

WINCHESTER COLLEGE

ALLERGY CONTROL POLICY STATEMENT

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The school caters for all those with special diets, whether those are required for medical reasons, particularly allergies, religious belief or personal lifestyle choices (vegan, vegetarian, pescatarian, etc.). The catering team devise special menus for these pupils, where practically possible.

In accordance with all relevant legal requirements, allergen information is displayed for all foods served in Houses and at catered events across the school. As we cannot control purchases made by pupils, which may include allergen related products, we are unable to guarantee the entire school to be allergen free.

We are committed to food safety and ensure that catering complies with statutory guidelines to reduce the likelihood of a pupil or member of staff or guest with a known food allergy displaying a severe reaction to a specific food while in school. We provide allergy training to our employees and create awareness of the action to take should someone with a severe food allergy display its symptoms.