



# Saint Leo's School

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

This is to advise you that the New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services has revised administrative rules N.J.A.C. 8:57-4 creating new school immunization requirements effective September 1, 2008. Please provide documentation of these immunizations **before** the first day of school.

- Tdap: One dose is required for children entering Grade 6 and all students transferring into a New Jersey school on or after 9-1-08 and born after 1-1-97. A child does not need a dose of Tdap until five years after the last DTP/DTaP/Td dose. If the child's physician only carries Adacel the vaccine will not be required to receive it until 11 years of age.

Meningococcal: One dose is required for children entering Grade 6 and all students transferring into a New Jersey school on or after 9-1-08 and born after 1-1-97. A 10 year will not be required to receive the preferred Meningococcal Vaccine, Menactra, until they turn 11 years of age.

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Tdap Vaccine: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Meningococcal Vaccine: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_