## HEALTH SERVICES

## PARENT PERMISSION FOR STUDENT TO SELF-ADMINISTER NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION

**School Board Policy 5.15** – Administration of Medication during school hours, states that "all prescription and non-prescription medication administered by the school at the elementary, middle and high school level must be directed by a physician who has determined that a student's health and well-being requires medication during school hours. <u>All non-prescription medication in the possession of students at the middle and high school, not administered by the school, requires written permission from the parent to the school."</u>

To comply with **School Board Policy 5.15**, parents/guardians are responsible for obtaining the Medication Authorization Form to be filled out by the physician if medication will be given by the school. For those students carrying Non-prescription; Non-emergency medications, the parent/guardian is responsible for completing the Parental Permission Form at the bottom of this letter.

**School Board Policy 5.15** – Administration of Medication During School Hours, states that a student at the middle and high school level may carry a Non-prescription; Non-emergency medication on his/her person while in school with approval from his/her parent/guardian.

Over-the-counter medications must be in the original container.

I give permission for the below named child to carry and self-administer his/her own Non-prescription; Nonemergency medication. I understand that my child may not share his/her medication under any circumstance and that a copy of this permission form must accompany the stated medication. I understand that if there is inappropriate behavior or a safety risk, *the privilege* of carrying his/her medication will be rescinded.

| Student Name  | Grade | Homeroom |
|---|-------|----------|
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| Name of Non-prescription; Non-emergency medication: |       |          |
| Reason for medication:                              |       |          |
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Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Date

I understand that I am not to share my medication under any circumstance and that a copy of this permission form must accompany the above medication.

Student Signature