

SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE CHARGED MEAL POLICY

It is the intent of the Bibb County School System to provide an opportunity for every student to eat a nutritious breakfast and lunch during the school day. It is also the intent of the Bibb County School System to comply with all federal program regulations pertaining to the National School Breakfast and National School Lunch Programs. Students must remit payment for meals at the time of service.

Students who have documented dietary needs will be given a meal that meets the nutritional guidelines and the specifications of their diet restrictions if an alternate meal is needed.

Uncollected charged meals are, in actuality, bad debts. Uncollected charged meals are not an allowable expenditure for the Child Nutrition Program. The Bibb County Board of Education is going to allow a maximum of three (3) charged meals per student. However, a nonpublic fund source must be established to cover any uncollected charges. It will be the responsibility of each individual school to see that these debts are paid by school year end. This charged meal policy is implemented for the benefit of students, not board employees. Adults are not allowed to charge.

SOURCE: Bibb County Board of Education Centreville, AL

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LEGAL REF: National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program; 2010 Dietary Guidelines for Americans