

# Starting School ?

Immunisation information for parents enrolling a child

*Further information can be found at [www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/pages/when-to-get-your-child-vaccinated.aspx](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/pages/when-to-get-your-child-vaccinated.aspx)*

## Why immunise?

As your child starts school, it is a good time to check your child's immunisations are up to date.

Immunisation is a proven and safe way to be protected against diseases that can cause serious illness in your child.

Before starting school your child should also have a pre-school booster which includes the second MMR vaccine which protects against measles, mumps and rubella.

If your child has missed any of their baby vaccinations they can also have these prior to starting school, they do not have to start the course again.



**Make an appointment with your GP surgery to get your child covered before they start school.**

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