

# A Note From Food & Nutrition Services

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## FREE Meals- CEP

All of our schools qualified for the Community Eligibility Program (CEP). This allows every student the opportunity for a School Breakfast and Lunch at no charge. Free and Reduced Applications are not required for students.

## NEW Menu App and Website

Anyone can access each school's specific menu by downloading the NEW app for MealViewer to any smartphone. All menus are also available at our Department's website <http://www.leeschools.net/breakfast-and-lunch-menus> Please share this information in your Newsletters!

## Federal & District Regulations

**Late Buses-** Students arriving on school buses less than 15 minutes prior to the first bell must be offered a breakfast and allowed time to eat the breakfast. FL. statue 595.403 (4)

## Food Sales

- Any food or beverage items offered for sale to students during the school day must meet the "Smart Snacks in School" federal regulations and comply with Board Policy 8.02 Competitive Food Sales and Board Policy 2.30 Local School Wellness. This includes any vending machines, school stores, and fundraisers.

- Banquets and coffee bars can be paid for under catering events.



## Important Dates:

8/3 Manager and Asst Manager's  
First Day Back in School

8/7 Kitchen Staff's First Day  
Back in School

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- Reminder Adult Meal prices changed this year to \$1.85 for breakfast and \$3.75 for lunch. Teacher Bar items must be paid for at time of purchase or a prepaid account must be established.

## Health Department Regulations

Non-authorized personnel in food preparation areas is a Health Department safety/sanitation violation. Please remind school staff of this regulation.

Non-authorized use of walk-in coolers, freezers, and ice machines are also Health Department safety & sanitation violations.

## Open House

Please include your Food Service Manager at any Open House events as we are always willing to promote the meals and services we can provide our students.

**Thanks for your continued support and  
if we can assist you in any way please  
contact us!**

Food & Nutrition Main Line

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