

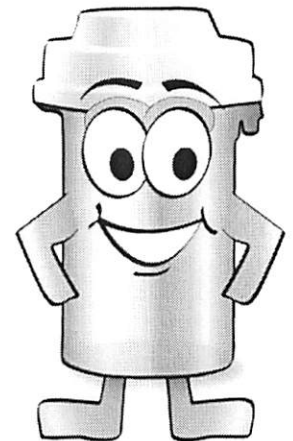
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HEALTH SERVICES NEWSLETTER

We would like to welcome you and your student to the 2018-2019 school year. Your clinic staff is excited to be working with your student this year, and would like to pass on some information that may be helpful to assist your student in having a successful school year.

Please provide your elementary student with a change of clothing in their backpack. Students sometimes experience unexpected accidents, spills, etc., which require a change of clothing. Please help us ensure your student does not miss valuable classroom time by checking their backpack daily to ensure they have a change of clothing readily available. The clinics do not have clothing available for students use.

As a reminder, all prescription and over the counter medication must be transported to the school by a parent/guardian in the original container. Prescription medication must have a current prescription label affixed to the medication container. Over the counter medication must be age appropriate, as specified on the original label. A Medication Permit must be signed by the parent and clinic staff member at the time medication is dropped off. Thank you for helping us to ensure medication administration remains safe for all our students.



The health of our students is very important to Raytown Quality Schools. Our Health Services Staff will evaluate students and notify parents in the event your student becomes ill at school. District policy requires any students suspected of having a communicable illness to remain at home until it has been determined they are no longer contagious. Students having a fever greater than 100° F, an unidentified rash, vomiting, more than one episode of diarrhea in a school day or those exhibiting signs of a contagious illness must remain home from school for a minimum of one full school day. Students must be fever and vomit free, without the use of medication, for the previous twenty-four hours before returning to school. A doctor's note may be required in certain instances where the diagnosis and contagious period should be determined by a physician.

We are truly invested in the well-being of every student and feel that the Raytown Quality Schools Health Services Department provides an important support for your student's educational success. Please feel free to contact your school's clinic if you have any medical concerns.