

# WCSD Cafeteria

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# **Information Sheet for Requesting Take-Out Meals During the School Year 2020 – 2021**

Due to COVID-19 and the recent flooding our daily school schedule is going to look very different this year. Whitehall Central School does not wish for any of our students to experience food difficulties and we do not want breakfast and lunch to be an added burden for parents. Therefore, we are offering take-out meals on school days that your child(ren) is not in the school building.

#### Who can receive meals?

1. All WCSD students

## **How do I opt-in to the meals?**

1. Contact your building's principal or the cafeteria manager via phone or e-mail to sign up

#### What are the meals?

- 1. Breakfast and Lunch
- 2. The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has extended the waiver allowing <u>ALL</u> CCS student's to receive <u>free</u> meals through December 31, 2020, dependent on available funding.

## What if the USDA waiver expires or is cancelled?

You will be notified and the following will be put into effect:

- a. Free/Reduced Meal Program applies to take-out meals
- b. All <u>paid</u> eligible students must pre-pay. No charging of any meals is permissible per the directive of The Office of Child Nutrition, State Education Department.
- c. Meal Prices: breakfast \$1.25

lunch: Grades K-6 \$1.75, 7-12 \$2.00

#### Where will we receive our meals?

1. Meals will be distributed in the loop in front of the High School from 7am to 9am. You will not need to exit your vehicle.

#### When will this start?

- 2. Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup> will be the first day of pickups
- 3. Monday/Tuesday in person students will pickup for every other Wednesday, Thursday and Friday on Wednesday mornings between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m.
- 4. Thursday/Friday in person students will pickup for every other Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday on Monday mornings between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m
- 5. Full Time Remote Learning students Parents pickup on Monday and Wednesday mornings between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m

#### **Guidelines to Follow:**

- 1. You must opt-in to receive meals
- 2. You can designate another person to pick up meals for your student(s) if you are unable to do so within the timeframes. The district does not have the resources for home deliveries now that in-person classes have resumed.
- 3. You must keep a positive balance on your child's lunch account
- 4. You or your child must pick-up meals regularly
- 5. Communication is Key please let me know in advance if you're not going to be able to pick up your meals, if you wish to be removed, and if you have any questions or concerns.
- 6. Contact Info: jott@railroaders.net 518-499-1770 ext. 2013

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