St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Asthma

We are currently reviewing our medical procedures with our school nursing team and would like to put some further safety measures in place for children with Asthma.

Therefore, it would be helpful if you would read and complete the enclosed documents.

The first is an Asthma plan. This document will be kept in the classroom with your child so that any adult who is in the class for the day (supply teacher, new Teaching Assistant) will have important information within reach, should your child suffer an asthma attack.

The second is permission for your child to self-administer the inhaler medication. This document will be kept securely on the school information system.

Both forms need to be returned to the office as soon as possible.

We are implementing a new requirement that the children's inhaler needs to be kept on their person at all times. As such we would ask that a 'Bum Bag' is provided in which they can keep their inhaler as they move about the school grounds.

If you have any questions, then please do contact the school for further clarification.

Yours faithfully Mrs Carolyn Townsend (Inclusion Manager)

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