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- ALL students will receive a free breakfast & lunch daily this year
- Meal Benefit Forms are optional but encouraged this year as you may qualify for additional state benefits (e.g. P - EBT). Forms may be completed online at www.schoolcafe.com OR printed from the CSD website www.christinak12.org/CNS and returned to any CSD cafeteria or fax 302-452-1341

PIN # = Student ID

Child Nutrition Services utilizes a computerized system. Student's cafeteria pin number is their Student ID number which allows students and parents/guardians to put money on their account to be used for second meals or snacks. The pin number is required for all cafeteria transactions whether you are purchasing additional items or not. Helping your child memorize their pin number (6 digit student ID number) will help speed up the lunch lines!

Prepayments, Pricing & Online Meal Applications

- **First Meal - FREE**
- Prepayment for snacks and second meals is available
- **Second Meal Prices**
 - Grades PK-5: Breakfast \$0.80, Lunch \$1.50
 - Grades 6-12: Breakfast \$1.00, Lunch \$1.75
- Online payments are accepted at www.schoolcafe.com. This gives families the option to view balances and account activity. A convenience fee of \$1.75 for every transaction is required



Healthy Meals at School

School meals offer students milk, fruits, vegetables, proteins and grains,. Meals meet strict federal nutrition standards that ensure meals are healthy and well-balanced and provide students all the nutrition they need to succeed at school.

Healthy Snacks/Beverages & Wellness

Our goal is to promote a healthier school environment. Healthy Snacks/beverages are available in most schools for an additional cost. For specific products call your school cafeteria.

We recommend include non food items rather than baked goods be used for classroom celebrations to ensure the safety of all students. This will reduce the risk of life threatening food allergy reactions.

Candy and Soda are not permitted.

*Please check with your school to see if additional safety measures are in place.

Food Allergies

If your child is allergic to food, please provide a signed physician note to your school nurse stating the allergy. *If a special menu is needed, the Registered Dietitian will create a menu for your child with proper documentation.*



Child Nutrition Contact Information: childnutrition@christina.k12.de.us or 302-454-2400

