



# LePort Schools' Vaccination Policy

Each LePort School recommends a specific vaccination schedule depending on the state or country in which it operates. Enrolled students are required to be vaccinated in accordance with the recommended schedule for their state, which may vary if your child travels abroad, or if your child was born in a country other than the United States. In some cases, where legally permissible, we may require vaccination against communicable illnesses even if these particular vaccinations are not required by state law.

In some states, such as California, schools are not legally permitted to enroll students who are not vaccinated according to the state vaccination schedule, unless the child has a medical exemption on file with the governing authority. In other states, parents or guardians may request that their child receive an exemption from local vaccination requirements and we have a legal obligation to accommodate such exemptions. In both cases, we will follow the procedures set by state law.

In cases where we are legally allowed but not legally required to permit an exemption, eligibility for exemption will be determined based on a range of reasonable factors including medical considerations, the “herd immunity” rate at a specific campus, whether the campus in question includes unvaccinated infants, etc. We may deny a request for an exemption, or rescind a request that has been granted, where legally permissible, if we believe that lack of vaccination presents a serious risk to himself/herself, or to the student and staff body in general.

Should a non-vaccinated child display symptoms consistent with a communicable illness typically considered preventable by vaccination, the child's parents will be notified as soon as possible, and may be required to pick up the child within one hour.

Where we conclude there is a risk of exposure to a communicable disease in the community at large, we may require a child who is not up-to-date on vaccinations for that disease to remain home from school for an extended period, even if he or she is not showing any signs of illness, based upon recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control.

Families are responsible to pay the child's full tuition in the case of absences due to exemptions or incomplete vaccination schedules, including cases in which LePort requires a child to remain at home.

All families seeking an exemption must fill out the required State paperwork, and must acknowledge and agree to this vaccination policy.

Please sign below to indicate that you have received, read, acknowledged, and agree to abide by this policy.

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Parent/Guardian's Signature

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Date