

**To: Parents of 7<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Graders in Fall 2018**  
**Date: May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**Re: 2018-19- School Vaccine Requirements for Entry**

For the 2018-19 school year, the Ohio Department of Health (ODH), under Ohio Revised Code 3701.13 and 3313.671, requires all students entering the 7th Grade to provide written proof that they have received a dose of Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) and Meningococcal (meningitis) vaccines. Student entering 12th Grade must provide written proof that they have received the Meningococcal (meningitis) vaccine after the age of 16. Please see the reverse side for a complete listing of ODH School/Immunization Requirements.

You may obtain the Tdap and/or Meningococcal Vaccines from your private physician or the Galion City Health Department. You can schedule an appointment with the Galion City Health Department by calling (419) 468-1075.

**Note:** Ask your provider about additional vaccines that are recommended for children ages 11-19 such as 2nd dose of varicella (chicken pox), hepatitis A and human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccines.

If you have questions please speak with your health care provider, Public Health School Nurse or contact the Galion City Health Department. Vaccinations are available by appointment on clinic days: 2nd & 4th Mondays from 9am-11am & 1pm-3pm and 3rd Monday from 3pm-6pm and also on Wednesdays from 9am-11am & 1pm-3pm starting July 18th-August 15th. To schedule your appointment call (419) 468-1075.

Thank you.



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