

**Immunization Requirement for Students Entering Pre-Kindergarten in 2014**

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Date:

Required Immunizations for School Attendance for: \_\_\_\_\_ (student's name)

Our records indicate that your child will be entering Pre-K in September 2014.

New York State Law Section 2164 requires certain immunizations (shots) to enter Pre-kindergarten and attend school. Please check with your health care provider as soon as possible to make sure that your child has all the needed immunizations. They are listed below.

**Required Immunizations for Pre-Kindergarten**

Immunization	Number of Doses
Polio	3
Hepatitis B	3
Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	4
Measles/Mumps/Rubella	1
Varicella (Chickenpox)	1
Hemophilus Influenzae	1 to 4
Pneumococcal Conjugate	1 to 4

Proof of immunization must be **any 1 of the 3** items listed below:

- An immunization certificate signed by your health care provider
- Immunization Registry report (NYSIIS or CIR from NYC) from your health care provider or your county health department
- A blood test (titer) lab report that proves your child is immune to the diseases
  - For varicella (chickenpox), a note from your health care provider (MD, NP, PA) which says your child had the disease is also acceptable.

Your child needs these immunizations for school entry: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have questions or concerns about immunizations, please contact the school health staff.

Sincerely,

School Nurse: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

