



La Vernia Independent School District

**GET YOUR 6TH GRADER READY FOR 7TH
GRADE!**
DON'T DELAY! NO SHOTS, NO SCHOOL!

Dear Parents,

La Vernia ISD will be registering students for the 2018-2019 school year in June. In order for your child to be fully registered at this time, they will need to be up to date on their immunizations or you must provide a valid medical conscientious exemption form. The Texas Department of State Health Services now requires all students entering the 7th grade to have the following vaccines:

TDaP- If it has been five years since their last dose of TDaP vaccine

Meningococcal- One dose is needed. There will be another dose in 5 years

If your child does not have these vaccines by the registration dates, they will be *Provisionally Enrolled* and will not receive their schedule or locker on Prep Days in August until an updated immunization record is received. **PLEASE NOTE:** *Your child will not be allowed to start school in August without these required immunizations.*

Please review your child's immunization record and if immunizations are needed, start scheduling an appointment now to avoid the summer or back to school rush. As always, there will most likely be a shortage of vaccines in the clinics over the summer. Your child usually receives these immunizations at their 12 year well visit. To schedule an appointment, please call your child's health care provider or the Texas Department of State Health Services (Wilson County/Floresville location) at (830) 393-6225.

Remember to send a copy of your child's updated record to school after he/she receives these immunizations. This document may also be faxed to La Vernia Junior High at (830) 779-2243. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Jen Farar or Brittani Matthews at the LVJH Clinic (830) 779-6650.

Sincerely,

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