This is a summary of vaccines required for children to enter key grades in the District of Columbia. **The number of checks is the total number of doses needed to enter those grades.** More detail on the requirements is available at [dchealth.dc.gov/immunizations](http://dchealth.dc.gov/immunizations).

### DC School Immunization Requirements Guide

**Effective June 2023**

#### To start Pre-K3*
- DTaP
- Polio
- Chickenpox
- MMR
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis A
- Pneumococcal (PCV)

#### To start Kindergarten
- DTaP
- Polio
- Chickenpox
- MMR
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis A
- Tdap

#### To start 7th grade
- DTaP
- Polio
- Chickenpox
- MMR
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis A
- Tdap

#### To start 11th grade
- DTaP
- Polio
- Chickenpox
- MMR
- Hepatitis B
- Hepatitis A
- Tdap

**Depends on brand used**

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*Your Pre-K3 child may become eligible for a booster dose of vaccines against MMR, Chickenpox, Polio, and Diptheria/Tetanus/Pertussis when they turn 4 years of age. We highly encourage getting these on time, however these will not count against the attendance requirement mid-year.*