PEANUT/TREE NUT FREE

We have several students with peanut/tree nut allergies; therefore, it is our intention to keep the classrooms peanut/tree nut free. Strict avoidance of peanut/nut products is the only way to prevent a life threatening allergic reaction. We are asking your assistance in providing these students with a safe learning environment.

Approved snacks include:

- > Any cheese, any yogurt without topping to be added
- > Crackers or pretzels labeled "no peanut products"
- > Cheddar/original goldfish crackers
- > Popcorn/Pirate Booty
- ➤ Fruit juice
- > Any fruit or vegetable (fresh, canned, dried, fruit leather)
- ➤ Nutri-Grain bars
- ➤ Animal crackers (peanut free)

If your child has eaten peanuts or tree nuts prior to coming to school, please make sure they thoroughly wash their hands. Peanut products are permitted in the lunchroom. There will be "peanut/tree nut-free" tables for students during both lunch periods. Each student with a peanut/tree nut allergy will have volunteer classmates to enjoy lunch with each day.

Food items for classroom activities should be a variation of the approved snack list.

Birthday Celebrations – Students are permitted to bring non-food items in for birthday celebrations. There is also the option of donating a "Birthday Book" to the library on our website. Great ideas have included: bubbles, sidewalk chalk, tattoos, bouncy balls, stickers and smelly markers!