Window for School (K-12) Immunizations

How to Use this Window:

Place the window over the date boxes on the child's blue card. Immunization requirements are met if there are dates in each window opening. See also notes at right.

Notes:

1. The California School Immunization Law requires that all children entering your school have their immunizations. To do this, you will need to:
   A. Ask parents to present their child's Immunization Record;
   B. Record all of the child’s immunization dates on a blue card (the California School Immunization Record, PM-286);
   C. Determine if the child has had all the immunizations required.

2. When a birthday is specified, a date up to 4 days before the birthday is O.K.

3. The hepatitis B requirement applies only to kindergarten and 7th grade.

4. The Varicella requirement applies to any child admitted to a California school for the first time on or after July 1, 2001.

5. Supplies of the blue card are available free from local health departments.

Is there a date in each space?

Yes: Child can be admitted.

No: Child may need vaccine dose(s). Advise parents if a dose(s) is needed.

Conditional: Child can be admitted if he/she is currently up-to-date, but their next dose(s) are not yet due. Please refer to the California Immunization Handbook for more details.