



Glossary

- 1. Pentavalent Vaccine**-It is a combination of five vaccines and can prevent 5 (Five) diseases namely –Diphtheria, Pertussis(Whooping Cough),Tetanus, Hep-B (Hepatitis-B) and e.Hib(Haemophilus Influenza type B).
- 2. Mission Indradhanush**- It is a special immunization programme for mothers and children who live in hard to reach areas or low coverage areas, to cover them fully immunized to prevent from 7(Seven) vaccine preventable diseases such as TB(childhood Tuberculosis), Poliomyelitis, Diphtheria,Pertussis(Whooping Cough) Tetanus, Measles and Hepatitis-B.
- 3. Dewormin**- To kill and expel the intestinal worms or parasites (Helminths) by giving antihelminthic medicine.
- 4. Infectious disease**-Highly transmissible communicable diseases.
- 5. Rash**- Reddish or pinkish spot on the skin or elsewhere in the body.
- 6. NIS**- National Immunization Schedule for Routine Immunization for vaccine preventable diseases.
- 8. WIFS**- Weekly Iron Folic acid Supplementation programme (An additional nutritional distribution to the students of Class-VI to Class-XII).