



ST. BASIL

Catholic Elementary School

September 12, 2019

Re: Prevalent Student Medical Conditions

Dear Parent/Guardian:

I am sending you this letter on behalf of our school community to seek your cooperation in ensuring the health and safety of all the children in our school family.

Children in our school have a condition called **Anaphylaxis**. This severe allergic condition can result in death for the child. It is vital that we join together to ensure that our school is a safe, secure place where all the children can come and be protected. In this instance, we have a student/students who is/are allergic to: **egg, mangoes, sesame seeds, and all types of nuts.**

It is requested that parents of all students **do not** pack any foods or send food items containing **nuts or nut products, mangoes, sesame seeds or eggs.**

All students, staff and visitors at our school must adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Snacks are not to be shared with other students.
2. Utensils are not to be shared with other students.
3. Hands are to be washed after eating anything that may contain allergen products. Traces of the allergen can get on the bus seats or playground equipment, desks and personal belongings.

Thank you for your cooperation and support regarding this matter. At St. Basil School we are blessed to be able to count on all of our school families to help us create and maintain a safe, secure school environment for all our children. As always, if you have any questions or concerns about this subject, please feel free to contact me at the school office at your convenience.

For more information regarding specific School Board policies or procedures concerning specific medical conditions, please visit: <http://www.bhncdsb.ca/>.

Sincerely,

Lisa Kuyper
Principal

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