

Parents

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the Teach Teal: Food Allergy Awareness curriculum! Your child is about to embark on a learning journey that is unique. For the next few days, your child will learn all about food allergies, a condition that affects over 32 million Americans including 1 in 13 children. Food allergies are not always taught in schools yet kids with food allergies attend schools and face many experiences such as food allergy bullying, allergic reactions in school, and more. While your child may not have food allergies, they may one day meet someone who does and this curriculum will prepare them for when that occurs. Your child will learn everything from the science of food allergies to reading ingredients. On top of that, your child will learn about empathy and compassion that can be applied to their lives right now. We encourage asking your child questions about what they are learning during the three days. By the end, your child will be a mini food allergy advocate!