**Student Vaccination**

The City of Casey’s Environmental Health Team will be conducting immunisations at the school throughout 2011.

Students in Years 7 will be immunised against a range of preventable diseases including Hepatitis B, Chicken Pox. Girls in Year 7 will also receive a vaccination against Cervical Cancer (Gardasil).

Students in Year 10 will be immunised against a range of preventable diseases including Diphtheria, Tetanus and Whooping Cough (Boostrix).

Each student in these years will be provided with consent cards that must be completed by their parent or guardian. Parents and guardians are requested to read the information about the vaccinations being provided and the pre-immunisation checklist on the back of the consent card.

If your child does not require the immunisation please complete the card and sign the ‘no’ section and return it to the Office on the campus where your student attends. If your child has already received this vaccination please provide the immunisation dates on the consent card and return the consent card to the relevant Office. Please Note: Children will not be immunised without a fully completed and signed consent card. Further information, including specific vaccine information and information in other languages, can be obtained from the Department of Health at [http://www.health.vic.gov.au/immunisation/fact-sheets/factsheets](http://www.health.vic.gov.au/immunisation/fact-sheets/factsheets) or alternatively contact City of Casey’s Environmental Health team on 9705 5200.