## EMERGENCY MEAL POLICY



ALL Grade Levels for 2019-2020 Meals- The emergency meal policy applies to reimbursable meals only.

Hamshire Fannett ISD knows that sometimes families forget lunch money. We have a plan to ensure that students can receive a meal during times when the child's meal account is low or negative. The Emergency Meal Policy applies to all grade levels. The emergency meal policy applies to breakfast & lunch meals. All HFISD students can eat breakfast and lunch, regardless of free, reduced or paid meal status.

## The Nutrition Services Department wants to:

- o Feed all students breakfast & lunch
- o Make sure that every student has a completed meal application on file.
- Ensure it is common knowledge that parents are responsible to pay for all breakfast/lunches eaten until their student is approved for free and/or reduced price meals.
- Notify families whose students have unpaid meal charges through phone calls, letters, email alerts and call-outs from the school staff and / or Nutrition Services staff.

## Policy for 2019-2020 School Year:

Students will be allowed to charge meals up to:

High School & Middle School - \$15.00 Intermediate School - \$25.00 Elementary School - \$25.00

- o No Ala Carte or second meals will be allowed to charge.
- An alternate meal will be provided to the student once they have reached the charge limit. The alternate lunch will be a sandwich, fruit and a juice/milk. If needed an alternate breakfast will be a pop tart and milk.
- The Child Nutrition Department will make every effort to notify the student and /or distribute the alternate meal prior to lunch time.
- o The student will be charged a lower meal price of \$1.50 for the meal since it will meet all requirements and be eligible for federal reimbursement.

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