

Dear Parents,

Avon Early Learning Center, Avon East, and Avon Heritage Elementary Schools are implementing new building procedures regarding food in our classrooms.

In our effort to keep our schools safe for ALL children we are asking that no food be brought into our school buildings for birthdays, holidays, or classroom parties. Our PTA organization also supports this initiative and will be planning parties with crafts, games, and entertainment. In regards to birthdays, if you would like to send in something for your child to pass out to his or her classmates, please make sure it is a non-edible party favor. Some examples may include a pencil, an eraser, a sticker sheet, etc. Please keep it simple.

The only food that we are allowing into the buildings are healthy snacks that are individually assembled at home for the purpose of sustaining energy during the long mornings. These snacks and snack time procedures will be monitored by our classroom teachers. We also ask that you speak to your child, just as your teacher will, about not sharing snacks or cafeteria food at school.

We appreciate your cooperation with our new building procedure. Again, we believe that this new procedure will promote healthy snacking in an effort to sustain energy while not excluding any students and most importantly keeping the building safe for all.

Thank you,
Avon ELC
Avon East
Avon Heritage