



Roskear Primary and Nursery School

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Dear Parents & Carers

We have a child in school who has a peanut allergy. Peanut allergy is the second most common food allergy in children. These children, if they come into contact with a peanut product, can suffer life threatening consequences. This reaction can begin from a simple handshake from someone who has been eating peanuts, by touching another pupil's table who may have had some peanuts in their food, or by sharing food in lunch and snack boxes.

We ask politely therefore, that you do not provide your child with any products containing peanuts in their lunch and snack boxes. Some examples of foods that contain peanuts:

- ◆ Fruit and cereal bars
- ◆ Chocolate bars or sweets, e.g. Snickers,
- ◆ Peanut butter

Please help us in assisting those parents who have children who may have a life threatening reaction.

Many thanks for your support,

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