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Dear Parents/Carers,



As you may be aware there are a number of children in school that have severe allergies to nuts and indeed have Epi-pen medication. This allergic reaction (anaphylactic shock) can occur through ingestion of nut products, cross contamination and breathing nuts in the air.

Since this condition can be life threatening, we are asking for your help in minimising the risk to these children by:

- Ensuring the any food produces brought into school <u>do not</u> contain nuts, labelled "may contain nuts or "may contain traces of nuts".
- Ensuring the any donations of cakes for cake sales or PTA events do not contain nuts, labelled "may contain nuts or "may contain traces of nuts".

Due to the severity of the allergies, it is extremely important that all parents carry out the measures above to help reduce the risk of any serious allergic reactions.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Callaway
Headteacher







