

- Parents/guardians are asked to contact the school nurse if a child has any special nursing care needs that must be provided during school hours. Examples of this includes blood sugar checks, seizure precautions or other medical needs. The nurse will facilitate and coordinate arrangements for meeting these needs, along with parent/guardian and physician collaboration and input.
- “Medication” is any drug used for treating an injury, disease, or symptoms of an illness that is prescribed by a qualified healthcare provider. This also pertains to over-the-counter medications. **Students are NOT allowed to have any medications on their person or in their schoolbag at any time unless approved by the school nurse. This includes asthma inhalers and over the counter medications.**
- Administration of medications, especially short term, should be done at home whenever possible. It is strongly recommended that AM medications are taken at home with parental supervision. If a student is required to take medication during the school day, the medication should be taken to school by parents/guardians or an adult designee. A Medication Permission from the Health Care Provider should accompany all medication in the original pharmacy packaging, including for the treatment of allergies, asthma, or diabetes. Medications that must be given during school hours will occur between 9:00am through 1.5 hour before dismissal.
- Please see the MED1 Form listed under forms to take to your physician. There is one for Asthma, Seizures and a general one; [Medication Administration Form](#), [For Asthma Medication](#), [For Seizure Medication](#)
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