



# St. Vincent De Paul Parish School

## Cafeteria Information

We strive to provide our students with a healthy and delicious lunch each day, and to stay cost-effective.

Hot lunch tray – which includes white or chocolate milk is \$13.75 per week or \$2.75 per day

Milk-only - for students who are packing their lunch is \$2.50 per week.

Extra milk may be ordered by including \$2.50 per week and marking your child's envelope for extra milk (specify white or chocolate.)

## Here's how to order a delicious lunch for your child!

**YOU MAY CHOOSE WHICH DAYS OF THE WEEK YOU WOULD LIKE TO BUY THE HOT LUNCH!**  
**AND EACH FAMILY CAN SEND IN ONE ENVELOPE WITH ONE PAYMENT!**

- Your lunch order and payment are due on the first day of the school week - one envelope/check per family is fine. Please do not include tuition or Aftercare payments with your lunch money - those are separate bank accounts.
- Please send your child(ren's) lunch money in an **envelope**. Each lunch is \$2.75 per day or \$13.75 per week, per child
- Please **clearly mark the front of the envelope** with each of your children's names and grades and indicate which days your child will be wanting the hot lunch tray. For example:

Smith Family  
Sarah, Grade 2 - Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
John, Grade 7 - Monday -Friday  
\$ Amount enclosed

- Every Thursday will be **Salad Bar Day** and every Friday will be **Pizza Day!** The students will LOVE these fun days every week - and we will still be following the nutrition guidelines of the National School Lunch Program!
- *We'd Like your HELP!* If you are able, please consider volunteering to help us serve lunch in the cafeteria for an hour (11 a.m. - Noon) any day of the week! It's a great way to see the kids, meet some other parents, and have fun! You can commit to any day, of any week, as many times a month as you'd like! Call Marimargaret Roberts at 330-762-5912 or email at [mroberts@stvincentchurch.com](mailto:mroberts@stvincentchurch.com).

## Free or Reduced-price lunches and milk:

Applications from the State of Ohio to receive Free or Reduced lunches will be sent home in September. If you received free or reduced lunches last year, we will assume that you still qualify until the new applications are received and you re-apply for the program. In order for your child(ren) to receive lunch/milk throughout the year: You must send in an envelope/written note each week to order your child's lunches or milk-only for the week just like all of the students in the school. This is the only way we have to know whether or not to include your child in the count for the week, and is the way we get reimbursement from the state for your child. Please follow these simple procedures so that we can continue to provide this service.

## **PRE-PAYMENT OPTION!**

If you are certain that your child(ren) will be hot lunch buyers every school day you have the option to pre-pay half of the school year, or the whole school year, in advance . **Please send in your prepayment fees in an envelope marked "Lunch Program – Attn. Mrs. Belair". Please include a note with your preference and child(ren)'s name/grade(s).**

**If you prefer, you may stop in the school office and pre-pay/place your order during the week of August 27, 2018, between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.**

September 4 through December 21, 2018 - \$2.75 a day X 74 school days = \$203.50 per child

January 7 through May 31, 2019 - \$2.75 a day X 100 school days = \$275.00 per child

Pre-pay the entire year for \$478.50 per child

If you are certain that your child(ren) will be packing their lunch daily and you wish to only purchase milk, you have the option to pre-pay half of the school year, or the whole school year, in advance:

September 4 through December 21, 2018 - \$ .50 a day X 74 school days = \$37.00 per child

January 7 through May 31, 2019 - \$.50 a day X 100 school days = \$50.00 per child

Pre-pay the entire year for \$87.00 per child

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Please know that while we are trying to be accommodating, we will not be able to give refunds of lunch or milk money for days your child is absent, on vacation or misses lunch because of out-of-school appointments, etc. We purchase the majority of our hot lunch ingredients through the state Commodities program and through Reiter Dairy and U.S. Food Service – all of which require us to order well in advance of use. Therefore, we can offer pre-payment to our families for the above terms, but we are not equipped to accept month-by-month pre-payment at this time.

Please call Mrs. Belair in the school office if you have any questions regarding the lunch program.