

2020-21 School Meals Information



Breakfast and Lunch are available for all students, whether in school or remote learning. Last week the USDA extended free meals for all students until December 31, 2020 OR until funding runs out. **WE STILL NEED FAMILY MEAL APPLICATIONS RETURNED BY OCTOBER 1ST. FUNDING FOR ALL STUDENT PROGRAMS (not just school meal eligibility) IS DETERMINED BY THE COLLECTIVE ELIGIBILITY OF THE DISTRICT.** To maximize this funding we need our families to apply. If funding is not extended until June or if funds run out before December 31st, we will revert back to the free/reduced/paid system.

We encourage all families to apply online at myschoolapps.com or mail a paper application back to Hamburg Child Nutrition office at 360 Division St. Applications are in the summer Focus newsletter or you can print one from our website, HamburgChildNutrition.com Email Anne Rich, arich@hcsdk12.org, with any questions regarding the Hamburg Child Nutrition program.

Cohort Assignment:	Cohort A	Cohort B	Cohort C	Cohort D
In-School Attendance:	Monday / Tuesday	Thursday / Friday	Mon/Tues; Thurs/Fri	N/A
Off-Campus Learning	Wed/Thurs/Fri	Mon/Tues/Wed	Wednesday	Monday thru Friday

Hamburg District has adopted a hybrid reopening plan that includes both in-school and off-campus learning. Families have been assigned a cohort and the information below is a little different for each cohort. The information below first details info for Cohorts A-B-C in school meal service, followed by instructions for curbside pick up for all Cohorts, including Cohort D.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS:

Breakfast

★ **Parents/Guardians of elementary students in Cohort A,B or C:** Please sign up by September 9, 2020, for school breakfast on google form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1O3NYRCQW_sccc2qVE58sSc42E48D94ON2r6D59wzfgo/edit

- Once signed up students will receive breakfast every day while in school UNTIL the parent/guardian emails Anne Rich to cancel Email: arich@hcsdk12.org
- After 9 a.m. September 9, the google form will be closed and parents can email or call Anne to be added to the breakfast service.
- Breakfast consists of 1% milk, fruit or juice, and combination of cereals, crackers and breakfast items.
- Breakfast will be delivered to the classroom in all elementary schools. Children will eat at their socially distanced desks. An adult will clean the desks when finished with disinfecting wipes.

Lunch

Cohorts A-B-C: Elementary teachers will continue to collect student meal choices when taking attendance.

- Students can choose daily from the Main entree (see online menu at HamburgChildNutrition.com), PBJ Uncrustable, Deli Turkey Sandwich, or Fun Lunch (Upstate 4 oz yogurt, string cheese, UBR/asst. Graham crackers)
- Children can choose 1% white milk, fat free chocolate milk, or no milk with their entree choice
- All meals come with the daily fruit and veggie
- Meals will be delivered to the classroom in covered take out trays and students will eat at their socially distanced desks. An adult will clean the desks when finished with disinfecting wipes. A limited number of students may be scheduled in the cafeteria based on staffing requirements.
- Students will sanitize hands before and after eating
- Please remember to update any dietary medical restrictions and allergies with your school nurse so we can make necessary meal accommodations.

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MIDDLE SCHOOL:

Breakfast

- ★ Cohorts A-B-C: Students desiring breakfast will pick up breakfast at the kiosk in the cafeteria from 7:25-7:40.
 - All items will be wrapped and served by cafeteria staff.
- ★ Students will take breakfast items to their first period class to eat at their socially distanced desks
- ★ An adult will clean desks using disinfectant wipes when finished eating.

Lunch

- ★ Cohorts A-B-C: Students will make their lunch choice with their teacher when attendance is taken.
- ★ Students can choose daily from the Main entree (see online menu at HamburgChildNutrition.com), PBJ Uncrustable, Deli Turkey Sandwich, or Fun Lunch (Upstate 4 oz yogurt, string cheese, UBR/asst. Graham crackers)
- ★ All meals come with the entree and veggie of the day.
- ★ Students will pick up their take-out meal by the cafeteria. Server will hand the student the meal they signed up for.
- ★ Students can choose additional items that will be individually wrapped and served, including fruit, milk and condiments.
- ★ Students with a positive account balance will be allowed to purchase snacks / drinks from limited variety. If you don't have one already, you can set up an online account at myschoolbucks.com You can also mail a check to Food & Nutrition Services at 360 Division St and which will fund the student's account. Checks should be made out to the School Lunch Fund and have student names clearly written on the memo line. Please do not send cash. *NO cash will be accepted at the register.*
- ★ Students will return to their classroom to eat at their socially distanced desks. An adult will clean the desks when finished with disinfecting wipes.
- ★ Students will wash/sanitize hands before and after eating.
- ★ Students will scan their ID card instead of punching in numbers at cashier station
- ★ Please remember to update any dietary medical restrictions and allergies with your school nurse so we can make necessary meal accommodations.

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HIGH SCHOOL **Breakfast**

- ★ Upon entering school, students will visit the cafeteria breakfast line, observing social distancing rules.
- ★ All items will be wrapped and served by cafeteria staff.
- ★ Students will take breakfast items to their first period class to eat or eat at socially distanced desks in the cafeteria.
- ★ Teacher/adult will clean desks using disinfectant wipes when finished eating.

Lunch

- ★ Students will be seated at an assigned lunch desk in the gym or cafeteria.
- ★ Monitors will call students up by row to come through line socially distanced and while wearing masks.
- ★ Students will use hand sanitizer prior to entering the serving line and when leaving the assigned eating area.
- ★ Serving lines will have barriers. Student meals will be pushed through opening toward the end of line.
- ★ Everything will be served. Students will not touch anything, including cutlery kits, milk and condiments.
- ★ Students can choose in line what they want. Both lines will have the same offerings: main entree, taco, and small variety of sandwiches and salads. Visit HamburgChildNutrition.com for menu.
- ★ Students with a positive account balance will be allowed to purchase snacks / drinks from limited variety. If you don't have one already, you can set up an online account at myschoolbucks.com You can also mail a check to Food & Nutrition Services at 360 Division St and which will fund the student's account. Checks should be made out to the School Lunch Fund and have student names clearly written on the memo line. Please do not send cash. *No cash will be accepted at the register.*
- ★ Students will scan their ID card instead of punching in numbers at cashier station

Meal service when students are not in school; whether hybrid (Cohorts A-B-C) or fully off campus (Cohort D):

All Cohorts: Parents/Guardians must sign up for meals and choose desired pick up location on CareMonkey app. Curbside pick up will be at Boston Valley Elementary or the High School every Tuesday and Friday afternoon from 3:00-4:30 p.m. Parent/Guardian must give name of child(ren) at pick up. Meal bags will not be sent home with children - whether on bus or picked up.

- **Cohort A** - will have access to sign up on the app until Sunday at Midnight. and pick up a 3-day meal bag on Tuesday.
- **Cohort B** - will have access to sign up on the app until Wednesday at Midnight and pick up a 3-day meal bag on Friday.
- **Cohort C** - will have access to sign up on the app until Sunday at Midnight and pick up a 1-day meal bag on Tuesday.
- **Cohort D**- sign up for a 3-day meal bag Sunday at Midnight for Tuesday pick up. Sign up for a 2-day meal bag by Wednesday at Midnight for Friday pick up. Please see the HS menu.