

# King Edwin Primary School

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## Nut Free School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

This is a brief letter to simply remind everyone that we are a nut free school.

We have several children that have very serious nut allergies that can develop into a potentially life-threatening allergic reaction. For this reason all nut-based products are not permitted on the school grounds. An allergic reaction or anaphylaxis can occur as a result of **digestion, inhalation or any other contact** with nut-based products.

Please remember to check the labels of all food and even if it says 'may contain nuts', then please do not send that food product into school.

For example:

- Spreads, e.g. chocolate spreads like Nutella
- Cereal bars
- Biscuits with nuts
- Cakes containing nuts
- Condiments e.g. sauces

This list is simply to offer examples – please check all food labels.

Please note, if a member of staff notices a pupil eating a nut product, the product will be removed politely and sensitively, with a brief explanation as to why this has been done.

We must reiterate that we do not allow nut products or products that may contain traces of nuts in the lunch boxes.

Thank you for your ongoing support and co-operation regarding this matter.

Kind regards

Mr J A Callaghan-Wetton  
Headteacher

