



# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BONDUEL

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## Students with Allergies Reminder:

We have students in our Bonduel Elementary School with **severe allergies to Peanuts/Tree Nuts**. We are asking each family for support in this matter by not sending Peanut/Tree Nut containing foods to the school. There is a tremendous risk that children and adults who are allergic to nuts face from even the smallest amount of peanut butter or a piece of nut. Consumption is not the only way to cause a reaction, sometimes just close proximity to the nut/peanut protein will affect them. The consequences can be life threatening by causing an anaphylaxis reaction that will require immediate intervention with medication, hospitalization or even life support. We want to do all we can to eliminate the possibility of such an occurrence in our school. Avoidance is the only way to prevent an allergic reaction with the students affected by this life-threatening allergy. We know this is a lot to ask but we need your help so we can provide a safe learning environment and allow full participation in all class activities.

Parents choosing to bring cold lunch for their child to eat at mealtime are asked to avoid Peanuts/Tree Nuts. Please keep this in mind when planning and packing your child's food for the day. Our hot lunch program is already free of these products. The peanut butter condiment in the cafeteria has been replaced with cheese.

If your child is a classmate of the student(s) you will receive additional information. We will ask that you please refer to the label reading instructions listed in that letter when donating food items for the classroom snack, helping out during class parties or other special events.

We are available to help answer any questions or provide guidance. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Contact Tammy Albertson, RN school nurse at the Shawano Co Health Department at 715-526-4808 with any questions.

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