

# The Paw Print



## Dates To Remember

- Dec 7-13 Book fair (PTO)
- Dec 10-14 Parent Elf gram sales  
(online or send in – end  
12/14p @ 5p) (PTO)
- Dec 14&15 Elf gram sales at lunch  
(PTO)
- Dec 13-17 Holiday spirit week (PTO)  
See page 5
- Dec 15 Holiday prize punch for  
Staff (PTO)
- Dec 15 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Orchestra  
Concert @ BCPA 7p-8:30p
- Dec 16 Elf grams pass out  
(PTO)
- Dec 20-Jan 2 NO SCHOOL -  
Winter Recess
- Jan 8 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup> Orchestra  
Concert @BCPA 9a-4p
- Jan 17 NO SCHOOL
- Jan 18 5<sup>th</sup> Gd Band Concert  
@Maltby 7-8:30p
- Jan 25 6<sup>th</sup> Gd Choir Musical  
@BCPA 7-9p
- Jan 26 6<sup>th</sup> Gd Choir Musical  
@BCPA 7-9p
- Feb 10 Band Solo & Duet  
Festival @ Maltby 6p-8p
- Feb 15 5<sup>th</sup> Gd Choir Concert  
@ Maltby 7p-8p
- Feb 17 5<sup>th</sup> Gd Choir Concert  
@ Maltby 7p-8p
- Mar 21 5<sup>th</sup> Gd Band Concert  
@Maltby 7-8:30p
- Mar 22 6<sup>th</sup> Gd Band Concert  
@Maltby 7-8:30p

Greetings Maltby Parents,

### Maltby Leadership...

Our very own Maltby Leadership Committee arranged for our homerooms to make thank you cards and care packages for our local Health Care Workers!!!! We also have made placemats to be delivered with our local Meals On Wheels! Thank you to our leadership students, Mrs. Storey and Mrs. Witte for arranging such a great give-back activities for our students!!

### BAS Pack of Dogs...

Our BAS therapy dogs will be making trips to Oxford Middle and High School this week, next week and after break to help the Oxford students, staff, and community in light of their recent tragedy.

### Messages for Students...

Parents please do your best to coordinate after-school arrangements with your child before they get to school. We are delivering an average of 10 messages a day to students at the end of the day which often means calling them out of class during what is already a busy time of the day. We certainly understand emergencies happen and students need to be notified of situations where they may need to be picked up vs. riding the bus and such. A great way to make sure your student knows the plan is to write it in your student's planner and review it with them in the morning. Our goal is the fewest interruptions possible to the school day. Yesterday we had 32 early dismissal phone calls for students between 1:45 and the end of the day- each one of those represents a phone call to that classroom to notify the student which can be an interruption in the lesson. Again, we certainly understand that appointments and early dismissals are necessary, we just ask that we all do our best to avoid early dismissal if possible. Thank you for your cooperation and efforts in this regard!

### Maltby Food Can Prix Food Fight...

We are wrapping up our annual Food Can Prix for Bountiful Harvest Food Bank this Friday! This is a great way to give our students the opportunity to serve their community and provide some much needed relief for Livingston County families during the Holiday Season!!

The winning Maltby classroom of the Food Can Prix gets to have their names on the Maltby trophy and keep it in their classroom for the remainder of the year AND gets to have a snowball fight (fake snowballs of course!) with Mr. Aten and Mr. Brenner!! Thanks to parent/ PTO volunteers Liz Johnson, Ginger Timney, Katie Tierney and several others for their hard work on this. It is great to see the students get excited about giving back to the community.

### Maltby Book Fair...

We are having an absolutely fantastic book fair this week thanks to our wonderful book fair volunteers. Thank you to Katie Tierney for organizing and running the book fair- it takes a lot of volunteer hours to make it as great as it is! We really enjoy seeing the students get excited over the book selections.

### Report Cards...

Report cards for the 1<sup>st</sup> trimester are going home this afternoon with students- please take a minute to review the report card and sign the envelope and have your Bullpup return it to their homeroom teacher. A copy of your student's NWEA Family Report is also included in the envelope- our Bullpups once again performed well ahead of the national averages with regards to Reading and Math and we are very proud of them!

### Cold Weather!!

As the temperature dips lower and lower please make sure your child is dressed for the cold weather. Our 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders have a 15-minute recess period and though they are always quite active, that is a long time to spend outside without a warm coat, hat, or gloves. We have too many students claiming their hoodies are "warm enough" so please make sure they are dressed for the weather. In the event the combination of temperature and wind-chill is 0 or below we do keep students in for recess and let them right into the building in the morning as they are dropped off by busses or parents. Thank you.

Thankful for Our Fantastic Maltby Bullpups!

Mr. Brenner

Mr. Aten



BRIGHTON BULLDOGS

We are...



Determination Optimism Generosity Solidarity

LEARNING FOR LIFE

**D**

Determination

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Optimism

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Generosity

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Solidarity

Liz Johnson – President; Kristin Cauchon & Ginger Timney – Co-VP's; Katie Tierney – Treasurer; Claire Reese - Secretary

# Attendance Information

If your student is going to be absent from school, please use our convenient twenty-four-hour absence call-in line **(810) 299-3688**.

- Please obtain a doctor's note to receive a medically excused absence.

- Please call when your student will be coming in late.

- You must call in each day that your child is absent.

- Please call no later than 9:00 a.m. on the day of the absence.

- Students arriving late to school should be dropped off at the flag pole door.

- **Do not** drive off until your student has rang the doorbell and is **inside** the building.

- Students arriving late to school **must** report to the office to sign in. **Parents do not need to come inside.**

- Please send in a note for early dismissal and have it signed by office personnel.

- Please call when you arrive and we will send your student out. You do not need to come in.

- **We will only allow students to be signed out by people who are listed on the emergency card.**

- If you need an in-person meeting with a Principal or with staff, we ask that you please call and make an appointment.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thank you.



**The PTO is a parent teacher organization where all Maltby parents are members. We welcome your ideas and participation!**

The PTO has had a very busy December with lots of fun events and opportunities for our staff, students, and community. The next PTO meeting is January 18<sup>th</sup>. We hope that you and your families have a happy and safe holiday. Thank you for all of your support and help and we look forward to seeing you in the new year!

## CAN PRIX FOOD FIGHT

The Can Food fight was a HUGE success. Maltby donated more than \$5,000 and 2 van loads of cans to Bountiful Harvest! We will find out on Monday if Mr. Aten has to shave his beard (but I think he should buy some shaving cream this weekend 😊)



The Winners of the Food Fight and the snowball fight with our Principals are.....

**O'Keefe - 4,258 pts**

**Shah - 3,625 pts**



Great job to the winners and thank you to all of you for your help and support. Bountiful Harvest was SO thankful when we dropped off. If you would like to help stock the shelves Bountiful Harvest would love the help. You can sign up here

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040a4cadaf2ba0f58-volunteer>

## ELF CANDY CANE SALES

These will be similar to the Boo grams we did at Halloween. Online sales begin today and end December 14th at 5pm. Please send cash into the office marked Elf gram or you can pay via Venmo or paypal at [maltbypto@yahoo.com](mailto:maltbypto@yahoo.com).

We need helpers to sell Elf candy canes at lunch on Tuesday December 14th and 15th. Please sign up below.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409044BAAAD2CA6F94-elfcandy>

## AMAZON SMILE SHOPPING

Anyone doing some online shopping this holiday season? Did you know you can earn 0.5% for our school with amazon purchases? Please consider adding Maltby PTO as your Amazon Smile charity. See below for the directions on this easy way to give back to our school with every purchase.

Thank you for all of your donations towards the Holiday Punch for the Maltby staff. We can't wait to show them some love next week before a much needed break!



## LAST DAY FOR BOOK FAIR.....12/13!

The book fair is coming to a close for Maltby December 13<sup>th</sup> (Monday!) and we think the kids have had a blast! Make sure to send your student to school with their Book Fair Money to be able to choose a book for themselves, a family member...or one out of their teacher's wish basket! The kids will be able to shop during their scheduled library day/time.

**Teacher Wish Lists** - We have the *best* Teachers and Staff here at Maltby Intermediate School! Let's show them how much we appreciate them by fulfilling their wish list items. If you are able to, please consider donating the items listed on the signup genius (it **will** be kept updated throughout the year, so check back often!)...many lists can be found on amazon or here locally in the community. **Don't forget to use Amazon Smile as a portion of the sales goes back to the PTO!**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ca4a82ea7fe3-maltby2>

**PTO Donations** - Please note that in lieu of selling products/merchandise, Maltby PTO will be accepting a \$25.00 per student (suggested donation) for the 2021-2022 school year to assist with all the activities and ways to support the school (students AND staff!) we have planned. We accept cash or checks (made out to Maltby PTO). Donations can also be made via [PayPal](https://www.paypal.com) to [maltbypto@yahoo.com](mailto:maltbypto@yahoo.com), or via [Venmo](https://venmo.com/MaltbyPTO) to @MaltbyPTO. **Thank you!**

For all the updated PTO info please join our Facebook page:



If you are not on Facebook and still want to stay connected with the PTO, please fill out the Google Form below to be added to our mailing list. Don't be scared...we won't make you volunteer! :)

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1gw0ctyKQ4NtQG8h9AfQr7J26glWnWRmOnoSLY1V6TCU/edit>

**Upcoming PTO Meeting Dates for the 2021-2022 school year...mark your calendars!**  
January 18<sup>th</sup>, February 15<sup>th</sup>, March 15<sup>th</sup>, April 19<sup>th</sup>, and May 17<sup>th</sup>.

**WE'RE HIRING**  
**APPLY TODAY!**  
 visit [BeABusDriver.org](http://BeABusDriver.org) or scan here

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**EDUCATIONAL SERVICE** Agency

**Competitive Wages**  
**Signing Bonus**  
**Quality PAID Training**

**Retirement Benefits**  
**Paid Holidays**  
**Flexible Schedule**

## Cell Phones at MIS

In accordance with the Brighton Area Schools Cell Phone policy, our students at MIS are permitted to bring their cell phones to school. We recognize the necessity and importance of family communication, but unfortunately ringing cell phones and the temptations of new games, cameras, and the technology that accompanies cell phones can present a distraction

for your student and/or others in their classes.

Therefore at MIS our students:  
Turn off cell phones at the beginning of the day and place them in their backpack. Refrain from texting friends or parents during school hours.  
Utilize the main office phone to contact parents in the event of an emergency.

We have had great success in keeping Maltby

a distraction-free learning environment by following these procedures. In addition, we ask that parents please refrain from calling or texting their student during the school day. Any messages of an emergency nature can be relayed to students through the front office at 810 299-3600. **Please call before 3:05pm to ensure your child receives the message!**

Thank you!



## The McKinney Vento Act

The Brighton Area Schools is part of a consortium to serve students in temporary living situations that provides financial support for educational needs, referral for housing, clothing and other needs, general support and technical assistance. To ensure compliance with federal law, all school staff must help identify student living in the following situations: emergency shelters/transitional housing, motels/hotels, car, parks or public spaces, shared housing due to a loss of housing or economic hardship, or living temporarily with non-parent or guardian.


The district's homeless liaison is Starr Acromite and each building has trained staff members to assist in the endeavor. Our consortium contact at the Livingston Educational Service Agency is Candice Uyttendaele.

Please contact your building principal or Starr Acromite at 810-299-4040 for information/assistance.



### MALTBY A/B CALENDAR 2021-2022

	Students and staff
	Staff only
	No School
	Half day



**Maltby 2021/2022  
DAILY SCHEDULE**

**First bell rings at 8:26am, Tardy bell 8:39am, End of day 3:27pm**

<p>H.R.-8:39-8:42</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> - 8:42-9:45</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> - 9:47-10:47</p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> - 10:50-11:50</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> - 1:25-2:25</p> <p>6<sup>th</sup> - 2:27-3:27</p>	<p><b>Lunches</b></p> <p><b>A- 11:50-12:25 (5<sup>th</sup>)</b> Krayner/Vuichard, Baravik/Carpenter, Bouhana/Ritter</p> <p><b>B- 11:55-12:30 (5<sup>th</sup>)</b> Dibble/Peters, Pinter/Gentle, Shah/Wolf, Rozanski/Lashbrook</p> <p><b>C- 12:35-1:10 (6<sup>th</sup>)</b> Bihlmeyer/Wilson, Eldred/Zalusky, Robertson/Worthing, Lapshan/Caldwell</p> <p><b>D- 12:40-1:15 (6<sup>th</sup>)</b> Emmorey/Witte, Held/Brown, O'Keefe/Kiefer</p>
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\*schedule could change as needed.

## BAS Superintendent's Newsletter

Brighton Area Schools  
2021-22 Calendar

**December 2021**

M	T	W	T	F
29	30	1 B	2 A	3 B
6 A	7 B	8 A	9 B	10 A
13 B	14 A	15 B	16 A	17 A
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

**January 2022**

M	T	W	T	F
3 A	4 B	5 A	6 B	7 A
10 B	11 A	12 B	13 A	14 B
17	18 A	19 B	20 A	21 B
24 A	25 B	26 A	27 B	28 A
31 B				

**February 2022**

M	T	W	T	F
31	1 A	2 B	3 A	4
7 B	8 A	9 B	10 A	11 B
14 A	15 B	16 A	17 B	18 A
21 B	22 A	23 B	24 A	25 B
28 A				

**March 2022**

M	T	W	T	F
28	1 B	2 A	3 B	4 A
7	8 B	9 A	10 B	11 A
14 B	15 A	16 B	17 A	18 B
21 A	22 B	23 A	24 B	25 A
28	29	30	31	

**April 2022**

M	T	W	T	F
28	29	30	31	1
4	5 B	6 A	7 B	8 A
11 B	12 A	13 B	14 A	15
18 B	19 A	20 B	21 A	22 B
25 A	26 B	27 A	28 B	29 A

Full Student days      No School for Students

**January 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

1/3 Return from Holiday Break  
1/17 No School - MLK Day  
1/28 end semester 1 (7-12)

**March 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

3/4 End of Trimester 2 (JK-6)  
3/7 No School (Records Day/PD)  
3/28-4/1 Spring Break

**May 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

5/30 No School - Memorial Day

**December 2021**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

12/20-1/2 Holiday Break

**February 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

2/4 No School (Records Day/PD)

**April 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

4/4 No School (Records Day/Comp)  
4/8 End of quarter 3 (7-12)  
4/15 No School (Good Friday)

**June 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat.
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

6/15 Half Day - Student Last Day\*

\*Last day could be altered if required by the State due to snow days

A=5th Grade Year Long Encore  
& 6th Grade Trimester Encore

B = 6th Grade Year Long Encore  
& 5th Grade Trimester Encore



*(FROM BHS LEADERSHIP)*

## **2021 Operation: Christmas Wishes**

Please click the link for a message from BHS Leadership regarding this worthwhile fundraiser!

<https://youtu.be/s5sBw3dLEtE>

We are so excited for the 3rd annual Operation: Christmas Wishes!

This year the Brighton High School leadership class is partnering with the Yoga Strong Foundation to provide hats, gloves and a wish list gift to all the kids at Ford Early Learning Center in Ypsilanti. Ford ELC is a Title 1 school with 90% being low income and 10% homeless. We have set a budget of \$40 per kid. There are 309 kids which brings our fundraising goal to \$12,360. We have two weeks to fundraise, shop, wrap and deliver the gifts! We thank you for your support!

<https://gofund.me/f03e8080>

**BYBSP 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Hitting Clinic 2022**  
**w/ Coach Christner, Brighton Varsity Baseball Coach, and Staff**

*January 8, 15, 22, 29*  
*February 5, 12, 19, 26*  
*March 5, 12*

Players will learn the fundamentals of hitting from Coach Christner, the Varsity baseball coach, and his coaches. This year's clinic will be available to anyone interested in grades 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>. The clinics will take place on Saturdays at Maltby Intermediate School. Sessions are listed below. Each session is 40 minutes and will have a maximum of 6 players. There will be 2-4 coaches at each session, so your son will receive a great deal of one on one coaching during their session. You may sign your son up for as many Saturdays as you would like. We are looking forward to working with your son to improve their hitting this winter.

**Ages:** Grades 2-8

**Time:** Forty-minute sessions each Saturday morning

**9-9:40, 9:40-10:20, 10:20-11, 11-11:40**

**Dates:** January 8, 15, 22, 29, February 5, 12, 19, 26, March 5, 12

**Cost:** \$20 per session

**Location:** Maltby Intermediate School

**Equipment:** bat, helmet, batting gloves, and athletic wear.

**Contact:** Coach Christner, if you have any questions at [ChristC@brightonk12.com](mailto:ChristC@brightonk12.com)  
Please email the completed form below to Coach Christner at the above email in order reserve a spot in the clinic. You can mail the check/cash to Coach Christner at 5540 N. Nicholson Rd. Fowlerville, MI 48836. **Checks need to be made out to BYBSP.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Select the session your son will be attending (**Note: if session is already full, I will let you know of other session openings**)

9-9:40 \_\_\_\_\_ 9:40-10:20 \_\_\_\_\_ 10:20-11 \_\_\_\_\_ 11-11:40 \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday(s) you'd like to register:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Campers must provide their own insurance. I hereby authorize the Brighton Boys Baseball Youth Camp personnel to act for me according to their judgment in any emergency requiring medical attention for my child.*

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Insurance \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

*I don't hold the personnel, Brighton Area Schools or anyone associated with the Brighton Baseball Youth Camp responsible for any injury occurring to my child while under their direction.*

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# BRIGHTON AREA SCHOOLS

## STUDENT NUTRITION DEPARTMENT

### NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

### ALL ENROLLED STUDENTS GET FREE MEALS

We are pleased to inform you that **Brighton Area Schools** will be participating in the Seamless Summer Option as part of the National School Lunch and School Breakfasts for the school year 2021-22.

ALL STUDENTS ENROLLED in our schools can receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at NO CHARGE daily.

We still need your household to fill out and sign the Free and Reduced-Meal Price Application. This information is critical in determining the amount of money that our schools receive from a variety of State and Federal supplemental programs.

These supplemental programs have the potential to offer supports and services for our students including, but not limited to:

- Pandemic-EBT
- Reduced cost for standardized and college testing
- Grants for classrooms
- Non-instructional services (counseling, social work, health services, etc.)
- Parent and Community engagement supplies and activities
- Technology

Please complete an online application at: <https://sisweb.resa.net/MISTAR/Brighton/>, click **APPLY FOR FREE LUNCH** to ensure that additional funding for our schools is available to meet the needs of our students.

Menu information can be found at <https://brightonareaschools.nutrislice.com> Students can only receive one free breakfast and lunch daily

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## December 2021

## Maltby Intermediate

## Lunch

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		<b>1</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Beef Nachos and • Broccoli Floret and • Diced Mixed Fruit Maltby Only • Peach Cup	<b>2</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Mini Pancakes • Sausage Patty with • Sun Splash Juice Box and • Sliced Apples	<b>3</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Hot Dog on a Whole Grain Bun with • Baby Carrots and • Valencia Oranges
<b>6</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Domino's Pepperoni Pizza or • Domino's Cheese Pizza with • Grape Tomato and • Sliced Apples	<b>7</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Mac & Cheese with • Broccoli Floret • Ranch Lite Dressing cup and Assorted Fruit	<b>8</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Reduced Fat Doritos on the go with • Baby Carrots and • Diced Peaches Maltby only • Peach Cup	<b>9</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Pillsbury Whole Grain Mini Waffles • Turkey Sausage Breakfast Link with • Sun Splash Juice Box and • Sliced Apples	<b>10</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Chicken Tenders • Pretzel Rod with • Baby Carrots and • Valencia Oranges
<b>13</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Domino's Cheese Pizza or • Domino's Pepperoni Pizza with • Grape Tomato and • Sliced Apples	<b>14</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Chicken Sandwich on whole grain bun with • Broccoli Floret and • Ranch Lite Dressing cup and Assorted Fruit	<b>15</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Whole Grain Bosco Cheese Breadstick with • Baby Carrots and • Diced Peaches in Juice Maltby only • Peach Cup	<b>16</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Pillsbury Whole Grain Mini Waffles • Turkey Sausage Breakfast Link with • Sun Splash Juice Box and • Sliced Apples	<b>17</b> Lunch menu published weekly • Hot Dog on a Whole Grain Bun with • Baby Carrots and • Valencia Oranges
<b>20</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>21</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>22</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>23</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>24</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School
<b>27</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>28</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>29</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>30</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School	<b>31</b> Holiday Break, 2021/2022 - No School

Ice -Cold Milk (included with all meals): Prairie Farms 1% Chocolate Milk, Prairie Farms 1% White Milk, Prairie Farms Fat Free Milk

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For meals not currently listed on the dates above or for nutritional values, please visit:

[December Lunch Menu - Maltby Intermediate School](#)

For the 2021-22 Free & Reduced Application Packet, please visit:

<https://www.brightonk12.com/Page/7665>