

Attention Parents of Rising Sixth Graders

Prior to entering sixth grade **all students in Virginia are required to receive a booster dose of Tdap vaccine** if at least five years has passed since the last dose of tetanus toxoid-containing vaccine (DTP, DTaP, DT or Td).

The Tdap booster can be obtained from your child's physician or the Fairfax County Health Department. Clinic locations and walk-in hours are available online at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/hd/hdclinicsite.htm>

**** Your child cannot begin sixth grade in the fall without documentation of having had the Tdap booster or having had a tetanus-containing vaccine within the past five years. ****