

Dear Parents,

Summer is almost over! Soon we will be back to waking up early and helping with homework, but don't worry about packing a lunch! The following is some information on the school's optional lunch program.

The September lunch menu can be found online within the "Welcome Back" packet. For each proceeding month, the menus can be found on the SKD web site in the "Student Life" section. Generally they are posted about midway through the prior month.

Every day, children can choose from the main lunch, a hot dog, or PB&J. Prices vary and will be listed on the top of the menus. Each lunch also comes with a side. The side varies depending on the meal, but example side choices include fruit, carrots, celery, cucumber, tossed salad, tater tots, corn, and pasta salad.

If you wish to order lunch for your child, simply print out the menu, circle your lunch choices, and send the menu back to school with payment. There is no minimum or maximum amount of orders you can place. Some children buy every day, and others just once a month. Either way is fine! We do make extra food every day for those crazy mornings when you don't have time to make lunch and your child needs to buy, however it is first come first serve. We usually never run out, but on Pizza days it comes close, so it is best to pre-order pizza if it is wanted.

There is also a snack table each day that offers items like cookies, pudding, cereal, Smart pop popcorn, and Fruit Roll-Ups! Children can also buy drinks at the snack table, including Capri Sun, Sunny D, and water bottles. We do keep an eye on the snacks we let the younger children buy, so you can be sure your child will not be eating candy and cookies as their lunch!

Most trips and days off will be listed on the lunch menu, but there will undoubtedly be unexpected trips and snow days. Information about lunch credits for such days will be put on the SKD web site with the next month's menu. **Since lunch is done on a pre-order basis, unfortunately we cannot credit for days absent, however you may come in and pick up your absent child's lunch anytime between 12:00 and 12:45pm. In cases of extended absence, let me know and we can adjust the menu.**

Please let your child know that if for any reason they are unprepared for lunch, they should not hesitate to come up and let us know. We will do our best to accommodate every child. No matter what the circumstance, they should NEVER just come in and skip lunch for the day.

If you have any questions or concerns at all, please feel free to email me at teriann03@yahoo.com or call me at 215-870-6913

Thank you,

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