

Girraween Primary School

Outside School Hours Care



Dear Parents/Guardians

Within our school community we have children with severe food allergies. The most common of these is the allergy to nuts which can be life threatening.

Girraween Primary School is a nut aware school and it is essential this policy is implemented. Please do not send your child to school with any nuts or nut products.

You may be aware that nut allergy is most common in infants and it causes more problems than other food allergies. Reactions to nuts can range from hives, eczema and vomiting to difficulty breathing due to throat swelling or drop in blood pressure.

Exposure is hard to avoid and even trace amounts can trigger symptoms. I therefore request that you avoid lunch/ foods that contain nuts or nut products.

We appreciate your assistance and understanding in this matter.

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