

To: Arlington BOE  
Re: Annual Report – Nutrition Standards Compliance  
From: Tracy McIlroy  
Kevin Haught

School Year Ended 2022 - 23

The Cafeteria is guided by BOE Policies     *EFF – Food Sale Standards*  
  *EF/EFB Food Service Management/Free and Reduced Price Food*  
  *Services*  
  *EFF Food Sale Standards*  
  *EFFA Lunchroom Guidelines*  
  *EFG Wellness Program*  
  *EFH Food Allergies*

A registered dietetic technician was initially consulted to assist Mrs. Gault in drafting the nutritional guidelines for the lunch program. Mrs. Gault then trained Mrs. McIlroy. Mrs. McIlroy also attended training in the area of nutritional guidelines.

- A. for complying with and enforcing the nutritional standards governing the types of food and beverages that may be sold on school premises in compliance with State law and
- B. specifying the time and place each type of food or beverage may be sold.
- C. ServSafe Manager Training

The time of day and place for the sale of food and beverages to students is consistent with the nutrient intake needs and eating patterns of students and compatible with class schedules.

- K-2 eat from 11:00 – 11:22
- 3-6 eat from 11:25 – 11:50
- 10-12 eat from 12:08 – 12:38
- 7-9 eat from 12:57 – 1:27

Grab n’ Go Breakfast is available to all K-12 students from 7:45 – 10:00. Elementary students pick-up their breakfast between 8:15 – 8:45 am.

The following beverages are offered to students in kindergarten to grade two: milk (water if intolerant to milk).

The following beverages are offered to students in kindergarten to grade 12: water, milk or four ounces of fruit juice.

The school vending machine sells only water beverages to students in K-12.

The cafeteria offers reimbursable meals through the school lunch and breakfast program. Each meal (grades 7-12) also has an option for the main dish. Students in grades 3-12 also have the option of a salad bar. Gluten Free items are available to those with a dietary need.

Families have the opportunity to complete free and reduced priced lunch applications at the beginning of and throughout the school year. These can be completed in paper form or online through Payschools.

Grades 7-12 have the option to purchase either ala-carte items for their lunch (can be made into a reimbursable meal) or the reimbursable meal.

The cafeteria offers some “fun” days throughout the year with special lunches including:

- A Halloween Meal
- A Thanksgiving Meal
- A Christmas/Holiday Meal
- Make your own Sub Day
- School Picnic Day
- Baked Potato Bar

The cafeteria continues to utilize the POS system that helps reduce the amount of money students need to carry and that workers need to handle.

We do not allow school day bake sales or fundraisers selling immediate edible items.

The Ohio Department of Education, Office for Child Nutrition completed an On-site Administrative Review of the cafeteria and school district in December of 2022.

The BOE did not need to raise lunch prices for the 2022-23 school year.