



Sumner Bonney Lake School District
Meal Site Information – September 2020

On August 31, 2020 the U.S. Department of Agriculture authorized a waiver for the first few months of school that allows school districts to serve meals to any child age 18 or under for FREE! This is a continuation of the emergency feeding program that was launched when schools closed in March and continued through the summer months.

When Distance Learning begins **September 8th**, our Grab and Go Curbside meal service will be available Monday through Friday on scheduled school days. Meal pickup will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. One lunch and one breakfast will be packaged together. Here are some details:

- Meal service is available for **FREE to all children aged 18 or under**. The child does NOT need to be an enrolled student and names do not need to be provided.
- Parents and guardians may pick up meals without children present. They simply need to let the Child Nutrition staff distributing the meals know that they are picking up for children at home.
- Meals can be picked up from any site below.

Curbside Grab and Go Meal Sites (Monday – Friday, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.):

Bonney Lake Elementary	Emerald Hills Elementary	Mountain View Middle
Daffodil Valley Elementary	Liberty Ridge Elementary	Sumner Middle
Donald Eismann Elementary	Lakeridge Middle	Sumner High

Free or Reduced-Price Meal Applications:

Although qualification for Free or Reduced-Price meals is not needed to obtain free meals when school begins, that could change later this fall so it is a good idea to update your application from last year or apply if you feel your family would qualify. It also may provide your children reduced fees or other benefits. Please apply online through Family Access or pick up an application at a meal service site. Students who were directly certified for free or reduced-price meals based on Basic Food, TANF, FDIPR or Medicaid will have a notification letter mailed home to their parent/guardian by August 31st.

Pandemic EBT:

Did your child/children qualify for free or reduced-price meals in school year 2019-2020? If so, you are eligible for up to \$399 per child through the Pandemic EBT program. Those who have existing EBT cards would have already received this benefit, but those without an EBT card can apply at: <http://washingtonconnection.org> or by calling (877) 501-2233. The application deadline is September 11, 2020.

Questions? Call the Child Nutrition office at (253) 891-6450.

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