

Message from the Valley child nutrition department

- We firmly believe that nutritious school meals are valuable to the ongoing success and well-being of all children. Some parents are opting out of school meals in fear of taking away meals from needy children.

Their misconception is that their participation is an added financial strain on the school nutrition operation when just opposite is the case.

- You are not “taking this benefit away” from anyone else. Meals are funded by USDA.
- Free meals will help you stretch your own household food budget. Think of the money you’ll save.
- School meals are time-saving and convenient.
- School meals deliver nutrition, taste and fun.

Every meal counts! Your family’s participation is crucial to helping keep our program financially solvent, which will allow us to continue to provide meals to your children, as well as those who need them most.

If you have a home schooled student and want them to receive school lunch simply drop by the school from 12:30 -1:00 p.m. Go to the back door between the gyms and pick up your meals. A call to the food service department 208-829-4107 would be helpful but is not necessary. Whether your student is home schooled or at school everyone eats free!

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