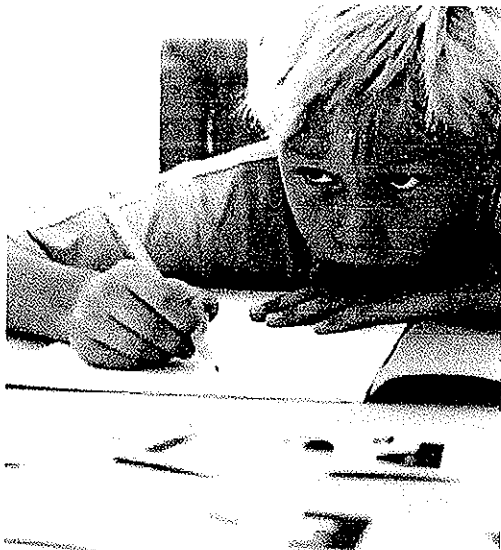


Attention Parents

DON'T WAIT -----VACCINATE NOW



Parent/Guardian of: _____

ALL children in ALL GRADES K-12 need to have 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox) vaccine OR a history of the disease to begin the first day of the 2010/2011 school year.

If your child will be going to 7th grade beginning in 2010/2011, he/she must also have the following 2 vaccines to enter school on the first day of the 2010/2011 school year:

- 1). 1 dose of tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis (Tdap) – If 5 years has not elapsed since last tetanus immunization and the Tdap cannot be given, you must provide written proof of the date of the last tetanus to the health office.**
- 2). 1 dose of meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MCV).**

If your child has had the above vaccines and you have provided written confirmation to the health office, please disregard this message. Thank you.

These requirements allow for medical reasons and religious beliefs.

**If your child is exempt from immunizations,
he/she may be removed from school during an outbreak.**

**Pennsylvania's school immunization requirements can be found in 28 PA.CODE CH.23 (School Immunization)
Contact your health care provider or 1-877 PA HEALTH for more information**

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Edward G. Rendell, Governor