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### **STUDENT EARLY RELEASE PRECAUTIONS**

Should a student become ill or be injured during school hours, the teacher will contact the school nurse assigned to the building. The parents must be notified if the student needs to go home or needs the services of a physician. The school nurse will assess the student's condition and recommend the plan of care. To maintain the well being of students, an Emergency Form must be on file annually to allow school personnel to provide for their health and safety.

#### Accidents/Illnesses

Should a student be ill/injured, an effort will be made to contact the parents/guardian of the student. If the parent cannot be contacted and the illness or injury is believed to be serious enough to require medical attention, the school nurse will arrange for the student to be transported to a doctor or to a hospital for treatment. The student will be accompanied by either a parent or parent designee as identified on the Emergency Form or a designee appointed by the school. This action on the part of school personnel does not obligate the personnel or the schools to assume financial responsibility for the treatment of the student.

No student may dismiss themselves from school due to illness/accident. No student may be excused to leave the school premises in the custody of anyone other than a parent or person designated by the parent and whose identity is known to the building personnel. The exception to this would be students who are "emancipated youth."

#### Accidents

Accidents to students requiring medical intervention or accidents deemed unusual or out of the ordinary should be reported to the school nurse and an accident report filled out. An accident report form provided by the administration office shall be completed within twenty-four (24) hours of the school personnel's awareness of said accident.

Cross Reference:

JLC – Student Health Services