## **SALEM MIDDLE SCHOOL**



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August 1, 2022

To The Parent/Guardian of a Sixth Grade Student:

Your child must receive the Tdap vaccine and/or Meningococcal (Menactra) vaccine. <u>This</u> requirement must be met by August 29, 2022 in order for your child to attend school in September.

Present the attached immunization form to your doctor or clinic in order that your child receives the proper immunization. Have the physician date and sign showing that the immunization has been given and return this form to the school nurse.

The State of NJ has amended Chapter 14 of the NJ State Sanitary Code regarding immunization requirements of pupils in schools, starting September 1, 2008:

GRADE 6: EVERY CHILD BORN ON OR AFTER 1-1-97 AND ENTERING OR ATTENDING GRADE 6 ON OR AFTER 9-1-08 SHALL HAVE RECEIVED ONE DOSE OF Tdap VACCINE AND ONE DOSE OF MENINGOCOCCAL VACCINE

If you do not have insurance, please contact NJ FamilyCare by calling 1-800-701-0710 or visit their website at <a href="http://www.njfamilycare.org">http://www.njfamilycare.org</a>.

If your child has been vaccinated, please contact Nurse Laubengeyer as soon as possible to update their medical record.

If you have any questions, please contact Nurse Laubengeyer at 935-2700, ext. 2216 or email her at laubengeyer@salemnj.org

Yours in education,

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