

Hey, did you know?

The Health Unit is required to assess the vaccine records for all children who attend school. Is your child up to date with routine vaccines for the upcoming school year?

If you have a student who is:

Age	Action
4 years old	Ensure the Health Unit has up-to-date vaccination records for your child. <b>Note:</b> Family Doctors and Nurse Practitioners do not always provide the Health Unit with these records.
7 years old	Ensure they have received Tdap-IPV and MMRV after age 4. (Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis, Polio, and Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Varicella)
13 years old	Ensure they have received Meningitis, Hepatitis B, and HPV-9 vaccines. (Offered in Grade 7)
15 years old +	Ensure they have received their 10-year booster vaccine for Tdap. (Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis)

Some vaccines are required for school attendance. The summer months are a great time to get your child caught up on routine vaccines.

You can have your child vaccinated by:

1. Booking an appointment at the Health Unit
2. Booking an appointment with your Family Doctor or Nurse Practitioner. Please make sure you forward the information to the Health Unit.

You may view or submit your child's vaccine information by visiting:

[The Health Unit's Vaccination Page](https://www.myhealthunit.ca/en/public-health-services/vaccination-records.aspx) (https://www.myhealthunit.ca/en/public-health-services/vaccination-records.aspx)

Contact the Vaccine Program at the Health Unit via:

- E-mail: [vpd@healthunit.ca](mailto:vpd@healthunit.ca)
- Phone: 705-474-1400 ext. 5252 or toll free at 1-800-563-2808