

What to Expect from the Boyd County Food Service Department - UPDATED

As a result of COVID-19, Boyd Co. Food Service has experienced many changes and continues to evolve as we maneuver through these challenging times. We want to keep parents informed of these revisions as they occur. The USDA governs all local school nutrition programs and sets guidelines we must follow. Currently as a result of lifted restrictions, we are implementing the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) which is very different than the National School Breakfast and Lunch Program we typically follow during a “normal” school year. Below you will find information pertaining to our cafeterias and meal service for the re-opening of school. The Food Service Department will:

Follow required meal patterns for the program in place.	Follow guidelines provided by the KY Dept. of Ed, KY Public Health Org., & Local Health Dept.
Follow Healthy at School Protocol.	Install plastic shields in the cafeteria areas.
Enhance sanitation in ALL areas and equipment.	Eliminate self-serve stations and share tables.

ORANGE

Traditional Students

FREE Grab-N-Go Breakfast will be given to Students as they enter the buildings and go immediately to their assigned AA/Homeroom.

FREE Hot lunch will be served in the cafeteria and Students must wear their mask when going through the line. Plastic shields have been installed on the tables in each cafeteria and once seated the student may remove their mask to eat.

Elementary Schools - On Tuesday the student will receive a shelf-stable* breakfast and lunch for their Wednesday NTI day.

Middle & High School – On Tuesday the students attending Mon/Tue will receive 3 shelf-stable* breakfasts and lunches for their Wed-Fri NTI days. On Friday the students attending Thur/Fri will receive 3 shelf-stable* breakfasts and lunches for their Mon-Wed NTI days.

Virtual Academy (VA) Students

Parents/Guardians will be able to **pick-up** 5 breakfasts and 5 lunches for their Virtual Academy students only on Wednesdays at one of our school locations from 11:00-1:00. The food will contain a variety of hot/cold items and directions for re-heating or refrigerating will be included.

Community

We remain committed to providing meals for the students in our community during this difficult time. Parents/Guardians will be able to **pick-up** meal boxes for their children not enrolled in school only on Wednesdays at Boyd Co High School from 11:00-1:00.

RED – Hybrid with some students attending in-person

Traditional Students attending school in-person

FREE Grab-N-Go Breakfast will be given to Students as they enter the buildings and go immediately to their assigned AA/Homeroom.

FREE Hot lunch will be served in the cafeteria and Students must wear their mask when going through the line. Plastic shields have been installed on the tables in each cafeteria and once seated the student may remove their mask to eat.

ALL Schools – On Tuesday the students attending Mon/Tue will receive 3 shelf-stable* breakfasts & lunches for their Wed-Fri NTI days. On Friday the students attending Thur/Fri will receive 3 shelf-stable* breakfasts & lunches for their Mon-Wed NTI days.

Traditional Students NOT attending school in-person & Community

We remain committed to providing meals for the students in our community during this difficult time. Parents/Guardians will be able to **pick-up** 5 breakfasts and 5 lunches for Traditional Students not attending in-person and for their children not enrolled in school on Wednesdays only at Boyd Co High School from 11:00-1:00.

Virtual Academy (VA) Students Parents/Guardians will be able to **pick-up** 5 breakfasts and 5 lunches for their VA students on Wednesdays only at one of our school locations from 11:00-1:00. This will be a variety of hot/cold items and directions for re-heating or refrigerating will be included.

RED – NO Students attending in-person

All meals will be delivered via Boyd Co School buses to approved bus stop locations. Parents & Community may sign up children 18 and under on the Boyd Co District website. No meal pick-ups at the schools will be available during this time.

When students attend school in-person, select Ala Carte items will be available for purchase during lunch only. Parents are encouraged to add money to their students account on-line using My School Bucks but cash will also be accepted.

*Shelf-Stable meals contain items that are not temperature sensitive and are able to survive long periods on home/store shelves without spoiling. Directions for heating or refrigerating before consuming will be included if necessary.

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