

Urgent message for Year 10 & 11's!

Missed vaccinations

Recently your child was offered vaccination in school. For those in Year 10 this was the teenage booster of Tetanus, Diphtheria and Polio with the new Men ACWY vaccine. These vaccinations provide life-saving immunity from serious and sometimes fatal diseases such as tetanus and meningococcal infection from meningitis. For those in year 11 this was the new Men ACWY vaccine which protects against more types of meningococcal infection than the Meningitis C vaccine your child received in their teenage booster in year 10.

Many colleges and universities require students to have received these as part of their entry requirements - don't let your child miss out. Further information about childhood vaccinations can be found at:

www.gov.uk/government/publications/meningitis-and-septicaemia-leaflet-for-students-in-years-9-to-13

Vaccinations may not be readily available from your GP surgery. The School Nursing Service will be running catch up clinics throughout the term for any child in year 10 or 11 who has not yet received their vaccinations. To book an appointment please contact your local School Nursing team on

..... **01795 418300 Ext 3014**

Please note clinics are strictly by appointment only.