



CHILD NUTRITION SERVICES

NEWSLETTER

FREE MEALS

All KPS students are eligible for FREE Breakfast and Lunch during the 2023-2024 school year, when class is in session.



NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST + LUNCH PROGRAMS

Our lunch program offers a variety of hot and cold entrees, along with fresh fruit and vegetables. Lunch includes entree of lean protein, whole grains, fruit, vegetable and 1% or nonfat milk.

For the meal to be reimbursable it must include 3 components, of which one must be a fruit or vegetable.

A great way to remember is "Three and it's FREE!"

Help support KPS students by completing this brief household survey!



DID YOU KNOW...
On average, 9,000 - 10,000 meals are served by the KPS Child Nutrition Services staff in PER DAY?!





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NEW THIS YEAR!

We've developed a core menu for elementary, middle and high school which will be offered **DAILY IN ADDITION** to the two menu entrees.



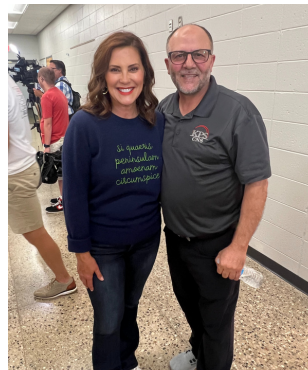
BREAKFAST BITES

Data exists to show that students who eat school breakfast attend 1.5 more school days per year. It also shows that students who eat school breakfast achieve 17.5% higher standardized math scores.

More attendance and higher math scores increases the likelihood of graduating high school by 20%. And high school graduates, on average, earn \$10,000 more annually!

DID YOU KNOW...

Gretchen Whitmer, the Governor of Michigan visited Endeavor to support free breakfast and lunch for all Michigan public schools



Kentwood Child Nutrition Services Department is honored to "feed the future". We invite you to contact us at:

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with any questions, suggestions or compliments!