

## **Nut Allergy Policy Statement:**

Whilst we are unable to completely eliminate the possibility that nut or nut products may be present on site, we require our students, parents, staff and visitors to make all reasonable efforts to ensure they comply with our policy statement.

We have appropriate levels of First Aiders on site who are trained in dealing with allergic reactions, including Anaphylactic shock.

We require our parents/carers of children who have an allergy to ensure they provide 1 appropriate EpiPen which we can store on site and 1 appropriate EpiPen which should be kept on the child at all times. Parents must notify the school of all allergies their child may have and if required to complete a Care Plan.

Our caters are required to operate under a Nut Awareness Policy also.

## Our Expectations are:

- Parents and carers are requested <u>NOT</u> to send food to school that contains nuts (especially peanuts). This includes all types of nuts, peanut butter, and food containing nuts.
- Parents and Carers are encouraged <u>NOT</u> to send in food that displays 'May contain Nuts';
- Students are encouraged **NOT** to share food.
- Students are encouraged to wash hands before and after eating.
- Staff training in understanding and dealing with Anaphylaxis (severe allergic reactions) as the need arises.
- The School caterers complying with the Nut Awareness Policy.
- Breakfast & After School Clubs staff being aware of this Policy and will not be supplying foods that contain nuts.