

CASHMERE MIDDLE SCHOOL

PEANUT / TREENUT FREE SNACK LIST

Please avoid snacks that contain peanuts, peanut flour, peanut oil or peanut butter or other nuts. This includes snacks with almonds, coconuts, Brazil nuts, cashews, hazelnuts, macadamia nuts, pecans, pine nuts, pistachios, walnuts.

ALL SNACKS MUST HAVE A LABEL THAT CAN BE CHECKED BY SCHOOL STAFF AS SOME COMPANIES CHANGE THEIR INGREDIENT LIST OVER TIME.

Thank you for your consideration and support in keeping our food-allergic students safe from having a life threatening allergic reaction at school.

Please keep in mind these are suggestions. If you choose to buy something not on this list, please read the label carefully, including where it was manufactured.

I. SNACK OPTIONS (For snacks intended to be passed out to an entire class)

A. FRUITS/VEGETABLES

- * Any fresh fruit (apples, bananas, clementine's, grapes, melons, pears, plums, berries, oranges, peaches, strawberries, etc.)
- * Raisins, Craisins and other dried fruits (not chocolate or yogurt covered)
- * Fresh vegetables (baby carrots, grape tomatoes, etc.)

All fruits and vegetables must be pre-packaged or whole, not sliced/cut at home on a cutting board that could have traces of peanut/treenut.

B. CHEESE/DAIRY/MEATS

- * String cheese or other cheeses (Tillamook brand)
- * Kraft Handy-snacks with cheese (with red sticks)
- * Yogurt /Gogurts (Yoplait, Tillamook and great value brand)
- * Greek yogurt
- * Cottage cheese
- * All lunch meats
- **Be careful with any other brand of pre-packaged cheese and cracker sandwiches, most contain nuts/traces of nuts

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C. CRACKERS/SNACK ITEMS

- * Triscuits, Wheat Thins, Vegetable Thins (all flavors)
- * Ritz crackers/dinosaurs/sticks (NOT Ritz bits or sandwiches)
- * Ritz Crackers (classic cheddar, four cheese, garlic herb)
- * Town House, Club, Toasteds
- * Cheez-Its, Cheese Nips, Better Cheddars
- * Saltines, Oyster crackers
- * Wheatables, Air Crisps, Munch'ems, Keebler Snack Stix
- * Kashi Tasty Little Crackers (TLC)
- * Breton brand crackers
- * Annie's Bunnies
- * Graham crackers, Graham cracker sticks
- * Teddy Grahams or Teddy Graham character brand
- * Animal crackers (Austin Zoo, Barnum)
- * Cereals:
 - o Cheerios (NOT Honey Nut or Frosted)
 - o Chex (Rice, Corn, Wheat)
 - o Cinnamon Toast Crunch
 - o Corn Flakes
 - o Crispix
 - o Frosted Mini-Wheats
 - o Kashi (Go Lean Crunch, Good Friends, Cinnamon Raisin Crunch, Heart to Heart)
 - o Kix plain
 - o Life (Not Vanilla Yogurt Crunch)
- * Fruit snacks (tree top, twists, gushers, roll-ups, etc.)
- * New Nabisco 100 Calorie Packs – Yogurt flavored pretzels
- * Nabisco Toasted Chips Ritz snack mix
- * Wheaties
- * Small bagels (Lenders or Thomas brand) with cream cheese (no nut/seed type)
- * Popcorn
- * Pretzels
- * Nutri-grain cereal bars/yogurt bars
- * Nature's Bakery fig bar
- * Special K Bars (NOT Honey Nut)
- * Special K Snack Bites
- * Fig Newtons (all flavors)
- * Rice Cakes, plain or salt-free (NOT Quaker brand)
- * Quaker Quakes (mini rice cakes)/Mini Delights (all flavors)
- * Potato Soy Crisps
- * Gensoy Soy Crisps
- * Cheez-It Party Mix/Munchie Party Mixes
- * Pirates Booty

II. **SPECIAL TREATS** (Birthday or holiday parties)

A. COOKIES

- * Kellogg's brand Rice Krispie Treats (original)
- * Oreos (regular or golden)
- * Keebler Fudge Stripes, Fudge Grahams, Grasshopper Fudge Mint, E.L. Fudge Sandwich cookies (original and double stuffed)
- * Nabisco – Lorna Doone Shortbread
- * Gripz Chips Ahoy
- * Vanilla wafers
- * Pop Tarts
- * Pop Tarts Snack Sticks
- * Sweetened Cereals: Corn Pops, Fruit Loops, Captain Crunch (reg.), Apple Jacks
- * Some Lofthouse brand cookies – check sticker on packaging to make sure it reads peanut AND tree nut free.

B. CHIPS

- * Bugles
- * Cheetos
- * Doritos
- * Fritos
- * Lay's potato chips
- * Pringles
- * Sun Chips
- * Tostitos
- * Kettle chips
- * Pop chips
- * Veggie straws

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C. CANDY

- * Air Heads
- * Blow pops
- * Dum-Dum suckers
- * Gummy Bears/Worms (check brands, some have warnings regarding processing around nuts)
- * Hersey Kisses – Milk Chocolate
- * Hersey Kissables
- * Hersey bar (1.55 oz.)
- * Hersey chocolate chips
- * Jolly Ranchers
- * Junior Mints
- * Laffy Taffy
- * Life Savers (hard and gummy)
- * Mike and Ike's
- * Milk Duds
- * Mints
- * Nerds
- * Pixie Sticks
- * Ring Pops
- * Rolos
- * Skittles
- * Smarties
- * Spree
- * Starburst
- * Swedish fish
- * Tootsie pops
- * Twizzlers

D. ICE CREAM

- * Dreyer's slow churned
- * Healthy choice fudge bars
- * Ice cream cones (Joy or Keebler brand)
- * Popsicles ((check brands, some have warnings regarding processing around nuts)
- * Cool whip

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