

Dear Parents,

As a part of Meadow Park's safety efforts, we are asking all parents to create Emergency Kits for each of their students. In order to meet all dietary needs, parents are asked to pack the items listed below in a gallon Ziplock bag. If you do not have a Ziplock, one will be provided for you. These emergency bags will be stored for your students and distributed in the event on an emergency. Each student's Emergency Kit will be returned at the end of the year. Those remaining will be donated to a local food bank.

Please include the following items:

- 1-2 Plastic Water Bottles
- Enough food to fight off hunger for six to eight hours (ex: granola bars, protein bars, nuts, etc.). This will assist us because you are aware of their allergies / dietary needs. In addition, please check for expiration dates after 6/9/2017
- If desired, a note from home to provide comfort in an actual emergency
- Optional: Entertainment (such as a deck of cards, pencil and paper, dice)

Please have each student return their Emergency Kit to their teacher by **Wednesday, December 20th**. Thank you for helping keep Meadow Park as safe as possible.

Another part of our safety efforts, along with monthly Fire and Earthquake drills, teachers and staff are also practicing Intruder drills with students. Most recently, the Meadow Park staff trained with the Irvine Police Department. We want to make sure we are passing on the knowledge with our students.

Sincerely,

The Meadow Park School Safety Team