



No Tree "Nuts" or Legumes Please

Dear Parents:

Some of the children who attend our center have extreme reactions to **any** exposure to **tree nuts** such as **cashews, almonds, pecans and walnuts among others**.and **legumes (peanuts)**: This could be a life threatening situation **therefore, we have decided to become as "nut" free as possible**. The staff will not serve food with these ingredients, if you bring it to school.

We are asking that you sign off on this policy so that we know that you have received, read and understood what we are asking from you. Thank you for your cooperation. I hope you understand the urgency and magnitude of this situation.

Sincerely,

Miss Vivian

For those parents who have children highly allergic to nuts, this is not a full proof system. There are products that don't contain nuts, but may be made in a facility that shares equipment where nuts have been used. Even in our own kitchen, we have various church groups that bake or use the equipment.

I understand that Crossroads does not serve products with nuts and expects parents to also abide by this policy. Therefore, when providing any food of any kind (lunches, snacks, treats, etc.), they will not contain any tree nuts or legume products.

Child's Name

Parent's Name

Date

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