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Dear Parent/Carer

Allergy Information – Food Preparation and Nutrition

Summary of Actions	Deadline
Complete google form if you child has an allergy or intolerance (even if the school already has this information) https://forms.gle/VA8YppjJEttzvm28	Friday 11 September 2026.

As students will soon be beginning their practical cooking lessons in Food Preparation and Nutrition, we are asking parents/carers to provide us with **up-to-date information about any food allergies or intolerances** your child may have.

It is extremely important that we have accurate and current information so that we can ensure appropriate safety measures are in place when students are preparing, cooking and tasting food in the Food Preparation and Nutrition classroom.

Please complete the **Google Form** using the link below **if your child has a food allergy, intolerance or dietary requirement**:

<https://forms.gle/VA8YppjJEttzvm28>

If your child does not have any food allergies, intolerances or dietary requirements, you do not need to complete the form.

Important – please complete the form even if we already know about the allergy

If your child has an allergy or intolerance that the school is **already aware of**, you must still complete the Google Form, **even if there have been no changes to their allergy information**.

This is important because the information will be used specifically by the Food Preparation and Nutrition department to ensure that we have an accurate and up-to-date record of students' allergies before practical cooking begins.

Please provide as much detail as possible, including:

- The food(s) your child must avoid
- The nature of their reaction (Airbourne, contact, eating/drinking)
- The severity of the allergy, where appropriate



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- Any relevant precautions or information that you feel the department needs to know

Please ensure the form is completed by **Friday 11 September**. This will allow us sufficient time to review the information and put appropriate arrangements in place for their practical lessons, helping us to ensure that all students can participate safely.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's allergies, intolerances or dietary requirements, please contact the Food Preparation and Nutrition department.

Thank you for your support in helping us maintain a safe and inclusive practical learning environment for all students.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs H Billson
Head of Food and Nutrition