

Health & Wellness Issues

Remember to report your child's absence by 10:00 a.m.

You may use the attendance hotline (330)706-2760. You may use this number to call your child off during the middle of the night or early morning when our office is closed. This number does apply for all of the Norton City Schools. You will reach the voice mailbox and then choose which school you need to notify.

Should I Keep My Child Home Today?

The below symptoms/conditions may mean the start of a communicable disease or nuisance condition that could affect many of the other children in your child's classroom. Also, your child may be too sick to learn in school that day. In fairness to ALL children, keep your child home until you can determine what else may be developing. Contact the school nurse if you have any questions. If both parents are employed, please make arrangements to have a caregiver available in case your child becomes ill while in school. Include those names on your emergency forms.

Please keep your child home if he/she has:

- Vomiting or diarrhea within the last 24 hours
- Severe cough
- Undetermined rash
- Temperature of 100 degrees or higher within the last 24 hours
- Sore throat—difficulty swallowing
- Red, watery, burning, itching eyes
- Nits or lice in hair



When children come to the office not feeling well, we will take their temperature, ask questions pertaining to their complaints, such as asking if they've had breakfast or used the bathroom when complaining of a stomachache. If the child is clearly not feeling well the call home will be made at that time. If they appear to be doing okay we will send them back to class to see how they fair. If they return, we will then call home for someone to pick them up.

Food Allergy Reminder



Students and parents are reminded that some of our Grill students have serious food allergies that include many common foods such as milk, nuts, and wheat products. Students may NOT share food with one another! While birthday treats are welcome, parents are reminded to make arrangements in advance with the classroom teacher and send in only store bought, pre-packaged items with the ingredients clearly listed. Home baked will not be distributed, they will be sent back home. Thank you for your cooperation with this request.

Medication Guidelines

Grill Elementary School is not permitted to administer any medications unless a parent has completed a Medical Authorization Form (available in the office), and has a physician's signature. Parents must bring any medications to school in the original container labeled by the physician or pharmacy.