



# EAGLESWOOD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

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## SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES 2010 REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS FOR SIXTH GRADE

Students born after January 1, 1997 and entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade, or a comparable age level special education program with an unassigned grade, shall have received:

- 1 dose of Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis) given no earlier than the 10<sup>th</sup> birthday. If the child received a Td booster does less than five years prior, booster will not be required until five years elapsed.
- 1 dose of a meningococcal-containing vaccine, such as the medically-preferred meningococcal conjugate vaccine.

A doctor's verified record of these immunizations must be presented to the school nurse **before** the child can be admitted to school for September 2010, as per New Jersey Law.

If you should have any questions regarding your child and the New Jersey requirements for sixth grade entry, please do not hesitate to call the school nurse, Mrs. Colabella at 597-3663.