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The Brunswick City Schools Food Service Program takes pride in serving nutritious meals daily to our students. We are firm believers that well-fed students learn more effectively. Under no circumstance do we want a child to go without lunch.

We understand that parents are busy and may occasionally forget to pack a lunch or send in money; however, the number of students with a negative balance has grown significantly over the past couple of years. As you know, it is the parent's/guardian's responsibility to provide students with lunch or a means to pay for meals.

The school food service program, which strives to be self-funded, operates in a financially responsible manner.

Students who owe money may purchase regular meals if they have money in hand to pay for it. **Students who owe money will not be allowed to purchase a la carte items (e.g. ice cream, fruit snack, or chips).** Students who have money to purchase extra items will be denied and money will be applied to the outstanding balance. The sooner the balance is paid off the sooner your child can enjoy an extra item from the lunch line.

Notification of negative balance:

- Food Services will continue to notify parents of negative balances on a monthly basis via backpack mail and/or U.S. Mail.
- Phone calls to parents of students with outstanding balances of \$50.00 or more will be made by the Food Service Director (Karen Becker), school's Kitchen Manager or Business Office.
- The assistance of Administrators may be enlisted.
- Inquiries concerning account balances should be directed to kbecker1@bcsoh.org or 330-273-0370.

Payment Methods:

- Check or money order made out to *Brunswick City Schools*. Please put the child's name on the memo line.
- Online payment via www.myschoolbucks.com or through the district website at www.brunswickschools.org click on the link under Parent Quick Links.

Again, If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Karen Becker
Food Service Coordinator