HEALTH INFORMATION

<u>Asthma</u>

If your child takes an inhaler for asthma please let us know. School is able to support your child to take their inhaler as and when needed. Parents wishing school to administer their child's inhaler will need to complete a consent form stating frequency and dosage required. All medicines must be handed in to the school office. A Health Protocol around your child's asthma will be put in place.

	Yes	Νο
My child will require an inhaler at school.		
I will leave a spare inhaler at school for this		
purpose		
My child uses an inhaler but should not need this in		
school.		
I consent to them using the school emergency		
Ventolin inhaler if required.		
My child does not have asthma.		

Allergies

If your child has any known allergies please complete the table below letting us know what they are allergic to, how they react if they come into contact with the allergen and what is used to treat the allergy, ie piriton, epipen.

Allergic to:	Reaction	Treated by:

If your child does have an allergy, we will be in contact to create a Personalised Health Care Plan. This will then be shared with all staff working with your child.

Any other medical information

Administering of Paracetamol in School

We are happy to give your child the occasional dose of paracetamol under limited circumstances, ie mild or moderate pain, if temperature is raised and we are awaiting a parent to pick up. We will stick to the dosage advised on the bottle and will advise parents via text or phone call to ensure you know the time the medicine was administered.

I am happy for you to give my child paracetamol in school	YES / NO
If you answered YES please confirm the following:	
I confirm my child has had paracetamol before	YES / NO
Did they have an allergic reaction to paracetamol?	YES / NO

If you answered **YES** please give details of the reaction below:

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Does your child currently take any medicines that would interact with paracetamol ? YES / NO

I will inform school my child starts any medicine that would interact with paracetamol. YES / NO

Administering of Other Medicines in School

If your child requires any other medicine in school, such as antibiotics more than three times per day, we will require parents to fill in an Administering of Medicines Form, available from the school office.

We can only accept medicines in their original container as dispensed by the pharmacy so that we can read the appropriate information and instructions.

For any medicines required on a long term basis please ask your doctor or pharmacy to supply a separate labelled bottle for use in school. We can then keep a separate supply in school to prevent you having to bring in medicines each day.

ADDITIONAL MEDICAL INFORMATION

Please ensure that medical or other personal information is kept up to date especially with regards to any new conditions. This must be provided in writing to the school office.