

School Nutrition Program Information for 2016.2017

The school nutrition program's sustainability depends on the number of breakfast and lunch meals that are served each day. Our participation numbers for students from all schools from August 2015 through May 2016 were:

- After School Program Snacks: 19,179
- Breakfast: 237,754
- Lunch: 505,438

The mission for the Pulaski School Nutrition Program is to see that every student benefits nutritionally from the breakfast and lunch meals provided each school day. The breakfast and lunch menu are planned to meet meal pattern requirements, which includes more fruit and vegetable choices.

The school nutrition program's Farm to School grant period has ended, however the school nutrition program will continue to offer locally grown fruits and vegetables whenever possible.

Parents/Guardians: encourage your children to choose breakfast and lunch at school!

The ongoing purpose of the school nutrition program is to serve quality meals that contribute toward the whole child's long-term health and wellness.

Elementary Student - Breakfast & Lunch Prices

Elementary Breakfast: \$1.15

Reduced Price Breakfast: **\$0**

Full Price Lunch: \$1.75

Reduced Price Lunch: \$.40

Student Full Price Breakfast & Lunch per day: \$2.90

Student Full Price Breakfast & Lunch per week: \$14.50

Middle & High Student - Breakfast & Lunch Prices

Full Price Breakfast: \$1.15

Reduced Price Breakfast: **\$0**

Full Price Lunch: \$1.85

Reduced Price Lunch: \$.40

Student Full Price Breakfast & Lunch per day: \$3.00

Student Full Price Breakfast & Lunch per week: \$15.00

Adult Meal Prices:

Breakfast: \$1.60

Lunch: \$2.70 (adult portions are the same as 9-12 grade group)

School Nutrition provides the following payment options:

Cash or checks are accepted at Point of Service - **Please write student pin# on checks to ensure payment is correctly applied.**

Online prepay: My School Bucks: www.myschoolbucks.com

ONLINE Pre-pay - My School Bucks -- Visit www.myschoolbucks.com the process is very easy and convenient.

- Parents/guardians may pay or view account history and check account balances 24/7
- View student cafeteria purchases at no charge

- Make payments using VISA, Master Card or Discover – credit/debit cards (\$2.00 fee)
- Option to have payments made automatically each month
- Receive deposit confirmations directly to email account
- Low-balance emails (please **provide current** email address)

The **Community Eligibility Provision** (CEP) will **continue** at Critzer and Pulaski Elementary for SY **2016.2017**. To continue this program it is **extremely important for students to choose to eat breakfast and lunch at school.**

Meal Applications are not required for students that attend Critzer & Pulaski Elementary School.

Contact Ethelene W. Sadler – 540 994-2523 for questions related **CEP**.

Parents are encouraged to complete and return meal applications as soon as possible unless you receive a letter indicating your child has been approved for free or reduced priced meals. Parents/Guardians may complete a paper application provided with back to school packets. **Only one application is necessary for students in the same household.** Students approved for free meals have access for breakfast and lunch at no cost. Reduced priced eligible is \$.0 for breakfast and \$.40 cents for lunch.

New for SY 2016.2017: ONLINE meal apps: www.pcva.us - access from the Pulaski County Schools homepage.

Parents/Guardians: please make sure your child has funds available for breakfast and lunch to **avoid charges** from occurring. **If your student ended the year with a negative balance, any money received will be applied to clear the charges.**

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