

SFCCS FOOD ALLERGY DISCLAIMER

While SFCCS strives to ensure the safety of all students, please be advised that our menu items may contain allergens, may have come in contact with items containing allergens, and may be subject to contamination or cross-contamination with certain allergens during the manufacturing process. In addition to our cafeteria items and PTO-provided snacks for select occasions throughout the year, our campus permits students to bring cold lunches and snacks from home. As a result of any number of factors which are beyond the control of our faculty and staff, SFCCS cannot guarantee an environment free from any particular food allergen.

Parents concerned with food allergies need to be aware of these possibilities and are encouraged to inform both the school nurse and their student's teacher(s) of their child's specific needs. If a student will be eating school-provided foods, it is the responsibility of the parents to review the menu and make an informed decision as to whether their child will be eating school-supplied food or bringing food from home on any given day¹. Because of the diverse nature of allergies present within our school community, parents of students with particular allergenic dietary requirements are responsible for ensuring that their child is provided with meals and snacks suitable for their needs. SFCCS will not assume liability for adverse reactions to foods consumed, or other food items with which students may come into contact, while on our campus.

¹ Our cafeteria (as well as the PTO in providing snacks for select occasions) will continue to serve foods which are purported to be peanut/tree nut free. However, any such food is subject to the possibility of contamination or cross-contamination as discussed in this disclaimer.