

Update April 1, 2020

Dear Lodi Families,

The School District of Lodi has been providing free bag meals during the mandated COVID-19 school closure. To reduce exposure for our employees and to adhere to Governor Tony Ever's "Safer at Home" mandate, the School District of Lodi has made the decision to offer the pick up of meals only on Mondays and Wednesdays from 11:00 -11:30 a.m. Children **WILL** continue to be offered the same number of meals each week, the only change is the number of days for pick up, which will be Mondays and Wednesdays for the entire week. We hope this new schedule will be more convenient for families.

NEW PICK UP DAYS - MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS Starting the week of **APRIL 13**, 2020

On Mondays, the grab-and-go bags will contain 2 breakfasts and lunches (for Monday and Tuesday meals)

On Wednesdays, the bags will contain 3 breakfasts and lunches. (for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday meals)

They are free to all children in the household regardless of your child's eligibility for free/reduced meals or school district attendance. The meals will meet USDA nutrition guidelines but are not guaranteed to be allergy, gluten, or dairy free. Any child in your household 18 years of age or younger is eligible to receive one lunch and breakfast for Monday through Friday. Staff will ask what school your child attends. Please only pick up one meal per child in the household. For planning purposes, the district is requesting families pre-order the number of meals they will be needing for each day per week. **Meals should be ordered no later than Thursday at 4:00 pm for the following week.** (Example: requests for the week of April 13 must be made no later than Thursday, April 9 by 4:00 pm.)

There are three ways to place an order for bag meals:

1. Go to this link: [eekly reservationFree bag meals w](#) and fill in the details requested. This link is available 24/7 and is accessible through the district [website](#).
2. If you do not have internet access, you may call 608-592-3855 ext. 1017. Please leave a message indicating how many breakfast/lunch bags PER day for the entire week and the location of pick-up.
3. Email: rippkar@lodischoolswi.org

Orders will be ready for pick up between 11:00 to 11:30 a.m. **Monday** and **Wednesday** at the following locations

Lodi High School 1100 Sauk Street Lodi or Lodi Elementary/OSC School 101 School Street Lodi

Please do not exit your vehicle. Delivery will be drive-thru style, and you will select off a cart. We are not offering a menu choice. They will come "as is," utilizing the products we have available. Current supplies will dictate the menu. While every effort will be made to provide meals to all participants, supplies may be limited. This service may be altered or suspended as mandated by the USDA/DPI School Nutrition Programs. Stay current on updates by visiting the district's website frequently.

If you have any questions, please contact the Food Service Administrative Assistant, Karen Ripp at (608) 592-3855 ext.1017 or email: rippkar@lodischoolswi.org or Director of Food Service at (608) 592-3853 ext. 4433 or email: larrapa@lodischoolswi.org

Sincerely,

Paula Larrabee, Food Service Director
School District of Lodi