



Saint John's Academy

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ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION IN SCHOOL

The following steps must be taken if your child is in need of ANY type of medication during the school day (including Tylenol, Advil, antibiotics, and cold preparations):

1. The health office must have on file a written request from the physician in which he indicates the name, frequency and dosage of the prescribed medication. This includes ALL over-the-counter medication.
2. The health office must have on file a written request from the parent in order to administer the medication as prescribed by the physician.
3. The medication must be in the original container, as it is received from the pharmacist. Over-the-counter medication, including Tylenol and Advil, must be in the original container and be labeled with the name of the child and description of dosage.
4. The medication must be kept in the health office.
5. A separate form must be completed for each medication to be administered.
6. Additional forms for parent and physician authorization are attached.

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Medication must be in a PRESCRIPTION bottle with a pharmacist's label attached. Over-the-counter medication must be in the original container and be labeled with the child's name.

If you wish the school nurse to administer your child's medication during school hours, we require that this form be completed and returned to the health office. Thank you for your cooperation. **This form must be renewed annually.**

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PARENT/GUARDIAN:

I hereby request that the school nurse (or principal's designee) administer medication as prescribed by my child's physician.

Student's name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Grade: _____

Teacher/Homeroom: _____ Parent/Guardian's home phone: _____

I hereby release St. John's Academy and its employees from any and all liability arising from the administration of this medication.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PHYSICIAN FOR EVERY MEDICATION (PRESCRIPTION AND OVER-THE-COUNTER)

Patient name: _____ Diagnosis: _____

Medication: _____ Dose: _____ Frequency: _____

Dates for administration – From: _____ Through: _____

If PRN, signs and symptoms for administering medication: _____

Possible side effects: _____

Restrictions (specific): _____

Print M.D. name, address, and phone number: _____

M.D. Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you require additional medications, please copy this form or see the school nurse.