# Food & Mutrition NEWSLETTER



SCHOOL YEAR | 2022/23



#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The federal government is ending USDA free meals for all students SY 22/23. We operate under National School Lunch Program, therefore we will be returning to Free, Reduced or Paid meals.



ELEMENTARY MIDDLE HIGH

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<u>Paid</u>	Reduced
\$1.60	\$0.30
\$1.75	\$0.30
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#### LUNCH

<u>Paid</u>	Reduced
\$3.00	\$0.40
\$3.00	\$0.40
\$3.50	\$0.40

## **FREE & REDUCED APPLICATION**

Last year's free or reduced-price meal status will expire on **September 26, 2022**.

Notifications reminding parents to submit a new application for the upcoming school year will be sent by mail prior to the expiration date.

A new family application, one per household, must be submitted at the beginning of **EACH** school year.

Applications are **NOW** available.



## **ALTERNATE MEALS**

FNS offers parents a grace period when lunch money is forgotten. This allows students to charge meals to their school lunch account until they bring funds from home or replenish the funds online at: **My School Bucks.** 

Once the charge limit is reached, students are offered an alternate lunch of a turkey ham & cheese sandwich, 2 fruit & vegetable side choices, and milk choice until the charges are repaid.



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Schools that operate as a Provision 2 site offer free breakfast to all students at no charge. The following is a list of schools participating in Provision 2 during the **2022 - 2023** school year.

- Anclote ES
- Baycare
- Bayonet Point MS
- Centennial ES
- Chasco ES
- Chasco MS
- Chester W. Taylor ES
- Cox ES
- Crews Lake MS
- Cypress ES
- East Pasco Ed Academy
- Fivay HS
- Fox Hollow ES
- Gulf HS
- Gulf MS
- Gulf Trace ES
- Gulfside ES
- James M. Marlowe ES
- Lacoochee ES

- M. P. Locke ES
- Mary Giella ES
- Moon Lake ES
- Pasco ES
- Pasco MS
- Pasco HS
- Quail Hollow ES
- Raymond B Stewart MS
- Richey ES
- San Antonio ES
- Schrader ES
- Shady Hills ES
- Sunray ES
- West Pasco ED Academy
- West Zephyrhills ES
- Zephyrhills HS

The following schools are required to go through a recertification process this year. Students will need to go through the cafeteria for breakfast and enter their student ID number for breakfast.

> These schools will **not** be able to utilize breakfast carts this school year.

- Anclote HS
- Calusa ES
- Cotee River ES
- Deer Park ES
- Gulf Highlands ES
- Hudson Academy
  Woodland ES

- Hudson HS
- New River ES
- Paul R. Smith MS
- Seven Springs ES
- Wendell Krinn Tech HS

### SUPPER PROGRAM

To participate in the At-Risk Afterschool Program for SY 22/23, schools must be located in areas where at least 50% of the children are eligible for free and reduced-price meals, based on school data.

