

# MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: OPERATIONS

TITLE: FOOD SERVICES

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808. FOOD SERVICES	
<p>1. Purpose</p>	<p>The Board recognizes that students require adequate, nourishing food and beverages in order to grow, learn and maintain good health. The Board directs that students shall be provided with adequate space and time to eat meals during the school day.</p>
<p>2. Authority SC 504, 1335, 1337  SC 504</p>	<p>The Board shall provide food service for lunch at the middle/senior high school.</p> <p>Food sold by the school may be purchased by students and district employees but only for consumption on school premises and at the greatest price charged a student plus an amount representing the portion of the cost paid from local, state and federal assistance.</p>
<p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p>The operation and supervision of the food services program shall be the responsibility of the Business Administrator or his/her designee.</p>
<p>4. Guidelines SC 504, 1337  35 P.S. Sec. 655.6 7 CFR Sec. 246.24  Pol. 246</p>	<p>The cafeterias are to be operated on a nonprofit basis. A periodic review of the cafeteria accounts shall be made by the Business Administrator and/or auditor.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall comply with state and federal requirements for conducting cafeteria health and safety inspections and ensuring employee participation in appropriate inspection services and training programs.</p> <p>To reinforce the district's nutrition education program, foods served in school cafeterias shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Be carefully selected to contribute to students' nutritional well-being and health, and complies with the district's Wellness Policy 246.</li> <li>2. Meet nutritional standards specified in laws and regulations.</li> <li>3. Be prepared by methods that will retain nutritive quality, appeal to students, and foster lifelong healthy eating habits.</li> </ol>

<p>SC 504</p>	<p>4. Be served in age-appropriate quantities, at reasonable prices.</p>
<p>7 CFR Sec. 245.1-245.13</p>	<p>Surplus accounts shall be used only for the improvement and maintenance of the food service program.</p>
	<p>All funds derived from the operation, maintenance or sponsorship of the food service facilities shall be deposited in the Food Service Account, a special bank account, in the same manner as other funds belonging to the school district. Such funds shall be expended in such manner as may be approved and directed by the Board, but no amount shall be transferred from the Food Services Account to any other account or fund, except that district advances to the food services program may be returned to the district's general fund from any surplus resulting from its operation.</p>
	<p><u>Free/Reduced-Price Meals</u></p>
	<p>The district shall provide free and reduced-price meals and milk to students in accordance with terms of the National School Lunch and National Breakfast Programs.</p>
	<p>The district shall inform parents/guardians of the eligibility standards for free and reduced-price meals.</p>
	<p>Reasonable efforts shall be made to provide equal treatment for and protect the identity of students receiving free or reduced-price meals.</p>
	<p>A parent/guardian shall have the right to appeal a decision regarding his/her application for free or reduced-price food services to the Superintendent.</p>
	<p>References:</p>
	<p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 504, 1335, 1337</p>
	<p>Public Eating Places – 35 P.S. Sec. 655.6</p>
	<p>Child Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act of 2004 – P.L. 108-265</p>
	<p>School Lunch and Breakfast Programs – 42 U.S.C. Sec. 1751-1769h, 1773</p>
	<p>National Food Service Programs, Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations – 7 CFR Sec. 210.1-210.31, 220.1-220.21, 245.1-245.13, 246.24</p>
	<p>Board Policy – 246</p>