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Dear parents,

This letter is to inform you that there are several pupils in school who have a severe allergic reaction to peanuts/nuts. This allergic reaction (anaphylactic shock) can occur through ingestion of peanut/nut products, cross contamination and breathing peanuts in the air.

Since this condition can be life threatening, we are asking for your help in minimising the risk to these children, and providing the pupils with a safe school environment by following the procedures below.

- Avoid giving children peanuts in school lunches
- Avoid giving peanut butter sandwiches, other spreads containing nuts such as Nutella, and snacks/bars containing nuts or labelled "may contain nut traces" in school lunches
- Asking children **not** to share their lunches

Due to the severity of the problem, it is important that all parents carry out the suggested measures and reduce the risk of allergic reaction to these children.

We appreciate your support and co-operation with these procedures.

Thank you

Mr C Willan
Headteacher

