**Medical and health care**

Parents should notify the school of any medical requirements or allergies that their child may have. If medication is required it is better if this can be provided outside the school hours but, in cases where it is necessary during the child’s time in school, parents should contact the school to make appropriate arrangements. Please note that staff are not obliged to give medicine to pupils.

Minor accidents are usually dealt with by a qualified first aider, if available. If a pupil takes ill or has an accident at school which requires that they be is sent home or for treatment, the school will organise first aid and contact parents or carers.

**It is very important that the school has contact details for all parents or carers and an additional contact person in case parents or carers can’t be reached. This information should be kept up to date**.

The school will not send younger pupils home from school unaccompanied.

In the event of a serious illness or accident, a member of staff will accompany the child to a doctor or hospital and parents or carers will be notified immediately.