



From the Nurse's Desk

Administration Policy For Medication:

Parents may request that the school district administer medication to their children at school **when it is necessary for the medication to be administered during the school day.** Requests for medication will be treated as any other confidential school information.

1. A written physician's order must accompany each medication to be dispensed. No medication will be administered by school personnel without specific instructions from a physician.
2. Parent /Guardian must sign a Parental Authorization Form for the administration of medication. This form needs to be completed annually.
3. Pharmacy container must be clearly labeled with the child's name, name of physician, date of the prescription, name and telephone number of pharmacy, name of medication, dosage, route, and frequency of medication.
4. *The parent must bring in the medicine and give it to the nurse. (Do not send medicine in your child's book bag)
5. Controlled substances will be counted and verified with parent/guardian when medication is dropped off at the nurse's office.

Please Note: Medications not picked up within one day of the end of the school year will be discarded and documented.

PLEASE KEEP YOUR CHILD HOME IF THEY HAVE A ...

Fever temperature of 100.0 degrees or higher

Cough dry, persistent

Vomiting within the past 24 hours

Diarrhea within the past 24 hours

Rash body rash with itching or fever

Head Lice itchy head, active head lice

Eye Infection redness, itching, and or crusty drainage from eye

Hospital Stay and/or Emergency Room Visit



Signs or symptoms of COVID-19 in children include:

- Fever
- Fatigue
- Headache
- Myalgia
- Cough
- Nasal congestion or rhinorrhea
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Abdominal pain
- Diarrhea
- Nausea or vomiting
- Poor appetite or poor feeding

(CDC.gov)

*Advised to see a doctor

YOUR CHILD MAY RETURN BACK TO SCHOOL WHEN:

If your child is sent home from school with a fever or has a fever at home, your child needs to be FEVER FREE for 24 HOURS without the use of fever reducing medicine such as Tylenol, Ibuprofen before returning back to school

- No cough
- Free from vomiting for at least 2 solid meals
- Free from diarrhea for at least 24 hours
- Free from rash or fever, and has been evaluated by a doctor if needed
- Treated with appropriate lice treatment at home and information is provided to school nurse
- Eye infection is evaluated by a doctor and has a note to return to school
- Hospital Stay and/or Emergency Room Visit released by medical provider to return to school

PLEASE NOTE: The nurses encourage the students to come to school to learn. When the nurse calls home to tell you that your child is sick, please come and pick up your child in a timely manner. We want to keep our nurses and staff safe and healthy.

Let the nurse know of all medical changes throughout the year.

ALL Kindergarten & 1st Grade Students

Please pack an extra change of clothes, including underwear in their book bag. Accidents happen.

Thank you!