The school holds an asthma pack, with a salbutamol inhaler (blue reliever) & disposable spacers for students with asthma – intended for **emergency use only**.

Our policy requires that parents ensure their child always has their own prescribed & in-date inhaler with them at school. If your child forgets or loses their inhaler, we can provide access to our spare in the event of an emergency - but **only with parental consent**.

## Students must take their inhaler with them on school trips.

If you would like to give permission for your child to use our spare inhaler in an emergency, please complete the form at the following link: <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/dMnV2Ds7Xt">https://forms.office.com/e/dMnV2Ds7Xt</a>. Alternatively, you can respond by filling out the slip at the end of this document. Please complete a return, even if you do not wish to give consent.

Please ensure that the school have an up-to-date copy of your child's asthma action plan to ensure proper care. If you do not have a current copy of the action plan, please arrange for it to be completed by your child's GP or asthma nurse. You can download the appropriate plan below:

- Under 12 years of age: <u>Child Asthma Action Plan</u>
- 12 years of age or older: Adult Asthma Plan

Further information can be found at <u>Your child's asthma action plan | Asthma + Lung UK (asthmaandlung.org.uk)</u>

Please send a completed paper copy in with your child to hand into reception or email the completed action plan as a PDF or word document to <a href="mailto:admin@testbourne.school">admin@testbourne.school</a>. Please do not send this as a photo.

Thank you for supporting us in maintaining the correct medical support details for your child. If you have any concerns or queries regarding your child's asthma care in school, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

I give permission for my ch	nild (name)		
to use the school's spare i	nhaler pack in the ever	nt of an emergency.	
Signed	Date		