



Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am hopeful that the information below will better explain our charging policy. Please know that I am available to review your child's account history with you and/or set up payment arrangements if necessary. Please feel free to contact me at hplourde@eastconn.org or 860-455-1552.

Breakfast:

It has been the policy of EASTCONN Food Services to provide **One Free Reimbursable Breakfast** to all students in our program regardless of their eligibility, as we feel that this service is a benefit to the students and families. The cost of a Second Breakfast is \$1.75 and this may not be charged to an account with a negative balance. If you do not want them to charge against their positive balance, please let us know so we may make a note on your child's account. Please know that if a child is still hungry, they are always able to grab an extra fruit or vegetable at no cost.

Lunch:

We will allow a child, with a negative balance, to charge **One Reimbursable School Lunch** per day on their account, as we feel that it is important that all children have access to lunch. The purchase for a Second Lunch is \$3.00 and cannot be charged to an account with a negative balance. If you do not want your child to charge a school lunch, or if you do not want your child to receive a second lunch, please send in a note or contact me directly so we may make a note on your child's account. Please know that if a child is still hungry, they are always able to grab an extra fruit or vegetable at no cost.

A la Carte:

Milk is \$.60, unless it is accompanied with a reimbursable meal. If your child qualifies for free or reduced meals, but brings a lunch from home, please be aware that this does not include milk on its own.

Bottled water and snacks are considered A la Carte items and must be purchased with cash. If you want your child to be able to charge A la Carte items, please send in a note or contact me directly so we may make a note on your child's account. Students will not be permitted to charge A la Carte items if their account has a negative balance even if they have parental permission.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. It is important for the overall success of our program that we do our best to be sure that all accounts are in good standing.

Warm Regards,

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