

# Immunization Requirements 2007-2008

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Immunizations	Pre-K	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
♥ 1 <sup>st</sup> MMR (one shot)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
♥♥ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Measles (MMR preferred)		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
♦ POLIO (4 doses)	♦♦♦	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
♦♦ DPT/DTaP (5 shots)	♦♦♦	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
♦♦♦♦ Td Booster									X	X	X	X	X	X
Hepatitis B Series (3 shots)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
+ Hib	X													
* Varicella (vaccine or signed proof of disease)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X						

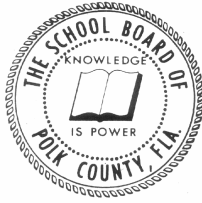
**X – denotes required immunizations per grade level**

**Students who are not in compliance with immunization laws are required to be excluded from school.**  
(Four days before a minimum interval or age will be counted as valid.)

- ♥ Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) must have been given on or after the child's first birthday.
- ♥♥ Two doses of measles vaccine is required (MMR preferred). The two doses of measles vaccine must be given at least 28 days apart and the first vaccine must be given on or after the first birthday.
- ♦ If third dose was given on or after the fourth birthday, a fourth dose is not required.
- ♦♦ If the fourth dose was given on or after the fourth birthday, a fifth dose is not required.
- ♦♦♦ Pre-K students must have started the series, and have a current immunization certificate. **Temporary Medical Exemption (DOE code 2) must be filled in with a future expiration date. If date has passed, or is not filled in, certificate is not valid, and student should not be in school. This applies to all Temporary Medical Exemptions, regardless of grade level.** Schools are to track students who enter on Temporary Medical Exemption, and exclude those students when certificates expire, if a new certificate has not been presented.
- ♦♦♦♦ An adult Td booster given after age 7 will meet the 7<sup>th</sup> grade requirement.
- + Number of doses varies according to age. If child was over 15 months when first vaccine was given only 1 dose will be given.
- \* Varicella must have been given on or after child's first birthday.

Religious exemptions are allowed. They must be obtained at a Health Department clinic. Electronic transfer of immunization dates may be used; however, all immunization dates must be transferred, not just a notation that there is a certificate of immunization.

*The above information is a guideline to be used as a quick reference for schools and non-medical personnel. For complete medical information, refer to a physician or the "Immunization Guidelines for School and Childcare Centers". Available website: [www.doh.state.fl.us/disease\\_ctrl/immune/medical.htm](http://www.doh.state.fl.us/disease_ctrl/immune/medical.htm)*



# Polk County Schools Entrance Requirements

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	Pre-K	K	1 <sup>st</sup>	Out of State Transfers For 1 <sup>st</sup> Time	Out of State Transfers Not 1 <sup>st</sup> Time	Out of County But In State Transfers	In County Private or Public Transfers
Legal certificate of birth date which shows parents' names or proof of age acceptable under Florida Law <i>(See attachment #1)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Physical Examination within 12 months of registration completion (1 <sup>st</sup> entrance to Florida Schools <b>and at K</b> )	X	X		X	*See #1	*See #1	*See #1
Florida Certificate of Immunization	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Two proofs of residency <i>(See attachment #2)</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Must be 5 years old on or before September 1 of the school year. There is no early entry.		X					
Withdrawal and transfer form from the school student had been attending. <i>(See attachment #3)</i>							X
Child must be 6 years old on or before September 1 of the school year. Student has completed Kindergarten. Student may be admitted any time during the school year.			X				

### 1. PHYSICALS

Physicals are required only on first entrance into a Florida school, **unless** first entrance was PreK, **or** the hard copy of the physical cannot be located. Physicals completed out of county or state are acceptable. A physical form which includes body systems assessment and physician signature is required. If document is questionable, please refer to your school nurse. **The hard copy of the physical must be sent from the previous school. If it is not obtained after sending for records, a new physical is required.** It is acceptable for credentialed, county Health Department registered nurses to perform Medicaid physicals for use as school or day care physicals.

### 2. IMMUNIZATIONS – Please see chart.

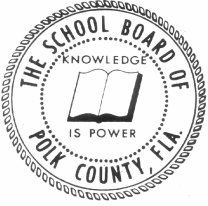
Religious exemptions must be obtained at a Health Department clinic. **Electronic transfer of immunization dates may be used; however, all immunization dates must be transferred, not just a notation that there is a certificate of immunization.** Students may enter school on Temporary Medical Exemption (DOH 680 – Part B), (DOE code 2), provided expiration date has not passed. **Students that are not in compliance with immunization laws are not allowed to attend school.**

### 3. HOME SCHOOLED STUDENTS

**All home schooled students that participate in public school academic or athletic events must comply with the Polk County Schools entrance requirements.**

### 4. HOMELESS STUDENTS

**Homeless students are students who:** 1. live with another family due to economic need and unable to meet entrance requirements 2. live in a shelter 3. or live on the street. Call Dee Dee Wright at 534-0801 for assistance.



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## Attachments

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### Attachment #1

#### Florida Statute 1003.21 (4) - Evidence of date of birth required.

If the first prescribed evidence is not available, the next evidence obtainable in the order set forth below shall be accepted:

- (1) A duly attested transcript of the child's birth record filed according to law with a public officer charged with the duty of recording births;
- (2) A duly attested transcript of a certificate of baptism showing the date of birth and place of baptism of the child, accompanied by an affidavit sworn to by parent;
- (3) An insurance policy on the child's life which has been in force for at least 2 years;
- (4) A bona fide contemporary Bible record of the child's birth accompanied by an affidavit sworn to by the parent;
- (5) A passport or certificate of arrival in the United States showing the age of the child;
- (6) A transcript of record of age shown in the child's school record of at least 4 years prior to application, stating date of birth; or
- (7) If none of these evidences can be produced, an affidavit of age sworn to by the parent, accompanied by a certificate of age signed by a public health officer or by a public school physician, or, if neither of these shall be available in the county, by a licensed practicing physician designated by the school board, which certificate shall state that the health officer or physician has examined the child and believes that the age as stated in the affidavit is substantially correct.

### Attachment #2

#### School Board Policy

TWO proofs of residency must be from TWO DIFFERENT categories as listed below. Each proof **MUST** have your name and CURRENT physical address on it.

Category 1: Apartment rent receipt or home lease agreement, mortgage document, or property tax record.

Category 2: ONE CURRENT utility bill (you may use EITHER electric, gas, phone, cable, water – ONLY ONE of these)

Category 3: CURRENT Voter Registration Document

Category 4: PROOF of CURRENT government benefits (Medicare, Disability, Food Stamps, DCF correspondence)

**NO DRIVER'S LICENSE, PERSONAL BILLS, AUTOMOBILE REGISTRATION OR INSURANCE CAN BE USED.**

### Attachment #3

Withdrawal and transfer form from the school the student last attended. The form should include name, address, phone number and fax number of that school.