



Healthcare Policy

Snacks

Children are encouraged to bring healthy snacks to some sessions (note after school clubs) as it is unlikely they will be able to concentrate if hungry after a day at school. Children are not allowed to bring anything containing nuts and are not allowed to share snacks with other children. Withholding food is never used as a punishment. If food preparation is part of a session, children are never forced to eat anything against their will.

Always check a child's personal record where parents have recorded details of allergies etc before any activity that involves food and err on the side of caution.

Medication to be administered onsite

Any medication that parents request to be administered to their children during a session must be given directly to the lead guide or first aider onsite. They must be given clear instructions as to how the medication is to be administered and this must be written clearly and kept with the medication. All medication must be kept out of sight and clearly labelled with the child's name, age, group and emergency contact name and phone number.