

District Approved Snack List

Whether for consumption in the classroom or at school-sponsored meetings or activities, all foods must be safe for all students to eat.

- **Goal 1: Managing Allergies and Sensitivities:** By implementing a list of pre-approved snacks, we can better support the varied food allergies and sensitivities among our student population. This proactive approach helps protect students who may have severe allergies by reducing the risk of exposure to food allergens in the school setting. The approved snack list ensures that all snacks brought into classrooms or shared among students are safe and free from **peanuts and tree nuts only**. Please double check all labels to verify any other possible allergens of concern.
- **Goal 2: Eliminating Homemade Foods:** While homemade foods can be delicious and well-intentioned, they present challenges in terms of safety and food allergen management. The decision to exclude homemade foods from the snack list helps mitigate potential risks associated with unknown ingredients, cross-contamination, and varying levels of food preparation hygiene. This precautionary measure safeguards the health and well-being of our students.

When deciding what to send, please choose from the list below and remember the following guidelines:

- Send items to school **in the original, sealed packaging bearing the ingredient label**.
- Double-check ingredient labels at the time of purchase to verify that there are no peanuts or tree nuts (e.g. almonds and walnuts) or cross-contamination statements. **Manufacturers' ingredients can change without warning.**
- As always, please coordinate with teachers and administrators before bringing snacks into PK-6 classrooms. **This list does not cover all food allergens.**

JUICE BOXES

- **Juicy Juice (GF)** – pouches and boxes, all flavors
- **Honest Kids (GF)** – pouches and boxes, all flavors
- **Capri Sun 100% Juice** – pouches, all flavors

FRUITS/DRIED FRUITS

- **Fresh Fruit (GF)**- whole and uncut apples, bananas, clementines
- **Sun Maid Raisins Individual Boxes (GF)** – Regular, Sour Blue Raspberry, Sour Watermelon, Sour Strawberry

FRUIT SNACKS & APPLESAUCE

- **Betty Crocker Fruit Snacks (GF)** Fruit Snack Pouches, Fruit by the Foot, Fruit Gushers, Fruit Roll-Ups
- **GoGo Squeez Applesauce Pouches (GF)** – Fruit, Fruit & Veggiez
- **Kroger Brand** - Apple Cinnamon and Apple Strawberry Applesauce Variety Pouches (12 ct/3.2 oz), (24 ct/3.2 oz) & Classic Applesauce pouches
- **Mott's (GF)** – “Animal” Fruit Snack, “Apple Orchard” Fruit Snack
- **Zee Zee's Applesauce (GF)** – all flavors
- **That's It Fruit Bars (GF)** – all flavors
- **Peaceful Fruits (GF)** – Fruit Tape, Fruit Candy, Peel-n-Eat Stickers, Dots

CHEESE & YOGURT

- **Frigo Cheese Sticks (GF)** – 1 oz Cheeseheads in String, Gouda, Swirls Cheddar & Mozzarella, Colby Jack Sticks
- **Horizon Cheese (GF)** – string, sliced
- **Kraft Cheese (GF)** – cubes, sticks, string
- **Dannon Danimals (GF)** - yogurt cups, pouches, smoothies
- **Yoplait Go-Gurt (GF)** - all flavors
- **Yoplait Original (GF)** - Cups in 4 oz. or 6 oz. Strawberry Banana & Strawberry, Vanilla, Mixed Berry, Strawberry & Blueberry, Cotton Candy & Wild Berry, Cotton Candy & Strawberry, Berry & Strawberry, Peach, Raspberry, Raspberry & Strawberry Banana
- **Stonyfield Organic (GF)** - smoothies (12pk/3.1 fl.oz.) tubes, pouches

COOKIES

- **Barnum's Animal Crackers Original**
- **Keebler Scooby Doo Graham Crackers** (regular or snack packs)
- **Kroger Mini Vanilla Wafers** - 12 count packages
- **MadeGood Cookies (GF)** - all flavors
- **Oreos** - Original and Original Double Stuf (Regular and Mini), Golden and Golden Double Stuf (Regular and Mini)
- **Wise Bites (GF)** - Soft Mini Cookies, Cookies, Muffins and Small Treats
- **Nabisco Honey Maid Graham Crackers** – Honey, Honey Low-Fat, Cinnamon, Chocolate
- **Teddy Grahams Graham Crackers** – Cinnamon, Honey, Chocolate, Chocolatey Chip

CRACKERS

- **Cheez It Crackers Snack Pack Sizes** - Original, White Cheddar
- **Cheez It Snap'd** – Double Cheese, Cheddar, Sour Cream & Onion
- **Goldfish Crackers** - Baby Cheddar, Cheddar, Colors, Parmesan, Pizza, Whole Grain
- **Nabisco Premium** – Soup & Oyster Crackers
- **Triscuit** – Original, Reduced-Fat, Hint of Salt, Garden Herb, Rosemary & Olive Oil, Triscuit Minis Original, Triscuit Thin Crisps (Original, Parmesan Garlic)

BARS & TREATS

- **MadeGood (GF)** – Granola Bars, Drizzled Granola Bars, Granola Minis and Crispy Squares
- **Zee Zee's Soft Baked Bars** – all varieties
- **Rice Krispie Treats** - plain only
- **Fairy Tale Cotton Candy** - all flavors
- **Nature's Bakery** - all bars

CHIPS & POPCORN

- **Baked Lays** – Original, Sour Cream & Onion, BBQ
- **Baked Ruffles** – Original, Cheddar & Sour Cream
- **Cape Cod (GF)** – all types (Classic, Waves, Less-Fat, and Waffle Cut)
- **Kroger** - Variety Snack Sack Chips (18 ct/1 oz) Sour Cream & Onion, Cheddar & Sour Cream, BBQ, Classic & Classic Wavy
- **Late July Tortilla Chips (GF)** - Multi-Grain Tortilla Chips (all flavors) & Restaurant Style (all flavors)
- **Popchips (GF)** – all flavors
- **PopCorners** – all flavors
- **Pringles** – Snack Stacks Pack (Containing Original, Cheddar, Sour Cream & Onion, BBQ, Cheddar & Sour Cream, Pizza)
- **Skinny Pop Popcorn (GF)** – all flavors

PRETZELS & CHEESE PUFFS

- **Cheetos** – Individual Bags Simply Puffed White Cheddar Cheese, Simply Crunchy White Cheddar Cheese, Crunchy Cheese Flavored, Puffed Cheddar Cheese
- **Pepperidge Farm** – Goldfish Pretzels
- **Pirate's Booty Cheese Snack (GF)** – Aged White Cheddar, Cheddar Blast, Smart Puffs, Cosmic White Cheddar
- **Rold Gold Pretzels** – Thins, Sticks, Tiny Twists, Tiny Twists Cheddar, Waffles, "Heartzels", Football Shapes
- **Snyder Pretzels** – Rods, Individual bags of Mini Pretzels, Individual Pretzel Pieces Variety Pack in Hot Buffalo Wing, Honey Mustard and Onion, Cheddar Cheese

FROZEN TREATS

- **Luigi's Real Italian Ice (GF)** – 6 Pack
Varieties-Cherry, Lemon, Lemon & Strawberry, Mango, Red White & Blue, Watermelon, Blue Raspberry, Kiwi Strawberry
- **Minute Maid Frozen Juice Bars (GF)** - juice sticks, frozen tubes, lemonade cups
- **Outshine Frozen Pure Fruit Bars (GF)** – Strawberry, Grape, Lemon, Lime, Mango, Peach, Pineapple, Pomegranate, Raspberry, Tangerine, Watermelon
- **PhillySwirl (GF) - Swirl Cups** - Rainbow, Sunburst, Cherry Melon, Cotton Candy, Hurricane, Lime Lemonade. **Swirlstix** - Orange Dream, Verry Berry, Cotton Candy, Banana Split, Fruit Punch, Rainbow
- **Pop Ice (GF)** – 80 & 100 count (Assorted and Tropical Flavors)

MARSHMALLOWS

- **Campfire Marshmallows (GF)** – Regular, Mini, & Giant Roasters – **VANILLA ONLY**

CANDY

- **Andes Mints** – all varieties
- **Charms Blow Pops (GF)** – assorted
- **Charms Mini Pops (GF)** - assorted
- **Charms Pops (GF)** - assorted
- **Dum Dums (GF)** – assorted
- **Dum Dums Candy Canes (GF)**
- **Frooties**
- **Goetze's Candy Caramel Creams** - Brownie, Original, Vanilla
- **Goetze's Candy Cow Tales Candy** - Caramel, Caramel Apple, Caramel Brownie, Strawberry Smoothie

CANDIES (continued)

- **Goetze's Candy Mini Cow Tales** - Caramel
- **Hershey's Chocolate Kisses (GF)** - Milk Chocolate
- **Jelly Belly Candy Canes (GF)** – Tutti Frutti, Blueberry, Watermelon, Very Cherry, Orange, Green Apple
- **Jolly Ranchers** – hard candies & gummies
- **Junior Mints (GF)** – Chocolate Peppermint
- **Lifesavers** - hard candies, gummies, Wint-O-Green, Pep-O-Mint hard candies
- **Rolo Creamy Caramels (GF)**
- **Saf-T-Pops (GF)** – assorted, swirl
- **Skittles** - all varieties
- **Smarties (GF)** - **UPC CODE starts with 011206**
- **Sour Patch Kids**
- **Sour Patch Kids Candy Canes (GF)**
- **Spangler Candy Canes (GF)** - regular and mini
- **Starburst Chews** - Minis, Swirlers, Gummies, Chews, Sours
- **Starburst Jellybeans** - all varieties
- **Surf Sweet Candies** - Fruity Bears, Gummy Bears, Gummy Worms, Delish Fish
- **Tootsie Fruit Chews (GF)** - Cherry, Orange, Vanilla, Lemon, Lime
- **Tootsie Pops (GF)** - Cherry, Chocolate, Grape, Orange Raspberry
- **Tootsie Pop Drops (GF)** - Chocolate, Cherry, Blue Raspberry, Orange, Grape
- **Tootsie Roll (GF)** - Chocolatey
- **Twizzlers** - all wrapped varieties
- **Whoppers** - Original
- **Wonka Nerds Candies** - Regular Nerds Candies, Rope
- **YumEarth Organic Candies (GF)** - Chewys, Giggles, Lollipops Favorite Flavors, Peppermint Hard Candies, Sour Giggles, Hard Candies, Licorice, Jelly Beans, Gummy Bears

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