

SAUVIE ISLAND SCHOOL

MEDICATIONS AT SCHOOL

In accordance with state law, the following guidelines must be followed by school staff when administering medication in the school. Please call 503-621-3426 if you have questions.

MEDICATION MEANS ONLY NON-INJECTABLE, COMMERCIALY PREPARED, NON-ALCOHOL BASED, OVER-THE-COUNTER AND PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS REQUIRED TO KEEP A STUDENT IN SCHOOL

1. All medications must be brought to the school office by a parent/guardian
2. Attempt to give medications either before or after school. Only deliver the medications that will be required during school hours.
3. All medications must be in the original container
4. All prescription medication must be accompanied by a signed request from the parent or guardian to be dispensed according to the label or physician's instructions
5. All prescription medications brought must be accompanied by a signed request from the parent/guardian and include the name of the student, name of the medication, dosage, and frequency of administration. If a package directions are different, a physician's order is also needed
6. Over-the-counter medication shall be limited to eye, ear, nose, and cough drops, cough suppressants, analgesics (plain relievers), decongestants, antihistamines, topical antibiotics, anti-inflammatories, and antacids
7. Pick up any remaining medications following the course of treatment or at the end of the school year. If not picked up, medication will be discarded

SELF-ADMINISTRED MEDICATIONS

GRADES K-3 All medications will be administered by school personnel as outlined above

GRADES 4-8 The same as above, with one exception. In cases where a student must carry an inhaler during the school day, a statement signed by the student and the parent must be provided that instructs the school to allow the student to carry the self-administer their inhaler