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Per district policy, **Any** medications, over the counter or prescription **cannot** be accepted or administered at school unless we have a completed "Permission to Medicate" form from the **student's doctor** with both the Dr.'s and parent's signature. Only as the parent can you administer a medication without a Dr.'s note.

Exceptions to this policy are: Sunscreen, cough drops, lotion and chapstick. **A parent's permission note must be on file to administer these items. Students are not permitted to carry these items with them.**

Children who use an inhaler must also have this form completed and returned with the inhaler, with the prescription either on the box or on the inhaler itself; and everything labeled with the child's name.

- **Any prescription medications must have the prescription label on it.**

If under exceptional circumstances a student is required to take oral medication during school hours and the parent cannot be at school to administer medications, only the school nurse's designee will administer the medication according to school district policy and the appropriate paperwork is on file.

If your child has any medical issues we need to be aware of please contact Michelle Bolitho to create a Medical Care Plan. She can also help you with the above mentioned form you need to have completed for medications administered at school.

Mrs. Bolitho will contact you if your child is ill and needs to be sent home. If your child contacts you to be picked up, please call Mrs. Bolitho @ 303-485-7729 to confirm the student is ill and be sure to sign them out at the front desk before leaving school. Your support in reiterating this with your student is appreciated.

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