

Anaphylaxis Policy



At any given time there can be a number of students in our school community that have a severe peanut/nut allergy. These students cannot be exposed to nuts in ANY form, as this will trigger an anaphylactic reaction. Anaphylaxis requires an immediate injection of adrenalin, ambulance attendance and hospitalisation.

To keep all students safe and well in our school, we must aim to avoid exposure to nuts by these students by not bringing nuts to school. Therefore we can reduce the chances of students who have a severe peanut/nut allergy being exposed to triggers of an anaphylactic reaction.

No student should bring the following foods to school:

- Peanut butter (sandwiches, dips or crackers)
- Nutella (sandwiches or dips)
- Biscuits and cakes with nuts in them
- Muesli bars with nuts
- Chocolate containing nuts e.g. Snickers
- Dried fruit & nut mixes (trail mixes)