

**Youth Exchange Program 2024-2025 in FRANCE**

Compulsory vaccinations for children and adolescents attending school in France.  
If not vaccinated during infancy, catch-up schedule with number of doses and date of the last booster.

Vaccination	Age 0 to 1	Age 1 to 1.5	Age 6	11 to 13	Age 14	Catch-up 15 to 18 if no prior vaccination	Last booster has to be
Diphtheria	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose		4 doses	< 10 years
Tetanus	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose		4 doses	< 10 years
Poliomyelitis	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose		4 doses	< 10 years
Whooping cough	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose		4 doses	< 10 years
Haemophilus influenzae typ. B	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose			
Hepatitis B	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose		2 (if Engerix B20) or 3 doses	
Pneumococcal disease	3 doses		1 dose	1 dose			
Meningococcal typ.C infections	2 doses					2 doses ; 1 if conjugate vaccine	
Measles		2 doses				2 doses with at least 1 month delay if no other vaccine.	
Mumps		2 doses				2 doses with at least 1 month delay if no other vaccine.	
Rubella		2 doses				2 doses with at least 1 month delay if no other vaccine.	

**Vaccinations required for the Youth Exchange Program in France**

COVID	Vaccination recommended but might be made mandatory by authorities.
Yellow Fever	Required for participants coming from or going to or transiting through Central America and South America : 1 dose

**Vaccinations strongly recommended**

Human papillomavirus HPV: for girls, for boys 11-14 years				1 dose	1 dose		
	<16 = 2 doses, > 16 = 3 doses Now highly recommended for boys from 15 to 19 (M0+M2+M6)						