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Meals for Houston Virtual Students



HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Houston County School District offers breakfast and lunch for all students, to include those enrolled in Houston Virtual distance learning. Houston Virtual students may pick up meals at any of the district’s eight middle schools on Wednesdays between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m.* For safety and convenience, parents may pick up meals for the entire week using the bus or car rider lane.

To pick up meals, parents/guardians are asked to write the student’s name, lunch number and school on a piece of paper and place it in the passenger window. Upon enrollment verification, each student will receive 10 meals for the week.

Houston Virtual students whose home schools are Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) schools will receive meals at no charge. The following 19 schools qualify as CEP schools: C.B. Watson Primary, Centerville Elementary, Huntington Middle, Lindsey Elementary, Miller Elementary, Morningside Elementary, Northside Elementary, Northside High, Northside Middle, Parkwood Elementary, Pearl Stephens Elementary, Russell Elementary, Shirley Hills Elementary, Thomson Middle, Tucker Elementary, Warner Robins Middle, Warner Robins High, Westside Elementary and WIN Academy.

Students who attend non-CEP schools will be charged for meals based on the student’s eligibility. Those who are approved for free meals will receive the meals at no charge. Students who are approved for reduced meals will receive the meals for \$0.30 per breakfast and \$0.40 per lunch. All other students will be charged the paid meal price depending on their grade level. In order to qualify for free or reduced price meals, an updated meal application must be on file with the School Nutrition department. A new application is easy and quick to complete and submit. For a free and reduced meals application, please click here: www.nlappscloud.com/.

For more information about school meals, parents may contact the School Nutrition Area Manager, April Bohannon, at April.Bohannon@hcbe.net.

*The pickup time has changed to 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.; previously the time was 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

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