



Tuesday 27 February 2024

Dear Parents/carers

### Allergy reminder

We have had an increasing number of instances where foods are coming into school via packed lunches and children's snacks that should not be in school. As you will appreciate it is critical that everyone at Greenway bringing in food/snacks into school follow the guidelines below. As I stated at my Heads presentation at our 'Welcome to your new class' in September we have children who have life threatening allergies

I am sure that you will agree that we want ALL our children to be safe when at school. Please can I ask that you read that guidelines below and adhere to them. Thank you.

### Snacks/Packed lunches

Many of you are aware that we have children who attend Greenway who are severely allergic to some foods, which if ingested or have contact with can cause hospitalisation.

***Therefore please do not send in anything containing any nuts, sesame, egg, celery, avocado and leek. Do not send your child in with hummus or avocado for snack or lunch.***

Children are allowed to bring in a snack that they can eat at morning break. Children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are provided with a free daily piece of fruit or vegetable as part of the Governments scheme. However, they are more than welcome to bring in a snack from home as well.

Children in Yrs 3-6 (KS2) can bring in a snack from home. We would recommend anything from the list below:

Rice cakes, bread sticks, fruit, cheese sticks/babybel. No chocolate or crisps.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Regards  
Katharine Ellwood  
Headteacher

