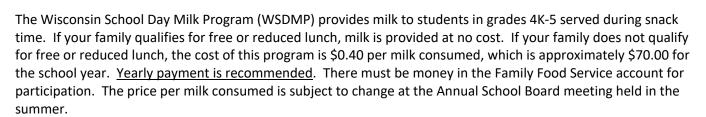
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NIAGARA MEAL PROGRAM

www.niagara.k12.wi.us 2023-2024 Grades 4K-12

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Welcome to the meal program offered by the School District of Niagara!

All students attending the School District of Niagara in grades 4K-12 are approved for the Community Eligibility Provision for the 2023-2024 school year. This provision provides breakfast and lunch at no cost, to all students.



The 2023-2024 Household Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals is not required to receive free breakfast and lunch, however it is recommended that the <u>Alternate Household Income Form</u> is filled out, as it may help with other programs such as the WSDMP (The Alternate Household Income Form is attached for your convenience) You do not have to fill this form out if you are notified that you have been Direct Certified.

Ala carte items will be offered to students in grades 6-12. Permission forms will be completed with your online registration for your 6th grader. The status of all other students in grades 7-12 will remain the same as last year unless you request a change. Only students with ala carte parental permission forms on file, and money in the family account, will be permitted to purchase ala carte items. Payment for ala carte purchases will not be accepted in the cafeteria.

<u>Families must prepay:</u> In order to participate in ala carte, there must be a positive balance in your family's food service account. <u>There should never be a negative balance in your food service account.</u> Balance notices will be emailed or sent home with your student(s). You can check the status of your account through Family Access. Please check on your family's balance frequently and deposit money as needed. Payments can be made by check, cash, or online through your Family Access. If sending cash, please put the money in a sealed envelope with "Food Service and your child(ren's) name." Please note that there is a small <u>processing fee</u> for online payments.

Please call the Main Office at 715-251-4541 if you do not have a username and password for Family Access or if you have questions regarding this letter.

Thank you,

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2. fax:

(833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or

3. email:

program.intake@usda.gov

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