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PEANUT/NUT ALLERGY ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Parents:

We would like to inform you about the peanut/nut aware procedures in effect in your child's school. We have a number of students who have a life-threatening peanut/nut allergy.

Prevention is the best approach. Therefore, we ask your cooperation in not sending any class treats or snacks containing peanut/nuts or peanut/nut products to school with your child. In fact, we ask that you discuss with the classroom teacher before bringing any snacks or treats to share with the class. Your child may bring peanut/nut products for lunch; however, these items must be kept safely contained within your child's lunch box while in the classroom.

Students who have severe allergies to food substances such as peanuts or other nuts are exposed to severe health risks when peanut/nut products are consumed in their environment. Please speak to your child about not sharing their snacks, lunches, or drinks with other students and about sitting at the designated peanut/nut free table at lunch only when their lunch is peanut/nut free.

Your understanding and cooperation in ensuring that the Del Mar Union School District is a peanut/nut "aware" school district is greatly appreciated.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jennifer Huh".

Jennifer Huh
Executive Director, Student Services