



# Birthday and Celebration Guidelines

We love celebrating here at Mesa! We recognize that a student's birthday and/or holidays can be celebratory events in their young lives and we want to make them special for all to enjoy!

To build in time into the school day and minimize classroom disruption, please make sure to contact your child's teacher **PRIOR** to the event.

## **GUIDELINES:**

### **\*BE MINDFUL OF FOOD ALLERGIES**

Items provided **MUST** be:

- Store purchased (homemade items NOT allowed)
- Individually pre-packaged and sealed
- One for each student in class

Edible suggestions:

- Yogurt parfaits
- String cheese
- Individual packed rice crispy treats
- Individual packed pretzels
- Granola bars
- Drinks - small bottled water, small juice boxes, small milk boxes

Non-edible suggestions:

- Pencils
- Erasers
- Notepads
- Bookmarks
- Book donation in honor of your child's birthday to the school or class library