

Special Diets/Allergy Form

Dear Parent/Guardian

Aspens are committed to providing meals for children with special diets for medical and cultural requirements.

It is essential that all parties concerned work together when providing a safe, special diet and that this is reviewed with every menu change. Therefore, please ensure this form is fully completed.

If the parents and Head teacher agree, we will also display a 'Food Allergy Record Sheet' and a photo of the child on the kitchen wall near the servery.

It is vital that all forms are accompanied with a referral letter from a medical professional (GP/consultant/dietician). It is important the Operations Manager & Unit manager have contacted the student's parents/guardian and students requiring the special diet to ensure they give the right meal to the right child. This form should be handed into the school and discussed with them in the first instance.

Students Details

School/Academy					Male	Female
Student's Name						
Student's Class						
Diet required or allergy information <i>(please tick)</i>	Peanut	Milk	Crustacean	Soybean	Fish	
	Celery	Nuts	Sesame Seeds	Mustard	Lupin	
	Eggs	Molluscs	Gluten	Sulphites	*Other	
	*Other – Please state					
Please provide details of the nature of the allergy/intolerance						
Has the allergy or intolerance been medically diagnosed? (Please provide evidence)						
<p>The Company uses a colour coding system to identify student requirements. Please tick which applies:</p> <p>RED – student has had a severe reaction/anaphylactic shock</p> <p>AMBER – student has an allergy or intolerance</p> <p>BLUE – student excludes foods due to life style choice</p> <p>For students that have been identified as RED a meeting must be arranged between the Company and Parents to discuss the student's requirements and agreed actions. Without this meeting we are unable to cater for the student due to the risk.</p>						
Life Style – please provide details for dietary requirements based on lifestyle choices:						

Parent/Guardian Details			
Main contact name and relationship			
Main contact – phone number and email address			
Second contact – name and relationship			
Second contact - phone number			
Other Information			
Has a photo ID form been completed and issued to the kitchen?		If EpiPen/ medicine is needed, who is the contact in school and is it kept on site?	

Parent/Guardian Acceptance		
<p>Whilst we can provide meals which do not include allergens we can not guarantee that dishes may contain traces of allergens, as these may be stored, prepared & cooked in the same kitchen. As well as present in some ingredients from our suppliers due to production techniques.</p> <p>I confirm that the information supplied is correct and will notify of any changes to the school and caterer immediately. I also understand that this information will be shared with others and displayed in the kitchen (photo & allergy)</p>		
Name	Signed	Date

Agreed Actions		
<p>RED Category Student</p> <p>Plated Meal provided</p> <p>Packed lunch provided by the parent/guardian</p> <p>Student going home</p> <p>Other</p>		
<p>AMBER & BLUE Student - Please list suitable foods</p>		
<p>Any other relevant information</p>		
Operations/Area Manager	Signed	Date
Unit Manager Name	Signed	Date