



**Harbor Country Day School**  
*Embracing the extraordinary in every child.™*

## **Peanut/Tree Nut Free Policy in Preschool**

At Harbor, we aim to provide a safe learning environment for all students in our school community. To support this, we have determined that all Preschool Classrooms, PK2s through Pk4s, will be designated as “Nut-Free.” This policy aims to increase our community awareness in order to minimize the risk for children with documented allergies to nut products.

Please read the following instructions to ensure that all food items brought within the Preschool department are nut-free.

- We kindly ask that you please do not send in any food items to be consumed in the classroom that contain peanuts, nuts, peanut butter, nut butter, or peanut products. This includes almonds, filberts, Brazil nuts, cashews, hazelnuts, macadamia nuts, pecans, pine nuts, pistachios, and walnuts.
- Before packing your child’s lunch, please read labels carefully to ensure the products are nut-free. This includes labels that read “May contain traces of peanuts/nuts” or “Processed in a facility that processes products that contain peanuts/nuts.” Food labels and ingredients change over time, so always read the label each time before purchasing snacks.
- No homemade treats may be brought into the classroom for classroom events and birthday celebrations. All treats/snacks brought to the classroom must have an ingredient label.

We appreciate your understanding in creating a safe food environment for our littlest learners at Harbor Country Day School.