

## Peanut and Tree Nut Policy

Hathaway Brown's Infant & Toddler Center, Early Childhood and Primary School are peanut and tree nut free environments. We are a school dedicated to the needs of young members of our community and understand that many of our students are not old enough to make sound and safe decisions when it comes to managing their allergies independently.

All snacks served by the ITC, EC and Primary School are peanut and tree nut free. We also ask that no peanut or tree nut products be brought into our ITC, EC and Primary School. Foods that are sent in for birthday treats or family traditions should be carefully checked to make sure they do not indicate that they "contain or may contain peanuts or tree nuts." Our Dining Services offer soy butter as a peanut butter alternative.

We appreciate your cooperation with this policy - the sacrifice of not having peanut or tree nut products in the school is a small one to make compared to the consequence a child with severe allergies could face.