

# NEW MILFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The following is an important message from the Food and Nutrition Services Department regarding school meals.

Through a recent amendment to a United States Department of Agriculture regulation, **BEGINNING DECEMBER 1<sup>st</sup>, New Milford Public Schools will be offering lunch at NO COST to ALL students K – 12 for the remainder of the 23 - 24 school year.**

As you are aware, school breakfast has been available at no cost to all students K-12 since the beginning of this school year and will also continue through June 2024.

**Please note: students are entitled to one free breakfast and one free lunch daily. Second lunches, a la carte snacks and a la carte beverages are available for a cost. Please be sure to have funds in your students account for these types of purchases.**

**Additionally, if your student's meal account is presently in the negative, we are asking for your prompt payment to the cafeteria. Although lunch is free for all students beginning on December 1, it is the responsibility of families to pay for any lunch debt accumulated before December 1.**

If you have deposited funds in your child's lunch account for this year, those funds will roll over to next year, or they can be used to purchase snacks this year, or you can get a refund by calling the number below.

If you have any questions, please call the Food and Nutrition Services Department at 860-354-3712.

Sincerely,

Sandra Sullivan, RD, CD-N