

QUEEN ELIZABETHS GRAMMAR ALFORD - A SELECTIVE ACADEMY

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your Year 8 child(ren's) HPV vaccination is now due.

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

You will need to enter the following code to ensure the completed form can be correctly allocated to your child's school, QUEEN ELIZABETHS GRAMMAR ALFORD - A SELECTIVE ACADEMY: **EE136315**

The HPV vaccine protects against several types of Human Papillomavirus which are linked to an increased risk of certain types of cancer, including cervical, mouth and genital.

Leaflets that include more information about the vaccine can be found here:

<https://www.lincolnshirecommunityhealthservices.nhs.uk/our-services/childrens-services/immunisations>

If we have received consent, we will see your child(ren) in school for their vaccination between April and July.

We will visit your child(ren's) school on at least 2 separate occasions. If we are unable to vaccinate your child in school, we will contact you to make further arrangements.

The decision to participate in the vaccination process is legally that of your child. Whilst parental consent is respected, the vaccination can be given if your child wishes to have it and they have been assessed as having the capacity to consent and show a level of maturity and understanding of what the vaccination involves. Similarly, if you consent on behalf of your child and they refuse the vaccination, it will not be given.

For more information see link below:

[Consent to treatment - Children and young people - NHS](#)

If you have any queries, or require support completing the form, please contact the School Age Immunisation Service on 01522 572950.

Yours sincerely,

School Aged Immunisation Service