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NOTICE: Be sure the school has an updated shot record on file if your child/children have already received the TDAP booster.

Dear Parents:

Thank you!!

The current Mississippi Immunization Law states "All students entering the seventh grade must have documentation from a physician (Form 121) verifying that they have received a recent Tdap vaccination (at age 7 or later). This includes new students, current students, and transfer students." Due to this requirement, we are **now requiring a new Certificate of Immunization (Form 121)** on each student entering the 7th grade. This is required before the start of school in August. You can bring the updated Form 121 to the school as soon as you get it; you do not have to wait until summer registration.

We wanted to give you advance notice of this, so you would have time to take your child and get the required vaccination and paperwork. Please do not wait until the last minute. Students will not be allowed to attend the first day of class in August without the proper immunizations and form.

If you have any questions about immunization requirements, please contact your local Health Department.

**ALL previous shots plus
new tdap booster shot
must be listed on ONE form**

Thank you,

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