

Fall 2020 NYC School Meals for Children, Families, and Adults

Beginning on September 29, 2020, free school meals will be served in the following ways:



On the Days Students are Learning in School

- Food is either delivered to classrooms or students can pick up food from meal stations throughout the building to take back to eat in their classrooms.
- Cafeterias are not being used to serve food or as places for students to sit and eat.
- Some schools are planning to use cafeterias and other common spaces as classrooms.



Take-out Meals for Children and Their Families

Most of the DOE's 1,400 school buildings will be serving take-out meals for all children and other members of the household.

- No registration, ID, or documentation is required to pick up meals.
- Take-out meal service is available Monday–Friday, 9AM–12PM.
- Three meals per household member, per day – a breakfast and two lunches.
- Meals are available for all children, whether or not they are enrolled in a school.
- Students, parents/guardians, siblings, friends or even neighbors can pick up take-out meals at convenient sites.
- Take-out meals are available for families even when children are learning in school.

Families *do not* need to register for take-out meals at this time.

- Families with children can pick up meals from any school providing take-out meals, and no ID, documentation, or registration is required.
- Adults who are picking up take-out meals for their children can pick up meals for themselves and other household members at the same location and time.



Grab-and-Go Meals for Adult-Only Households

Meals for households with no children will be available at about 200 sites across NYC.

- No registration, ID, or documentation is required to pick up meals.
- Meals are available Monday–Friday, 3 PM–5 PM.
- Three meals are provided, per person per day.
- Site locations are determined by community need based on:
 - Grab-and-go data since March 2020, and
 - The City's home delivered meals program.

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