

St. Gregory the Great Academy

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Medication Policy

(as stated in the 2020-2021 Family Handbook)

- 1. The administration of medication in the Academy should be avoided wherever possible.
- 2. If medication must be given during school hours, there must be written permission from the parent AND a medication form completed by the doctor <u>for all medications</u>, even over-the-counter medications.
- 3. Children are <u>NOT</u> permitted to carry any medication in school, with the exception of EPI-PENS and INHALERS.
- 4. Students who carry INHALERS (per #3 above) may ONLY do so if they have a completed self-medication form completed by their physician on file with the Academy Nurse.
- 5. All medication must be kept in a locked facility in the nurse's office and the Academy nurse will administer it provided there are written directions from the parent and doctor.
- 6. All medication (even over the counter medicines) must be kept in the original container and labeled with the child's name and proper dosage.
- Medications must be administered by the Academy nurse or by the parent. Children are <u>NOT</u> permitted to take medication themselves.

Medications will not be administered unless these procedures are followed.

It is the responsibility of the **PARENT** to keep the Academy supplied with the proper medication and current doctor's orders.

