

HOLROYD HOWE IS YOUR ALLERGEN ALLY

We understand that living with an allergies, intolerances, and/or medical/dietary needs, can be worrying in a school environment for both pupils and parents. As your school catering team, we would like to take this opportunity to reassure families that your child's safety and wellbeing are our highest priority.

Please read the below information, where we describe some important steps, we take.

- 1** We work closely with the school to ensure information about pupils' allergies/dietary needs are kept up to date and shared appropriately. We design menus based on nutritional guidance but also consider the dietary requirement information we receive.
- 2** If your child has specific requirements, or if there are any changes to their medical or dietary needs, we encourage you to let the school know, so we can continue to provide safe and suitable meals.
- 3** We have robust systems and processes in place to ensure all meals are prepared and served with great care by our kitchen teams.
- 4** A method of identification is agreed with the school at service and to support, selected team members are nominated as allergy champions. Allergen champions are specially trained and equipped to safely address any questions, ensuring a safe dining environment for everyone. Our allergen champions enhance the safety of our food operations and service periods by adding an extra layer of checks.
- 5** Allergen champions are awarded a pink badge, which must be worn at all times during service periods. This badge helps children and staff easily identify the allergen champions on service if they have questions. This provides reassurance to children, teachers, and parents that the meals served by Holroyd Howe are safe.

Our desire is for pupils to feel confident, included, and comfortable when eating at school, providing the foundations for a positive food experience.

Allergy ally plan

We ALWAYS check for allergens
to help keep everyone safe at lunch time

Here's how you can help...

1

Come talk to us

Follow your schools' identification method & look out for our Allergy Champion Pink Badges

ASK ME
ABOUT
ALLERGENS



Let us be your allergy ally

Let us know your allergy so
we can help advise



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3

Let us make it fresh

Avoiding self service is a good idea as
people may spill food, if there is something
you like, let us know and we can make it fresh



FOUNDED IN 1997
HOLROYD HOWE
FEEDING INDEPENDENT MINDS

We are your **allergy ally**