

Students Eat for Free!

All kids under
18 years old.



9 September 2020

Dear Newport School District Families,

The U.S. Secretary of Agriculture recently announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will extend several flexibilities for school meals throughout the remainder of 2020. The USDA stated, “As our nation reopens and people return to work, it remains critical our children continue to receive safe, healthy, and nutritious food.”

Starting September 10, 2020, Newport School District will be offering a FREE breakfast and FREE lunch to each student present during the school day (any meal charges made to students’ accounts from 9/1/2020 through 9/9/2020 will be reimbursed to your child’s account).

The free meals for all students will only run through December 31, 2020 or until funding is no longer available. At that time, meal statuses will return to Paid, Free and Reduced rates based on qualifications and applications. Please continue to return Free and Reduced meal applications as soon as possible to avoid any gap in benefits.

We remain committed to providing students access to healthy, nutritious and wholesome meals while assuring the utmost food safety without compromising quality.

Thank you!

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