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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Elida Local Schools is pleased to announce that beginning Monday, September 14, 2020, all students attending school face-to-face will be served meals free of charge! USDA has announced the extension of the Summer Food Service Program. This program is scheduled to last through December 31, 2020. If the program's funds are depleted early, the USDA will notify us, and we will announce when meals will be going back to paid.

What does this mean for you and your kids?

All students on-site will be able to eat breakfast and lunch free of charge, with or without a Free and Reduced Meals application on file. Your student will be charged for a meal once the program ends, December 31, 2020 or upon USDA announcement.

This program applies to complete meals only. If a student chooses to purchase ala cart items, they need to bring cash and/or use their meal account.

Should you still fill out a Free and Reduced Meals Application?

We highly recommend that you fill out your application now. When funding does run out, all students with approved applications will continue to be served free and reduced price meals. If a student doesn't have a current application, they will be charged full price for the meals. In addition, students who apply and are approved as free can receive the instructional school fee waiver. If no application and waiver is on file, parents will be responsible for paying the instructional school fees.

Applications can be filled out online at www.payschoolscentral.com. You will need your child's student ID number to register.

If you have any questions, please contact Sara Newland at 419-331-4155 ext. 1244 or by emailing snewland@elida.k12.oh.us.

Sincerely,

Joel Mengerink
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