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USDA Extends Summer Food Service Program through December 2020

The United States Department of Agriculture has issued a meal flexibility waiver to extend the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) through December 31, 2020 or until funding is depleted. The purpose of this extension is to ensure children have access to nutritious meals as the nation reopens during the coronavirus pandemic. This flexibility allows schools that qualify to offer meals at no charge to all children ages 18 and younger.

Effective September 16, 2020 the following schools will offer both breakfast and lunch meals at no charge to all students regardless of status:

Andrew Jackson Middle School
Apollo Elementary School
Astronaut High School
Atlantis Elementary School
Audubon Elementary School
Bayside High School
BLAST Program at Clearlake
Cambridge Elementary School
Cape View Elementary School
Central Middle School
Challenger 7 Elementary School
Christa McAuliffe Elementary School
Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr High School
Cocoa High School
Columbia Elementary School
Coquina Elementary School
Croton Elementary School
DeLaura Middle School
Discovery Elementary School
Dr. W.J. Creel Elementary School

Eau Gallie High School
Edgewood Jr./Sr. High School
Educational Horizons
Endeavour Magnet Elementary School
Enterprise Elementary School
Fairglen Elementary School
Fieldston Preparatory School
Freedom 7 Elementary School
Gemini Elementary School
Golfview Magnet Elementary School
Hans Christian Andersen Elementary School
Harbor City Elementary School
Herbert C. Hoover Middle School
Heritage High School
Imperial Estates Elementary School
Indialantic Elementary School
James Madison Middle School
John F. Kennedy Middle School
John F. Turner, Sr. Elementary School
Jupiter Elementary School
Lewis Carroll Elementary School
Lockmar Elementary School
Longleaf Elementary School
Lyndon B. Johnson Middle School
Manatee Elementary School
Meadowlane Intermediate School
Meadowlane Primary
Melbourne High School
Merritt Island High School
Mila Elementary School
Mims Elementary School
North/Central Area Alternative Learning
Oak Park Elementary School
Ocean Breeze Elementary School
Palm Bay Elementary School
Palm Bay High School
Pinewood Elementary School
Port Malabar Elementary School
Quest Elementary School
Riverdale Country School
Riviera Elementary School

Rockledge High School
Ronald McNair Magnet Middle School
Roy Allen Elementary School
Sabal Elementary School
Satellite High School
Saturn Elementary School
Sculptor Elementary Charter School
Sea Park Elementary School
Sherwood Elementary School
South Area Abeyance Center
South Lake Elementary School
Southwest Middle School
Space Coast Jr./Sr. High School
Spessard L. Holland Elementary School
Stevenson, Robert Lewis Elementary School
Stone Middle School
Sunrise Elementary School
Suntree Elementary School
Surfside Elementary School
Theodore Roosevelt Elementary School
Thomas Jefferson Middle School
Titusville High School
Tropical Elementary School
University Park Elementary School
Viera Elementary School
Viera High School
West Melbourne Elementary School for Science
West Shore Jr/Sr High School
Westside Elementary School
Williams, Ralph Elementary School

A la carte items will continue to be available for purchase in the cafeteria.

Meals will also be distributed curbside for children ages 18 and younger who are not attending school in-person, including e-Learners, virtual students, and children not of school age. Under SFSP, parents may pick up meals at any meal distribution site. Meal distribution will be on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at all schools with the exception of the following: Clearlake BLAST, Educational Horizons Charter, Fieldston Prep, North/Central Abeyance, Riverdale, Sculptor Charter and South Abeyance. Parents may pick-up for children that are unable to accompany them provided they present a form of each child's identification such as a student id or birth certificate.

Please be advised that this is a temporary flexibility. Therefore, it is important that Brevard Public School (BPS) families interested in meal benefits for their children apply for Free and Reduced priced

meals now if they haven't done so already. Upon expiration of this meal flexibility, the schools listed above will transition back to the National School Lunch Program (NSLP). Under the NSLP, breakfasts will continue to be offered at no charge, and lunch prices will be based on student status. Free and Reduced Price Meal Applications can be completed online at www.brevardschools.org/page/3473.

BPS and the Office of Food and Nutrition Services is pleased to be able to offer continuity of meals to help alleviate food insecurity for our community during the pandemic.

