## **Allergy Accommodations**

A copy of these accommodations will be distributed to staff on a need to know basis.

Student's Name:	Gr	ade:

Allergens: \_\_\_\_\_

### PROBLEM: Risk for anaphylaxis

#### GOAL: Prevent allergic reactions from occurring and ensure student's safety at school

### Parent (please answer the questions below):

- 1. I would like my child's emergency medication kept in:
  - $\hfill\square$  The nurse's office
  - $\Box$  The classroom
  - □ Nurse's office and classroom
- 2. If the emergency medication is kept in the classroom, the medication should be transported by school personnel wherever my child travels to within the school:
  - □ Yes
  - 🗆 No
- 3. I would like to accompany my child on field trips.
  - □ Yes
  - 🛛 No
- 4. My child <u>must</u> wash his/her hands with soap and water or use a cleansing wipe before eating.
  - □ Yes
  - 🛛 No
- 6. I will provide a shelf-stable allergen free snack that will be available in the classroom if needed.
  - □ Yes
  - 🛛 No

Please list other accommodations needed at school:

## Parent Responsibilities

- → Provide medication form, signed by the child's physician to the school nurse for the Epi-Pen or Benadryl if needed.
- $\rightarrow$  Provide the Epi-Pen and or Benadryl to the school nurse.
- → Teach your child to eat only the food you have provided or that they are sure doesn't contain the product they are allergic to.

## **Teacher Responsibilities**

- $\rightarrow$  Ensure a student with a suspected allergic reaction is accompanied by an adult at all times.
- $\rightarrow$  Keep a copy of the student's allergy information and accommodations in the classroom sub folder.
- $\rightarrow$  Inform parents of the allergic student in advance of any in-class events where food will be served.
- → Ensure that food products containing the student's allergens are not used for class projects, science experiments, or celebrations.
- → If the parent of a student with a food allergy is not attending a field trip, the student will be assigned to staff member who has been trained to implement the accommodations and is carrying the emergency medication.
- → Plan for the following on field trips: oversee cleaning of the table of the student with food allergies before eating, ensure the student with food allergies washes his/her hands before eating, ensure the student with the food allergy eats only allergen free food or food supplied by the parent, carry a cell phone to call 911 if needed, and review the Allergy Information and Accommodations before the field trip.
- → Implement accommodations that parent indicated, "yes" in parent section.

# Principal Responsibilities

- → Ensure there are walkie-talkies available to playground and P.E. staff.
- $\rightarrow$  Conduct emergency response drills for allergic reactions to food at the beginning of the school year.
- → Prohibit sharing or trading food at school.

# School Nurse Responsibilities

- → Educate all staff that interacts with the student about food allergy symptoms and the steps required to implement the Allergy Information and Accommodations. Review emergency procedures with classroom teacher prior to field trips as needed.
- $\rightarrow$  Assist principals with emergency response drills for allergic reactions to food.
- → Ensure access to emergency medication when developing plans for fire drills, lockdowns, etc.
- $\rightarrow$  If student rides the bus, provide a copy of the Allergy Accommodations to the bus driver.
- → A copy of the student's Allergy Information and Accommodations will be distributed on a need to know basis.

The Allergy Accommodations have been reviewed and signed by: