MEDICATION GUIDELINES WHILE AT SCHOOL:

- 1. All medications are to be kept in the clinic.
- 2. All prescription medications must be in the original prescription bottle and plainly marked.
- 3. Students are not to carry any medication on their person/or in their locker, with the exception of prescribed inhalers, insulin or any other "rescue medication".
- 4. Over-the-counter medications need to be sent in the original containers. Only the recommended dose on the bottle will be given. Parents are to send a note including the child's name, medication name, time to be given and the stop date.
- 5. **NO** controlled substances (i.e. Pain relievers, ADHD meds and/or muscle relaxers) are to be sent on the bus or brought to school by the students. Parents must bring these types of medications into the clinic and sign them in with the nurse. Parents will be notified to pick up controlled medications after 30 days or grant permission for the clinic staff to destroy them. The parent/guardian of the student must inform the school health personnel of any change in the student's health or medication.

CONSEQUENCES:

Students who possess or consume medications in violation of this policy while on district grounds, on district transportation, or during a district activity may be disciplined up to and including suspension or expulsion. District administrators will notify law enforcement when they believe a crime has occurred.