

London Borough of Havering ENGAYNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mrs S Sankey: Headteacher

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Dear Parents/Carers,

As we all settle back into the school routines we have been reacquainting ourselves with the expectations in terms of food that is eaten in school.

We all want the best for our children and thought it might be good to remind everyone of the advice in the school food policy.

Please work with us in adhering to the advice. Our mid day assistants and staff are in the dining hall to ensure the children have a positive lunch time experience. Monitoring lunchboxes for the "no thank you" list is part of their role but no-one wants to be the lunch box "police" so please don't put items in that you know your child should not have. We are all working together to promote good eating habits, lifelong health and positive choices

KS1 have fruit provided by the National Fruit Scheme so no snacks are needed unless discussed with a senior member of staff.

Snacks for break KS2 (NO wrappers / reuseable pots)

Yes please

Any fruit or vegetable (fresh, canned or dried)

Cheese

Plain crackers (e.g. Jacobs,

water

Biscuits, Ryvita or crispbreads)

Yoghurt

Fruit/grain bars (not chocolate)

No thank you

No nuts

No fruit winders

No fruit flakes

No chocolate

No sweets/Iollies

No sweet biscuits or cookies

No crisps/Mini cheddars/ flavoured

Snackerjacks or rice cakes

Lunchboxes*

Yes please

Sandwiches, wraps, pasta, rice,

crackers

Protein such as chicken, tuna,

cheese

Any fruit or vegetables (fresh, canned

or dried)

Yoghurt/yoghurt drinks

Fruit/grain bars

No thank you

No nuts

No sweets

No crisps

No cakes

Anything in the box above

A small biscuit/cake is allowed in lunchboxes, on Fridays only eg a kit kat.

* Please be mindful of packing too many food items, so portion size is considered. Thank you for working with us to keep Engayne a Healthy School.

Regards, Mrs Sankey