

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child's HPV vaccination is now due.

The HPV vaccine that protects against several types of cancer is being offered to your child at school. To get the best protection, two doses are required; the first dose to be given in year 8, the second dose to be given in year 9.

The leaflet 'Your guide to the HPV vaccination' includes more information about the vaccine. <https://www.lincolnshirecommunityhealthservices.nhs.uk/our-services/childrens-services/immunisations/hpv-vaccination>

Please discuss this with your son or daughter, and then complete the online consent form before the vaccination is due.

Please click on the following link to complete the online consent form for your child(ren): <https://www.lincolnshireimmunisations.co.uk/>

You will need to enter the following code to ensure the completed form can be correctly allocated to your child's school: **EE136282**

The first vaccination date allocated to your school is **Monday 2nd March**. Each school will be visited one more time prior to the end of the school year.

The second dose will be given approximately one year after the date of the first dose.

Information about the vaccinations will be put on your child's health records. If you have any questions, please contact the school immunisation team. **01775 652144**

Yours sincerely,

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If you decide you do not want to vaccinate your child against HPV, please also complete the consent form giving the reason. This will help us plan and improve the service.

For further information see: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/hpv-human-papillomavirus-vaccine/>