

KYLE DINE FOOD ALLERGY ASSEMBLIES

**EDUCATE YOUR STUDENTS ABOUT FOOD ALLERGIES...
THE FUN WAY!**

With the increasing number of children with severe food allergies, it has never been more important to educate ALL students about the condition and all of the ways to they can help support an allergy-safe school environment. A Kyle Dine assembly is the perfect mix of education and entertainment that helps children grasp a difficult and sometimes scary topic in an approachable manner.



WHO IS KYLE DINE

After experiencing a harrowing anaphylactic reaction in 2005, Kyle Dine has been a dedicated educator performing school-wide assemblies in over 650 schools across North America. He believes that his education and entertaining shows help normalize food allergies, allowing children to learn the realities of the condition, while empowering those at-risk to be confident in managing their own allergies.

ASSEMBLIES THAT PROMOTES SCHOOL ALLERGY SAFETY



**REINFORCES
POLICIES**



EDUCATIONAL



**ENCOURAGES A
HEALTHY SCHOOL**



**FUN AND
INTERACTIVE**



**CREATES
UNDERSTANDING**

Kyle Dine offers two age-appropriate performances for elementary schools split between younger and older grades. Typically K-2 and grades 3-5.

KYLE DINE'S ALLERGY AWARENESS ASSEMBLY OUTLINE

Grades K-2	Grades 3-5
What are Allergies?	What is Anaphylaxis?
Common Allergens	Common Allergens
Medical Identification	Medical Identification
Hand Washing	Hand Washing/No Sharing Food
No Sharing Food	Cross-Contact/Contamination
Symptoms of an Allergic Reaction	Symptoms of an Allergic/Anaphylactic Reaction
Adrenaline/Epinephrine	Adrenaline/Epinephrine
Inclusion/Anti-Bullying	Inclusion/Anti-Bullying

**FEATURES MUSIC
PUPPETS AND
GAMES**



WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT ?

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...research...found that children's attitudes toward their [medical] condition can influence psychological adjustment...Children who adopt a negative attitude toward their allergies (e.g, focus on limitations and differences from peers) may be more likely to experience distress than children who adopt a more positive perspective (e.g, emphasize strengths and coping strategies). "

Lebovidge J, Assessment of psychological distress among children and adolescents with food allergy. Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunology 2009 Dec; 124(6): 1282-8

WHAT SCHOOLS ARE SAYING

"I've seen a lot of assemblies come into our school over my career. This was by far the most engaging show we have ever had". Teacher from Lynbrook, NY

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"Kyle, thank you again. You really had an impact on our students and staff. Children with medical alert bracelets are wearing them. Yesterday a kindergartner broke out in hives and swollen lips after school and the doctor administered an EPI pen. He was so totally calm about it thanks to you." Principal from Pelham NY

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You visited our school in April. The performance was terrific and I know it had a positive impact on all of the students. But, I want to share with you the positive impact you had on one student in particular. Yesterday, a student came to me directly after lunch to tell me he didn't feel well and that he had just eaten a cashew. This student is in 5th grade and is not on my radar as an allergy student - he didn't have any known allergies. He looked at me and said "my throat is closing and I need the EpiPen" So, I immediately gave him the EpiPen and called "911".

He went to the hospital as this is our protocol and luckily everything turned out fine. His parents stated they asked him how he knew he needed the EpiPen and he told them "I knew from the assembly we had at school". I had tears in my eyes after hearing this and I just felt you should know the impact your performance had on this one student! School Nurse from New Jersey



LENGTH

45 minutes/assembly

SETUP

Kyle provides all audio equipment

AVAILABILITY

October and May

FEE

\$600 for one assembly

\$900 for two assemblies

Discounts available when multiple schools are booking.

BOOKING INFO

Please contact Kyle Dine for availability in your area:

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