

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

| To start Pre-K3*   | To start Kindergarten | To start 7 <sup>th</sup> grade | To start 11 <sup>th</sup> grade |
|--|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| DTaP<br>✓✓✓✓✓  | DTaP<br>✓✓✓✓✓         | DTaP<br>✓✓✓✓✓                  | DTaP<br>✓✓✓✓✓                   |
| Polio<br>✓✓✓   | Polio<br>✓✓✓✓         | Polio<br>✓✓✓✓                  | Polio<br>✓✓✓✓                   |
| Chickenpox<br>✓  | Chickenpox<br>✓✓      | Chickenpox<br>✓✓               | Chickenpox<br>✓✓                |
| MMR<br>✓   | MMR<br>✓✓             | MMR<br>✓✓                      | MMR<br>✓✓                       |
| Hepatitis B<br>✓✓✓   | Hepatitis B<br>✓✓✓    | Hepatitis B<br>✓✓✓             | Hepatitis B<br>✓✓✓              |
| Hepatitis A<br>✓✓  | Hepatitis A<br>✓✓     | Hepatitis A<br>✓✓              | Hepatitis A<br>✓✓               |
| Pneumococcal (PCV)<br>✓✓✓✓   |                       | Tdap<br>✓                      | Tdap<br>✓                       |
| Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (Hib)<br>✓✓✓ (✓)<br><i>Depending on brand used</i> |                       | HPV<br>✓                       | HPV<br>✓✓                       |
|  |                       | Meningococcal (ACWY)<br>✓      | Meningococcal (ACWY)<br>✓✓      |

✓ = number of doses

\*Your Pre-K3 child may become eligible for a booster dose of vaccines against MMR, Chickenpox, Polio, and Diphtheria/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.