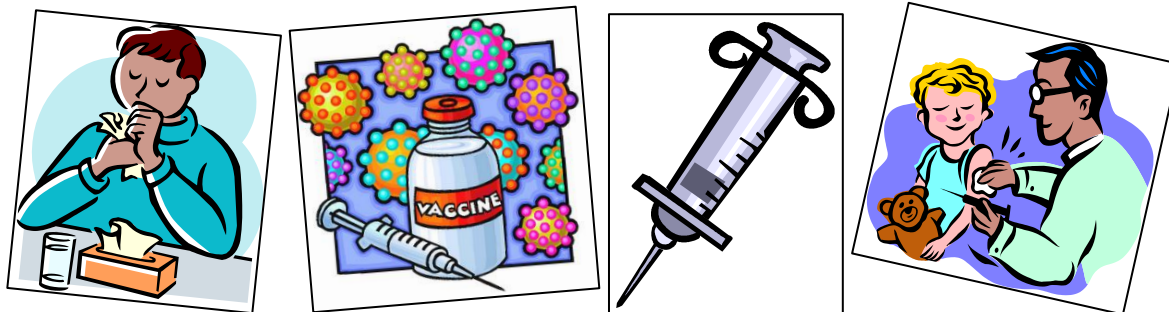


New Immunization Requirement for all 6th and 12th grade students!



Beginning with the 2015 – 2016 school year, Illinois law requires that all students entering 6th and 12th grade **MUST** have a meningococcal vaccine (MCV).

UNIT 5 STUDENTS IN 6th and 12th grades WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO START SCHOOL WITHOUT THIS IMMUNIZATION!

- 6th graders must receive one dose on or after the 11th birthday
- 12th graders must receive two doses, the second dose must be after the 16th birthday. If the first dose is received at 16 years of age or older, only 1 dose is required.

Contact your health provider to see if your child has received a meningococcal vaccine or to schedule an appointment. Please provide your school with proof of the immunization once it is completed.

Questions? Contact your school nurse or 309-557-4400.

For a full list of required immunizations go to:

http://www.isbe.net/pdf/school_health/immunization-requirements.pdf