Immunization Requirements
For All Children Entering Kindergarten

In accordance with the Rhode Island Department of Health Rules and Regulations Pertaining to Immunization and Communicable Disease Testing in Preschool, School, Colleges or Universities [R23-1-IMM], all students entering kindergarten are required to have the following immunizations:

- Five (5) doses of DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis) vaccine
  *If the 4th dose was given on/after the 4th birthday, a 5th dose is not necessary (total of 4 doses).*

- Three (3) doses of Hepatitis B vaccine

- Two (2) doses of MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella) vaccine

- Four (4) doses of Polio vaccine
  
  *The final dose should be given on/after the 4th birthday.*

  *If the 3rd dose was given on/after the 4th birthday, a 4th dose is not necessary (total of 3 doses).*

- Two (2) doses of Varicella (chickenpox) vaccine or a statement signed by your child’s doctor stating that your child has a history of chickenpox disease.