



Dear Parents,

This is a reminder that Noah's Ark Preschool is a **"nut-free"** school! When sending in lunch, snacks, or project materials, please read labels to make sure there are no nuts of any kind.

These include:

Peanuts and peanut oil

Peanut butter

Beer nuts

Ground nuts

Mixed nuts

Almonds

Brazil nuts

Cashews

Chestnuts

Hazel nuts

Gianduja

Hickory nuts

Macadamia nuts

Marzipan/almond paste

Nut paste

Also, **sprinkles, hard candy, candy bars, chocolate, ice cream, frozen yogurt and ethnic foods** such as Thai, Chinese, Indian, African and Vietnamese may contain nuts or have been processed in a factory where the equipment came into contact with nut products. **PLEASE READ LABELS CAREFULLY.** When in doubt, please do not bring it to school.

When considering projects, please be aware that some bird seed may also contain peanuts and other nuts, or have been sorted in equipment that came into contact with nut products. This is problematic for our children who have extreme allergies to nuts.

All food that requires preparation (cutting, washing), must be prepared in the Noah's Ark kitchenette.

All children must wash his/her hands thoroughly before starting the school day!

Thank you for your consideration,
Noah's Ark Preschool