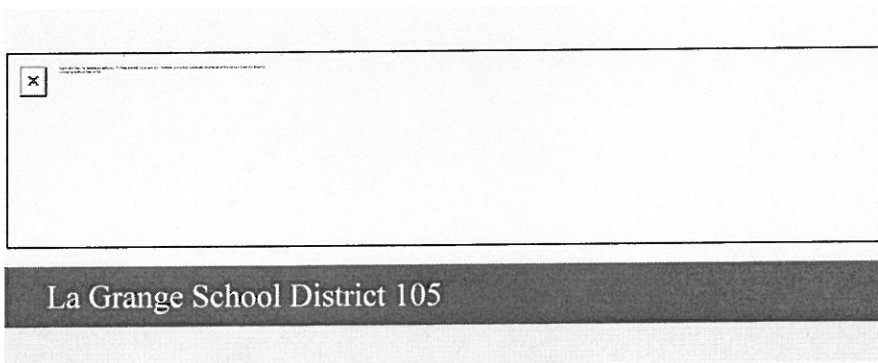


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August 26, 2016

Dear District #105 Families,

Recent product recalls of foods that are on our current district-approved snack list have been reported to the Food and Drug Administration. These recalls were made due to a potential undeclared peanut allergy. Recalls have been occurring more frequently due to mislabeling and/or contamination of these foods with peanut, tree nut, or other allergens. Therefore, our approved snack list for classrooms has been modified until further notice. ***Rold Gold Pretzels will not be permitted for student snacks within the classroom.***

Until further notice, **the only foods that will be permitted as snacks within our classrooms will be Fresh Fruit, Fresh Vegetables, Cheese Sticks, individually packaged bags of Pepperidge Farms Goldfish, and brand named, pre-packaged Nutrigrain Cereal Bars.**

This decision was made in an effort to protect the safety of our many students and staff with very severe and life-threatening food allergies while they are in the classroom setting. **Please note that no foods are restricted in our cafeterias**, where we provide safe areas for students as needed.

For additional information, please consult your District 105 Parent Handbook, located on the District Website, or consult the following website for guidance on understanding food-based allergies.

<http://www.foodallergy.org/field-guide>

LaGrange School District 105 has a Wellness Committee that will be meeting in September to discuss the district's food allergy policies. If you would like to join this committee, or provide the committee with input, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for working together with us to make sure all of our district students and staff learn and work in a safe environment.

Respectfully,



Maureen L. Kidd, Director of Student Services

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