



## BPS Lunch Facts



## Did you know... that *all* students have a lunch account?

The BPS Cafés are open and ready to serve your child in this school year! The Cafés serve a healthy breakfast\* and lunch following State and National guidelines. As participants in the National School Breakfast and Lunch program, we are obligated to follow all regulations as set forth by law. These include serving sizes, calorie content, and nutritional guidelines pertaining to all food offered for sale during the school day.

We are also required to follow the Smart Snack Rule which went into effect July 1, 2014. This rule limits the ala carte snacks and beverages we can sell.

We are making menus more available and informational. Birmingham Public Schools, in partnership with Chartwells K12, is now using Nutrislice to publish the school menus to a new interactive website and a free Smartphone app. Now you can access your menus anywhere, anytime! You can also view images, nutrition information, filter for specific food allergens, see carb counts, and more! Go to <http://birmingham.nutrislice.com/> or get the app, Nutrislice, from the App Store or Google Play. A print friendly copy of our menus can still be found on the Birmingham Public Schools website under the Menu Quick Link.

If a child's lunch account balance is zero or below we will only offer that child a hot lunch a limited number of times until the account has been paid by their parents/guardians. Please go to the food service section of the school website to see the full BPS procedures - [www.birmingham.k12.mi.us](http://www.birmingham.k12.mi.us). Key points;

- Parents will be notified by email that their student lunch account has a negative balance and that the balance needs to be paid in full – PLEASE make sure that the email at [www.SendMoneyToSchool.com](mailto:www.SendMoneyToSchool.com) is the email address where you can be contacted.
- After a student's account has reached the maximum charge limit the student will be offered an alternate meal of a cheese sandwich/roll-up, fruit and vegetables, and choice of milk. The account will be charged for a full lunch each time an alternative lunch is given.

\*The following elementary schools don't currently serve breakfast- Beverly, Pierce, Quarton and West Maple.



[www.sendmoneytoschool.com](http://www.sendmoneytoschool.com)

Sendmoneytoschool.com provides an easy to use, efficient way to make payments quickly and securely anytime using a simple internet connection. Sendmoneytoschool.com offers the following benefits:

- Make payments to your student's lunch account
- View account balances, payments and account activity at no cost
- Set up reminders to let you know when your student's balance is low
- Create settings for your child's daily spending limits

## Cafe Prices

Great news!! Birmingham Public Schools meal prices will stay the same for the 2019-2020 school year.

Elementary	Breakfast \$1.50	Lunch \$3.00
Middle School	Breakfast \$1.75	Lunch \$3.25
High School	Breakfast \$1.75	Lunch \$3.25-\$4.00

## Connect.



Chartwells would like students, staff, and parents to stay connected to all our events at BPS! We feature special events happening throughout the district such as: Fuel Up to Play 60, Discovery Kitchen and Student Choice Events, special themed days during lunch, and much more!

We're on **Facebook** as: @BirminghamPublicSchoolsFoodService

We're on **Twitter** as: @BPSFoodService

We're on the **web** at: [www.birmingham.k12.mi.us/Page/1180](http://www.birmingham.k12.mi.us/Page/1180)