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Good evening,

Aramark's Food Services continue as normal in the Secondary School, where meals that qualify as a complete meal are free and a la carte food items such as paninis are available for purchase.

During the network disruption, the staff is maintaining manual records of each student purchase, which will be recorded in the point of sale system (POS) and charged against the student's account when the POS is once again accessible. We currently do not have access to student account balances in the POS, as it is not operational at this time.

We have noticed that, since the disruption, several students have been making unusual requests for bulk purchases of snack items (e.g. multiple bags of Doritos, chips, cookies) and beverages.

To prevent a "surprise" bill to parents for these bulk purchases and the potential for a shortages of snacks and beverages in the later lunch periods, students have been asked to limit the purchase of snacks and beverages to one item in each category of snack/beverage. For example,

- One beverage (e.g. bottled water, Izzie drink)
- One salty snack (e.g. chips)
- One sweet snack (e.g. cookies, ice cream)

Please be assured that this does not apply to complete meals (main course, fruit, vegetables, juice, milk), which continue to be free and the purchase of a la carte lunch offerings.

As always, students may refill their water bottles at any of the many filtered water stations located throughout the Secondary School.

Once the network disruption is resolved, the limits will be discontinued. Thank you for your understanding.

Sincerely,

Kate Ruivo
Director
Aramark Food Services