



Gilmer High School
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Dear parent,

To comply with Texas State Law, the following restrictions apply to the taking of medications by students while at school:

1. All medicine is to be brought by the parent and kept in the school nurse's office.
2. Prescription and non-prescription medications must be in the original container. Prescription medicine must be in a container with the pharmacy label for that student.
3. If a prescription medicine must be given during school hours, it must be accompanied by a note signed by a parent or guardian giving authorized school personnel directions for its administration (time and dosage).
4. If a non-prescription (over the counter) medication must be given during school hours, it must be accompanied by a note signed by the parent and physician giving school personnel directions for its administration.
5. School personnel will not give any medicine, including Tylenol, unless it is provided by you, in the appropriate manner as stated above.

These restrictions are necessary for protection of the health and safety of your child. We will appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Nurse

Principal

Please keep a copy of the attached form available for future use should your child need to take a medication during school hours.