



Welcome to Husky Café!

Our Husky Café staff is excited to offer healthy and tasty meals for our students at North East Carolina Prep School! Meals, foods, and beverages sold or served at NECP adhere to state and federal requirements, based on the USDA and National School Lunch Program Dietary Guidelines. Our weekly menu is posted on the school website, <https://www.necprepschool.com>, as well as in the school newsletter, the Husky Happenings. Menus will also be posted on campus, in both cafeterias. PLEASE BE AWARE THAT MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO SUDDEN CHANGE.

Meal prices are \$1.50 for breakfast and \$3.00 for lunch. Students who qualify for **reduced** price meal benefits pay \$0.40 for lunch and breakfast is free. Applications for free and reduced price meal benefits are available in the cafeteria, and will be posted on the schools website.

AN APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT EVERY SCHOOL YEAR IN ORDER TO RECEIVE MEAL BENEFITS. If your family chooses to apply, please complete a Free and Reduced Meal Price Application Form. **Only complete one application per family.** The information you give will be used to determine or prove your child's eligibility for free or reduced priced meals. Applications can be returned to the school office, as well as directly to the NECP cafeteria. Until notification of receipt or denial of benefits, you must provide your child with a lunch or lunch money.

Even if your student will not be on campus, feel free to apply for lunch benefits. Eligibility for Free or Reduced lunch can lead to eligibility for other programs, and can be helpful in the college application process.

With the ongoing crisis, some changes in meal service will be made for the upcoming school year. Students will be eating in their classrooms, until further notice. Cafeteria staff will be providing meal service room to room, so student movement throughout the building can be limited. With the students eating in their classrooms, and following CDC guidelines, **they will NOT have access to MICROWAVE OVENS.** Sales of snack items will be paused for the time being.

Letters are sent home with students who have a negative balance on their lunch accounts, so please be aware of your child's balance. Payments can be made in the cafeteria, by cash or check. Online payments can be made at <https://www.k12paymentcenter.com>. K12 Payment Center now features an app, available on the iTunes Store and Google Play.

For any further questions or concerns, please contact Child Nutrition Director Doug Huff at huffd@necprepschool.

Thank you for your continued support of the child nutrition program at North East Carolina Prep School!

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