

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

This is an **important notice** regarding bringing food items containing <u>**nuts or nut**</u> <u>**products**</u> into the classroom/school where a student has a severe, life threatening, **nut allergy.** 

Allergic reactions may occur when:

- eating nut products
- nut oils contact the skin (from desk tops and other classroom objects)
- nut oils become airborne

If your child consumes any nut products at home, please have your child wash his/her hands and face thoroughly, and rinse his/her mouth before coming to school.

Please **check** all food items brought to class/school for ingredients such as nuts, nut oils, or nut by products.

Please avoid foods that have "MAY CONTAIN NUT PRODUCTS" on the label.

There are several **nut free alternatives** available.

Thank you for your cooperation in making our school a safe environment for all students.

Yours truly,

Principal

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