



Spa-Tea-Da! Party Food Policy

Please keep in mind our parties are filled with activities and we have found 20 minutes at the table to be the perfect amount of time for the short attention spans of children so we must keep the food simple, quick and easy to serve. If you do wish to have more tea party time you may skip opening gifts in order to extend your tea time but please let us know when you book your party. If you bring a food that is not on the list below, you will not be permitted to serve it. Please do not put us in this awkward position as we do strictly enforce these policies in order to maintain the cleanliness of our facility, linens and costumes for everyone's enjoyment.

Our party schedule is so full that elaborate food is really not necessary or missed and honestly we end up throwing away a lot of food! We developed these policies to minimize your expense, stress and waste! We serve pink lemonade but can provide ice or warm tea if preferred, please let us know when booking your party if you prefer tea. Most younger girls don't like tea. We provide the plates, napkins and tea cups.

You may bring your own cupcakes or petite fours, we ask that you stick with white cake and white or pastel butter cream icing please. You may bring a cake, however you will be responsible for the cutting, we are not licensed food handlers and therefore cannot cut your cake.

Finger sandwiches- We are a peanut free facility so please do not bring in peanut butter, you may substitute Sun butter or Nutella. We suggest ham or turkey and cheese or chicken salad as most children like these. Kids also love pinwheels using wraps instead of bread. Fairy sandwiches are also a yummy alternative with a filling of cream cheese and strawberry jelly mixture. Please do not bring packets of mustard, ketchup or mayonnaise.

Fresh Fruit- You may bring fresh fruit and it should be brought ready to serve in either in individual serving cups or on skewers (see photos below). If you serve grapes please slice in 1/2 for younger children. Please do not bring pre packaged fruit cocktail in plastic cups. Fresh Veggies are welcome as well but also must be ready to serve in individual cups

Cookies- Simple sugar cookies with sugar sprinkles or royal icing, rice crispy treats, brownie bites, small pastries, scones and macaroons are permitted as well.

Nibbles - Pretzels and/or Goldfish crackers in individual serving cups or you may bring cheese slices and crackers. Cheese straws. Please have your nibbles in the serving cups when you arrive see photo below.

You may bring extra food for parents to enjoy but please adhere to the above guidelines and food may only be served during tea party time please. You may also bring bottles of water for parents in a small cooler but we do have complimentary filtered water in the kitchen. If an alternative menu is needed due to allergies, etc you must contact me in advance to get approval for any food not listed here. If you wish to have a more extensive menu we may be able to accommodate your request but you will have to book the latest party of the day and there will be a \$50.00 fee.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me to discuss. Erin Bagley - 251-447-4846 or spateadaevents@gmail.com

