



2021 SAINT JAMES SCHOOL / MANCHESTER BOARD OF EDUCATION HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADE 7 ENTRY

The State of Connecticut Statutes requires a physical for students (age 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, 2020. ALL physicals will be accepted dated January 1, 2020 through the present date for 7th grade entry in 2021. The parent/guardian must complete Part 1 of the State Health Assessment Form.

IMMUNIZATIONS:

At the time of school entrance, the following immunizations are required:

HEPATITIS B - 3 doses, last dose on or after 24 weeks of age.

TDAP/TD - 1 dose for students who have completed their primary DTaP series. Students who start the series at age 7 or older only need a total of 3 doses of tetanus-diphtheria containing vaccine, one of which must be Tdap.

POLIO - At least 3 doses. The last dose must be given on or after 4th birthday.

MMR - 2 doses separated by at least 28 days, 1st dose on or after the 1st birthday.

VARICELLA (CHICKENPOX) - 2 doses separated by at least 3 months – 1st dose on or after the 1st birthday; or verification of disease. 28 days between doses is acceptable if the doses have already been administered.

HEPATITIS A - 2 doses separated by at least 3 months - 1st dose on or after 1st birthday; or verification of disease.

MENINGOCOCCAL - 1 dose

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.

Please reach out to the Saint James School Nurse at (860) 643-5088 (x3) with any questions.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.