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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Every year, children are identified as having certain allergies. We do have children in our school with allergies to latex, so we all need to understand that latex is found in many common everyday items, including balloons, banana skins, art supplies, and first aid materials.

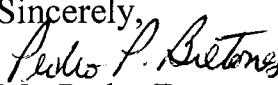
We have made many strides in both our classroom and our school to ensure a safe environment for all our children, and you can help with this endeavor in the following ways:

1. Remind your child to only use his/her school supplies, and never share with another classmate.
2. Never send balloons of any kind to school for any reason.
3. Do not allow your child to bring rubber stamps or stickers to school.
4. Latex is found in many soft, squishy plastics such as Koosh Balls, so please keep all soft plastic toys at home.

Many, many art supplies (including all Crayola products), first aid materials and stickers are safe, but some can be harmful. It is for this reason we are limiting all of it. Please contact me, or Mrs. Dutra/or Mrs. Oleszewski our school nurse's, with any questions.

We have and will continue to address this request often, and following these guidelines will help us have the most successful school year possible.

Thank you very, very much for your anticipated cooperation.

Sincerely,

Mr. Pedro Bretones
Superintendent

"Children First"