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Dear Parents and Guardians:

The snack policy for the 2025-2026 school year will still ask for healthy snacks. Snacks **MUST BE peanut and tree nut free** and clearly labeled. Snacks brought in for classroom parties, as well as the daily classroom snack **MUST** follow these guidelines. **NO HOMEMADE SNACKS are allowed for classroom parties.** Please see the list of nut free snacks that are appropriate for classroom parties.

<https://snacksafely.com/guide/peanut-treenut-free.pdf>

Prepackaged snacks must be checked by the nurse prior to being brought to the classroom parties. We are asking the parents of the allergic child to provide safe pre-packaged snacks for their child and these snacks will be kept in the nurse's office. Perishable snacks may be sent in as well and kept in the freezer and will be distributed for celebrations.

This new way of handling celebrations will minimize any risk of our allergy children having any serious health issues while participating in celebrations at school. If you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact the school.

Birthdays - If you are sending in a birthday treat, we are only allowing a small token that is not food, such as stickers, pencils, etc. No Goodie bags please! Food treats will be reserved for classroom parties held throughout the year.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Kerridyn Trusheim, Principal

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