



Birley Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers

This letter is to inform you that we have pupils and a staff member that has a life-threatening food allergy. They have an allergy to nuts.

Here are a few suggestions for you as parents:

- **PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY TYPE OF NUTS INTO SCHOOL.**
- Never take food allergies lightly; they can be serious and life-threatening.
- Tell your child, "DO NOT SHARE FOOD."
- Frequent hand washing reduces the spread of viruses during the school year and helps protect food allergic students. Wash hands thoroughly after eating. Similarly, encourage good hygiene before and after-school. If your child had peanut butter for breakfast please have them wash their hands. Wash hands and surfaces before handling text books, computers or school equipment.

Thank you for your continued support,

Dawn McAughey
Headteacher



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