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Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 assures handicapped students access to school meal service, even if special meals are needed because of their handicap.

“Handicapped student” means any student who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, has a record of such impairment, or is regarded as having such impairment.

If special meals are needed and requested, certification from a medical doctor must (1) verify that special meals are needed because of the handicap, and (2) prescribe the alternate foods and forms needed.

Completion of the following by a student’s doctor will provide the necessary certification:

NAME OF STUDENT FOR WHOM SPECIAL MEALS ARE REQUESTED:

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**Foods Prescribed** **Form Allowed (e.g. fresh, baked, ground,**

**blended, etc.**

**Meat & Meat Alternative**

**Milk & Milk Products-list any**

**alternative**

**Bread & Cereal-list any alternative**

**Fruits & Vegetables-list any alternative**

**Other Dietary Information & Directions- (list any foods to be avoided.)**

***I certify that the above mentioned student is in need of special school meals prepared from the above-indicated foods and forms because of a handicap.***

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**Physician’s Signature**