Understanding the Lunch Line: A Parent's Guide

Each day, your child is offered a lunch containing the following:

Meat or Meat Alternate, Grain,

Fruit, Vegetable

and of course, Milk!

While the most nutritious lunch contains <u>all</u> of these options, we understand that sometimes our students do not like some of the

items we serve. To make our student customers happy, we like to give them the option to decline items they do not want to eat.

Out of the 5 food groups your student is offered, he must choose <u>at least</u> 3 food groups for his meal. One of the food groups <u>must</u> be a fruit or vegetable. Some of the menu choices may count as two food groups such as pizza, nachos, cheeseburger, or chef salad!

Here's an example menu:

Cheeseburger on a Bun 1/2 cup Carrots 1/2 cup French Fries 1/2 cup Peaches 8oz of Milk

So, your child could choose:

Cheeseburger on a Bun and Fries Carrots, Peaches and Milk

Cheeseburger on Bun, Peaches and Milk

Of course they can take other combinations or <u>all 5 food groups!</u> The choice is up to them!

If your child comes home and says she didn't get enough to eat at lunch, ask if she is taking all of her fruit and vegetable choices!

Don't forget about breakfast! Join us each morning, breakfast is a great way to kick off your child's day! Breakfast choices are a little different. Students must take at least 3 of the offered items at breakfast, one must be a fruit or vegetable.

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2023 - 2024 SCHOOL YEAR

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MEAL PRICES

ADULT BREAKFAST \$3.00 ADULT LUNCH \$5.00

A LA CARTE MILK \$0.40 EA

*ENROLLED STUDENTS MEALS ARE FREE





*MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE AT ANYTIME

BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY

CEREAL CHOICE

TUESDAY

BAGEL CHOICE

WEDNESDAY

PARFAIT CHOICE

THURSDAY

OATMEAL / OVERNIGHT OATS

FRIDAY

CINNAMON ROLL

BREAKFAST ALSO INCLUDES FRESH AND/OR CANNED FRUIT/JUICE/SMOOTHIE/YOGURT AND MILK CHOICES

LUNCH MENU

MONDAY CHOICES

POPCORN CHICKEN BOWL CORN DOG GRAB AND GO BOX

TUESDAY CHOICES

LOADED NACHOS
QUESADILLA
BEAN AND CHEESE BURRITO

WEDNESDAY CHOICES

HAMBURGER HOTDOG GRAB AND GO BOX

THURSDAY CHOICES

ORANGE CHICKEN BOWL ASIAN NOODLE BOWL EGG ROLL AND RICE

FRIDAY CHOICES

PIZZA SLICE CHICKEN STRIP BASKET GRAB AND GO BOX

> FRESH FRUIT/VEGGIE BAR AND/OR TOPPINGS BAR OFFERED AT EACH LUNCH SERVICE DAILY.

> FAT FREE AND 1% NON-FLAVORED MILK CHOICES OFFERED DAILY. (FAT FREE CHOCOLATE MILK OFFERED ON FRIDAYS ONLY.)