



# St. Mary's High School

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## THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION IN SCHOOL

The State of New York requires that the school nurse follow the procedures listed below:

All medication, including *non-prescription drugs such as Tylenol, Motrin, etc.*, given in school *must be prescribed by a licensed medical doctor.*

A written request from the physician must be on file. This request must indicate the dosage and frequency of the prescribed drug. A written request from the parent to administer medication must be on file.

The parent must assume responsibility to have the medication delivered to the Health Office in a *properly labeled original container.*

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY TYPE OF MEDICATION TO SCHOOL  
WITH YOUR CHILD UNLESS YOU FOLLOW THE PROPER  
PROCEDURE**

(Medication consent information is on the physical form. Additional forms may be obtained from the Health Office or the school website.)

Thank you,

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