



Coomera Springs State School Policies and Procedures

Medication at School

Medication can only be administered to students at school when the medication meets the following criteria:

- Has been prescribed to the child by a doctor
- Is clearly labelled with child's name
- Is clearly labelled with the dosage and time required
- Is in date
- And written parent permission has been recorded on school paperwork at the Administration.

Students will be supervised whilst taking the medication to ensure safety standards are met. Students should not be given over the counter medication to self medicate at school, nor should teachers be asked to assist with administration.

Please also refer to our school Student Asthma Policy which allows student self medication in very limited and special circumstances.

Our school Enrolment Agreement requiring parent signature states:

If my child needs medication while at school, I understand that school staff will only administer over-the-counter medication or prescribed medication if:

- I fully complete a School Medication Form
- I supply written advice from a medical practitioner
- I supply the medication in the original labelled container.