

# UES CLINIC INFORMATION

My name is Katelyn Neal; the staff and students at Unionville Elementary School call me "Nurse Neal". As a former UES Dolphin and current Unionville resident, I love being part of the UES staff! I enjoy spending all my time outside of school going on adventures with my husband and three little boys!



## IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Medications may not be transported by students to or from school and ALL medications must have accompanying documentation in the clinic.
- Students may not attend school if they are not well enough to participate in class and must be fever free without the use of fever reducing medications for 24 hours before returning to school after illness with fever.
- Children who vomit or have diarrhea multiple times should remain home until they have not vomited or had diarrhea for a full 24 hours or until symptoms subside and meals are tolerated. Students who vomit in the night or morning before school should remain home that school day and can return the next school day once feeling better.
- Students are permitted to carry and self-apply non-medicated lotion, sunscreen, and lip balm provided by the student's own parent.
- Students are most comfortable in their own clothes. Please send a spare set in your child's backpack in case of bathroom accident or spill and let your child know it's there!

## KEEPING STUDENTS IN CLASS

Student self-care and resilience are supported in each UES classroom and in the clinic...with a lot of love!

OCPS strives to empower staff to help students avoid unnecessary clinic visits that lead to missed instruction time and exposure to illness in the school clinic. OCPS is implementing a new "Clinic Visit Guide" and procedures for staff that can be used to help determine when a student should visit the clinic or have their needs met in the classroom.

I will contact parents as needed in situations including but not limited to when students may require additional care or monitoring at home or are meeting criteria for dismissal from school due to illness or injury. Students will remain in class or return to class from the clinic whenever possible.

