS PARTICIPATION FORM which requires a physician's signature in order for your child to participate in school sports. This form will also be available on the school's website, as well as emailed to all parents, towards the end of the school year.

IMMUNIZATIONS REQUIRED FOR 7TH GRADE:

TDAP – 1 dose for students who have completed their primary DTaP series

POLIO - 3 doses

MMR - 2 doses (measles, mumps, rubella)

MENINGOCOCCAL – 1 dose

HEPATITIS B - 3 doses

VARICELLA (CHICKENPOX) - Verification of disease OR 2 doses

HEPATITIS A - 2 doses given 6 months apart

Questions regarding Physicals may be directed to your child's school nurse.

PLEASE NOTE: Failure to meet the above requirements by June of your child's 6th grade year may either delay or prevent your child's entry into 7th grade.

Thank you for your prompt attention regarding these mandated health requirements. Any questions, please contact the Saint James School Nurse at 860-643-5088 (ext. 3).