



21 January 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

The School Age Immunisation Service will be offering all students in year 8 the **Human Papillomavirus (HPV)** vaccination in school on **Monday 28 April 2025**.

The immunisation team have asked us to share the following information and consent form link below. Please fill in this form at your earliest convenience to specify if you do or do not wish for your child to receive the vaccine.

The HPV vaccine protects against many genital-based cancers and warts. It also protects against mouth, throat, head and neck cancers caused by Human Papillomavirus. Guidance from NHS England recommends that your child now receives the HPV vaccination. Information regarding these vaccines is available on the NHS website:

[HPV vaccine - NHS](#)

Please complete the consent form as soon as possible. Please be aware that if the NHS do not receive completed consent forms, each young person will be assessed on an individual basis by a healthcare professional to self-consent and, if deemed Gillick competent, offered the vaccinations on the day.

Consent form: <https://nhsimms.azurewebsites.net/session/8ad70143>

If your child is outstanding their MMR vaccination and you would like for them to receive this vaccination, please contact our office via the details below.

[MMR \(measles, mumps and rubella\) vaccine - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk)

If you have any questions or experience any problems accessing the link, please call the IntraHealth School Age Immunisation Service:

Telephone: 0333 3583 397 Option 5

Email: immunisations.derbyshire@intrahealth.co.uk

Yours sincerely

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