

Nut Free Policy

Pierce Chapel Preschool is **Nut Free**. Following is some information to explain how to choose snacks that adhere to this policy.

****Peanut and Tree Nut Free:**

When choosing a peanut free snack for your child's class, it is important to ALWAYS check the label (front & back) on the package to make sure it is free of peanuts and nuts of all kinds and not processed in a facility that processes or may process nuts. **Manufacturers may have changed their equipment or product line and method since you last purchased an item so please read the label (front & back) each time you purchase a product.**

READING LABELS: Some manufacturers clearly state if a product has peanuts or nuts in it while others, it is almost hidden. PLEASE READ THE LABELS (front & back) each time you purchase. Do not purchase or send in items with the allergy and ingredient alert such as:

"May contain Peanuts or Tree Nuts

"Processed on shared equipment with Peanuts or Tree Nuts"

"Manufactured in a plant with Peanuts or Tree Nuts"

"Contains Peanut or Tree Nut Ingredients"

Items sent in containing these will be returned to you. We cannot serve them.

Healthy refreshments are an awesome choice e.g. cheese and crackers, fresh veggies, yogurt, mandarin orange cups, pear or peach cups. Again, all should be purchased and labels should be checked.

Please coordinate birthday snacks with your teacher in advance! This allows us to plan for your little one's special day.

In accordance to this policy, we serve the following for snack: Pepperidge Farm Cheddar Goldfish Crackers, Cheez-It Original Crackers, Sensible Portions Garden Veggie Straws, Snack Factory Pretzel Crisps Original, Nabisco Honey Maid Graham Crackers, Nabisco Nilla Wafers, Gerber Puffs (1-year-old class only).

We appreciate your help with keeping ALL our students safe. Thank you for your cooperation!