

COE Report
Food Service Department
June 2020

Current tasks:

- Vendor bid lists for SY 2020-2021
 - o Sending to EVCO, US Foods, Ben E. Keith but will likely only use two vendors (as I did last year)
- Pandemic-EBT
 - o The Pandemic-EBT provides funds for food equal to the value of the meals the child would have received at school. For children in households that already receive SNAP benefits, the additional P-EBT benefits will be added to their existing Kansas Benefits Card. For children who do not already receive SNAP, DCF will provide these children with Kansas Benefits Cards.
 - o An email was sent out to all families on free and reduced lunch offering them guidance on obtaining this benefit.
- Professional standards training
 - o KSDE Child Nutrition converted all summer training classes to online Zoom webinar; have been completing all trainings plus joining weekly "town hall" webinars to keep up to date on current recommendations and possible situations for the fall.

Looking ahead:

- I will have SY 20-21 Free and Reduced Lunch applications and updated food allergy forms from the state ready by July.
- There will be program agreement forms needing Mr. Hubka's signature next month. Reminder that we changed the "Authorized Representative" of the lunch program from the principal to Food Service Director in January so I am able to complete a lot more work on my own instead of it getting originally sent to Mr. H and then him having to forward on to me to complete.