



Transitional School Meal Plan for Poudre School District

Thank you for helping us serve School Meals as safely and efficiently as possible as we transition to Phase 4, all students learning in person. To achieve our goal, we have made the following plans in conjunction with our district administration and local health authorities effective **January 19, 2021**.

What is the GOAL of Poudre School District Child Nutrition Department?

Our goal for serving School Meals during this transition is to ensure that:

- **All PSD students receive daily school meals in a safe environment so that they are ready to succeed in academic activities at home or in the classroom**
- **We provide healthy & nutritious breakfasts and lunches in school and at PSD remote meal sites**

What does meal service look like during In-Person learning days for Elementary Students?

Beginning January 19, meals are served in elementary classrooms Monday through Friday. Students can receive up to 2 meals each day: one breakfast to eat at school that day and one lunch to eat at school that day. Teachers will be taking meal counts during daily attendance in the elementary schools.

What does meal service look like during In-Person learning days for Middle School Students?

Beginning January 19 through January 29, meals are served in middle school cafeterias Monday through Thursday. Students can receive up to 3 meals each day during this period; one breakfast to eat at school that day, one take home breakfast for their remote learning day, and one lunch to eat at school that day. Beginning February 1, meals are served in middle school cafeterias Monday through Friday. Students can receive up to 2 meals each day: one breakfast and one lunch.

What does meal service look like during In-Person learning days for High School Students?

Beginning January 25 through February 5, meals are served in high school cafeterias Monday through Thursday. Students can receive up to 3 meals each day during this period; one breakfast to eat at school that day, one take home breakfast for their remote learning day, and one lunch to eat at school that day. Beginning February 8, meals are served in high school cafeterias Monday through Friday. Students can receive up to 2 meals each day: one breakfast and one lunch.

Where will meals be served for remote learners?

Beginning January 19 through January 22, meals will be served to enrolled PSD students at 11 school sites and 5 mobile sites; those locations can be found at <https://www.psdschools.org/psd2020-21/meals2020-21>. Student ID/name is required for pickup. Through our partnership with the Food Bank of Larimer County we have 4 additional mobile sites, serving meals provided by the Food Bank, and open to all students 18 and younger. Those locations, and additional information, can also be found at <https://www.psdschools.org/psd2020-21/mealsremotelearning>. Beginning January 25, meals will be served to enrolled PSD students at 4 school sites: Boltz, Kinard, Lincoln and Webber. The 5 PSD mobile sites and 4 Food Bank mobile sites will continue service through February 5.

What is the schedule for meal service?

Meals will be served at PSD remote and mobile sites from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Monday – Friday (on scheduled school days) through January 22. Beginning January 25, meals will be served at PSD Remote Sites from 11-11:30 am. Meals will be served at school according to each school's schedule.

Who can pick up a meal?

Parents/Guardians and/or students can pick up Grab and Go meals for enrolled PSD students. You will be asked to provide a student ID and/or name at pickup. At this time, we cannot offer meals to adults.

Where can school meal menus be found?

Menus are available at <https://psdschools.nutrislice.com/>.

Are meals still offered free to all students?

Yes, as of August 31, 2020 meals are offered free to all enrolled PSD students through May 26. Each student can pick up one breakfast and one lunch per day at no cost (ID number and/or name required). Non-PSD students and siblings may pick up meals at the Food Bank of Larimer County mobile sites. Charter students are not considered enrolled PSD students. Please utilize the Food Bank mobile sites or contact your school for more food resources and information.

Do I still need to apply for Free and Reduced-Price meals for my students?

Yes, please complete an application for Free and Reduced-Price meals! Applications are accepted throughout the school year. Please apply online at www.myschoolapps.com. You do not need to complete a separate application for each student- only one application is needed per family. Though meals are now served to all students free of charge we encourage you to apply for the meal program as your family may then be eligible for fee waivers and reduced fees with some extracurricular programs outside of PSD. Approved meal applications also help PSD with funding.

Questions?

Contact the PSD Child Nutrition Office by calling 970-490-3557, emailing nutrition@psdschools.org or visiting our website at <https://www.psdschools.org/programs-services/school-meals>

*Locations and serving times subject to change. Changes may also occur based on weather and/or air quality. Visit www.psdschools.org for the most up to date information.

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