

# What you need to know about Sealants



## Sealants:

A thin protective coating that is applied to the chewing surface of your back teeth to help “seal” out cavities.



Sealants are not substitutes for brushing and flossing.

Sealants can keep cavities from forming and may even stop early stages of decay from becoming a full-blown cavity.

## Did You Know?

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## According to the CDC:

“School-age children without sealants have almost **⇒ three times ⇐** more cavities than children with sealants.”

Right after your cleaning is the best time to get any recommended sealants!

**Sealants not only save your child’s teeth, they  
\$\$ can also save you time & money. \$\$**

Less time away from work and fewer trips to see the dentist - although we love seeing you!



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