

Student Name:_	School Year:	
Parent Name:		

Allergy Policy

You are responsible for completing an Allergy/Medical Conditions Form and notifying the Teacher via email prior to starting school if your child has an allergy. Information about food allergies will be posted in the classroom as a guideline for the Teacher and Helping Parent. All parents at Kids Village will be required to learn the co-op's allergy protocol (see below). The parent(s) of a child with an allergy are required to be available by cell phone at all times during the time the child is at school in case of an emergency. If there is a medical emergency, 911 will be called.

Allergy Protocol:

1. Nut-Free Policy:

 Peanut or tree nut products, and products that may contain peanuts or tree nuts, are not allowed in any snacks brought into Kids Village.

2. Ingredient Transparency:

 All snacks and baked goods brought into the co-op with more than one ingredient must be accompanied by an ingredient list (original store packaging or recipe if homemade).

3. Class Allergy List Compliance:

 Snacks brought into the school should not contain any of the items listed on your class's allergy list.

4. Teacher and Parent Verification:

- Teachers will double-check the snack brought by the helping parent against the class allergy list. If the snack contains an ingredient(s) found on the class allergy list, the snack will not be served to the class and a safe backup snack will be provided.
- If the child has a serious or life-threatening allergy, the parent of the child with the allergy shall also double-check the ingredient list for the snack at the start of each class.

5. Restricted Areas for Food and Drink:

 To adhere to the co-op's allergy policy, for the safety of our students and to avoid additional mess, food or drink will not be allowed in the gym and/or outside playground.

Please ensure that you understand and follow these guidelines to maintain a safe environment for all children. If you have any questions regarding the allergy policy, please contact the Co-op Supervisor.

Parent Signature:	Date:
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