

School Year 2019-2020

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Your child entering kindergarten is an exciting time! Placer County Public Health wants to remind you of the immunization requirements for entry into kindergarten. Whenever children are brought into group settings, there is a potential for the spread of infectious diseases. To prevent some of the most serious infections, the California School Immunization Law requires that children receive a series of immunizations before school entry and for the schools to maintain immunization records of all children enrolled in school.

Your child must have all his/her immunizations up to date **at the time of school entry**. Please plan ahead and check with your medical provider to ensure that your child's immunizations are up to date before school starts. Providers are very busy leading up to the start of school. To schedule an appointment for immunizations, please call your child's healthcare provider well in advance.

Thank you for your continued efforts to keep the children of our community safe and healthy!

For more information on the above:

- Meg Dorsey PHN, Placer County Immunization Coordinator (530) 889-7169
- Shots for School website: <http://www.shotsforschool.org>

Sincerely,

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## No Shots? No Records? No School.



**Children will not be enrolled  
unless an immunization record  
is presented and  
immunizations are up-to-date.\***

\*If your child is unimmunized due to medical reasons, please notify us.

Go to [ShotsForSchool.org](http://ShotsForSchool.org) to access information about immunization requirements, an interactive school look-up tool, implementation materials for schools, and educational materials for parents.  [Shots for School.org](http://ShotsForSchool.org)

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