

## MIAMISBURG CITY SCHOOLS NUTRITION UPDATE 2017-18

Dear Parents,

We look forward to welcoming your children to the cafeteria this year. . To find out more about our healthy school meals, obtain a free/reduced application, or check lunch prices, please go to the schools website at: [miamisburgcityschools.org](http://miamisburgcityschools.org); go to District and then click Nutrition Services. You may also contact us with any questions regarding the free/reduced application or breakfast and lunch information. You can reach us at 937-866-8551.

Miamisburg City School cafeterias are meeting existing federal nutrition standards for school meals. Now is a great time to encourage your kids to choose school breakfast and lunch!

We highly recommend that you submit your Free/Reduced applications during the first week of school. The application process takes several weeks to process. If you received free/reduced meals during the 2016-17 school year, **you must re-apply and submit a new application before September 20, 2017.** Applications which have not been received or approved by September 20, 2017 will require the student to begin paying full price for meals beginning on September 20, 2017 until an application has been received and approved. Any charges incurred during this time will be the parent's responsibility. Also, please fill out Part 5 if you would like school officials to determine if your child(ren) are eligible to have school fees waived. All applicants will receive a notification letter regarding approval or non-approval of your student. You may apply at any time through the school year if your status changes.

Breakfast is served in all district school buildings with the exception of Maddux-Lang Primary School. All students that qualify for reduced meals eat breakfast free.

Breakfast is served during the following times:

Elementary:	8:45-9:00
Middle School:	7:55-8:10
High School:	6:45-7:10

### District Meal Prices:

Elementary:	Breakfast - \$1.20 / Lunch - \$2.25 / Reduced Lunch - \$.40
Middle School:	Breakfast - \$1.50 / Lunch - \$2.60 / Reduced Lunch - \$.40
High School:	Breakfast - \$1.60 / Lunch - Option 1 - \$2.90 - Option 2 - \$3.35/ Reduced Lunch - \$.40

NOTE: Morning Kindergarten students are eligible for breakfast however, lunch is not served      Afternoon Kindergarten is not served breakfast or lunch  
Extended day Kindergarten students are eligible to participate in the breakfast and lunch program

**District policy is that no outside food be brought into the cafeteria at lunch time except for packed lunches from home.**

### Lunch Charges

The district understands that students may forget, lose or not bring enough money to purchase lunch or breakfast. In these instances the district does provide Elementary and Middle school students the opportunity to charge. Elementary and Middle School students may charge **two** times. After the charges are paid, up to date, the student will be allowed to charge using the same guidelines as previously mentioned. **With a negative balance, students will not be able to purchase snacks or ala carte items until the charges have been paid in full.** High school students will not be allowed to charge. **You will be notified by the One Call system weekly if your child(ren) have breakfast/lunch charges.**

### Returned Check Policy

Our policy is to mail a letter to the name on the check concerning the returned check and the reason. You will be required to pay the amount of the check plus a \$15.00 return fee. This will need to be paid by either cash or money order. When submitting payment, please include a copy of the notification letter and return to: **Nutrition Services Office, 540 Park Avenue, Miamisburg, OH 45342.** On the first occurrence the student's account will be flagged "**No Checks**". Once this is paid the flag will be removed. On the second occurrence the district will no longer accept checks and the student's account will be flagged. For the remainder of the school year the student will be required to pay cash or money order.

### Online Payment:

School meals are a great value and a huge convenience for busy families. You can access our online payment program by going to [payforit.net](http://payforit.net). To set up an account you will need your student's ID number, grade and building. You will also need a credit card to create the account. **PayforIt** is a great way of checking balances and seeing what your child is purchasing. Nothing will be charged to your card unless you choose to use **PayforIt** to place money on accounts. Rate for using a credit card is 3.9% and an electronic check is a flat rate of \$1.75.

Thank you and have a great year!

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