

Richmond R-XVI Immunization Information

Immunization Requirements

The Missouri Department of Health requires the following immunizations for incoming Kindergartners. The vaccines listed below are available at the Ray County Health Department from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mondays, and from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays. The department's phone number is 816-776-5413. The requirements include:

All students Kindergarten – 12th grade:

- Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccine - six doses maximum.
- Polio, four doses maximum. Measles - two doses.
- Mumps, one dose. Rubella, one dose.
- Hepatitis B (Students who have not completed the series are required to complete it.)
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) one dose is required, two recommended.

All incoming Kindergarten Students:

- A vision exam is required to be performed by a professional optometrist or ophthalmologist.

Students age 6 and younger:

- Pertussis is required.

Students K – 3rd grade:

- If a combination IPV/OPV is received for polio, four doses required.

Students in 11th and 12th grade:

- Tetanus booster required 10 years after the previous dose.