



GSA Food Services
MEAL PLAN PROGRAM
2022 - 2023

ACTION REQUIRED

Introducing...

School lunch is critical to student health and well-being. At George Stevens Academy, we continue to evaluate our processes and are excited to introduce our new Meal Plan program.

Overview...

Starting this year, GSA Food Services encourages all students to participate in the Meal Plan. The optional Meal Plan was established to encourage daily lunch consumption and reduce the administrative work for students, parents, guardians, and GSA. The Meal Plan assumes that each student will eat lunch five days a week. The Meal Plan is purchased at the beginning of each quarter.

The cafeteria process...

Each student will enter a personal identification number ("PIN") on an iPad before each lunch. This simple task will eliminate the need to stand in line for a cashier as well as increase time for eating. The PIN will be linked to a Meal Plan price reduction program, if applicable.

Although cash will still be accepted for lunch, GSA encourages the use and support of the Meal Program.

The cost...

The lunch cost for the first quarter is \$195.

For families that qualify, subsidized Meal Plan options are available. For more information or to discuss subsidized Meal Plans, please contact Brock Muir, Director of Finance and Operations.

Questions and answers...

Can my student pay with cash? Although GSA strongly promotes the Meal Plan program, individuals can still pay with cash.

What if my student misses a lunch, can I get a refund? No. The Meal Plan is a "use it or lose it" program.

Can my student charge a snack at the cafeteria? Snacks can be purchased with cash. No charges.

Action Required

Please create/use the lunchtime portal in Powerschool to pay for lunch charges. (Instructions are enclosed.)

Additional questions?

Please direct any questions or concerns to Brock Muir, Director of Finance and Operations

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