



Baldwin Union Free School District

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www.baldwinschools.org



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Dear Parent/Guardian:

For the upcoming 2023-2024 school year, please be advised that the U.S. Department of Agriculture no longer provides free meals for all students.

This means that students **are not automatically eligible** to receive free meals at school. Rather, if there is a need, you are encouraged to apply for free or reduced price meals by filling out and submitting the enclosed Free and Reduced Price Meals application **OR** by filling out and submitting your application online using the following link: www.baldwinschools.org/meals. You may also complete the necessary form by using the QR code below with your mobile device.



The district would like to ensure that your child(ren) receive free meals, if eligible, based on federal income guidelines as we commence the 2023-2024 school year.

Baldwin Schools will, once again, offer our enhanced menus at each school building. Further adjustments will be made as we continue to improve the quality and variety of our menu offerings. This will be reflected on the monthly menus that are posted on your school's home page. The district has also, once again, maintained current pricing of \$2.50 for breakfast and \$3.50 for lunch. For students who qualify for Free and Reduced Price meals, breakfast and lunch will be provided at no charge. Snack/a la carte items are also available for purchase at each school. Items can be paid for by using your "My School Bucks" account. Instructions on how to use "My School Bucks" can be found by clicking the "fork and knife" icon on the right side of your school's home page. An example of the link is included in the picture below.

Elementary Schools:

Breakfast will be available in each elementary cafeteria from 8:15 AM to 8:35 AM.

Please note: It is no longer necessary to pre-order your child(ren)'s meals.

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Middle School:

Breakfast will be available in the cafeteria each morning from 7:45 AM to 8:05 AM. No pre-order is necessary.

High School:

Breakfast will be available in Cafeteria A each morning from 7:20 AM to 7:40 AM. No pre-order is necessary.

We are looking forward to an exciting new school year! If you have any questions, please call Ms. Fleming, our Food Service Manager, at 434-6042 or the business office at 434-6040.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James P. Robinson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the beginning.

James P. Robinson, Ed.D.