



The University of Texas at Tyler
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To the Parents/Guardians of **Current 6th Grade Students:**

Texas State law requires that each child attending public school be immunized against certain vaccine-preventable diseases. As your student prepares to enter the 7th grade in the 2024-2025 school year, they will be required to show acceptable evidence of their adolescent vaccinations (Tdap and Meningococcal) ***prior*** to the first day of school. ***Without the proper documentation of required vaccinations, or a valid medical or conscientious exemption, students will not be allowed to be in attendance.***

Please provide a copy of your student's updated shot record to your Campus Registrar **no later than August 5th, 2024** to ensure enrollment on the first day of classes, August 13th, 2024. If you are unable to hand-deliver it to campus, you can fax it to (903) 705-4330 or send it via email to cmackey@uttyler.edu.

Included in this notice you will find the **2024-2025 Texas Minimum State Vaccine Requirements for Students Grade K-12** for your review. Additionally, **only the MCV4 quadrivalent Meningococcal vaccine will be accepted by the State for enrollment.** For further information regarding immunization rules and regulations, please visit the Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Website at www.ImmunizeTexas.com. You may also consider reviewing the information on the DSHS website regarding childhood vaccinations at <https://www.dshs.texas.gov/immunize/public.shtm>. If you prefer to speak with someone directly, please feel free to call the Immunization Branch customer service number at 1 (800) 252-9152.

For any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to me via the number or email listed below. I'm happy to help!

Regards,
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