



Crescent Harbor teacher Mary Heck and her class of first graders.

*“A dog means I won’t have to go to the hospital so much.”*

Logan Gonzales

## Please help Logan Gonzales stay safe in school

Crescent Harbor first-grader Logan Gonzales needs his community to stand behind him. Logan has peanut allergies so severe that an unseen smudge of peanut butter or the smell of peanuts on someone’s breath or an undetectable waft of peanut oil in the air could send him into shock. Despite all precautions, home and away, Logan has taken that life-saving ride to the hospital nine times.

### Three things you can do to help

#### 1. Know your peanut etiquette

*Try to avoid eating peanuts and peanut butter before coming to school.*

*Avoid bringing peanut butter sandwiches for lunch.*

*Wash your hands after touching peanut products.*

#### 2. Get to know Logan

*Learn to recognize him in the hallway, on the bus, or in the cafeteria.*

*When you see him, take a moment to think: Have you eaten or touched any peanut products in the last 24 hours? If you have, please avoid direct contact with him.*

#### 3. Contribute to Logan’s peanut-dog fund

*Logan’s best long-term solution is to get a specially-trained dog that can sniff out peanut residue and warn Logan to avoid it. This is very expensive. Fundraisers are being planned and a special account has been set up in Logan’s name at Whidbey Island Bank. You can learn more about fundraisers by following the link at: [www.ohsd.net/che](http://www.ohsd.net/che).*

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