

## FOOD SERVICES

The Board of Education shall provide cafeteria facilities in all school facilities where space and facilities permit, and will provide food service for the purchase and consumption of lunch for all students.

The food-service program shall comply with Federal and State regulations pertaining to the selection, preparation, delivery, consumption, and disposal of food and beverages as well as to the fiscal management of the program.

***Substitutions to the standard meal requirements shall be made, at no additional charge, for students who have been approved by the District for the free lunch program or are certified by a licensed physician to have a disability which restricts his/her diet, in accordance with the criteria set forth in 7 CRF 15(b)(3). To qualify for such substitutions, the medical certification must identify:***

- A. the student's disability and the major life activity affected by the disability;***
- B. an explanation of why the disability affects the student's diet; and,***
- C. the food(s) to be omitted from the student's diet, and the food or choice of foods that must be substituted (e.g., caloric modifications or use of liquid nutritive formula).***

Lunches sold by the school may be purchased by students and staff members ***and community residents.*** ~~in accordance with the administrative guidelines established by the Superintendent.~~

***Food services shall be operated on a self-supporting basis with revenue from students, staff, Federal reimbursement, and surplus food. The Board shall assist the program by furnishing available space, initial major equipment, and utensils. Maintenance and replacement of equipment is the responsibility of the program.***

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***prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by  
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23 ILAC 305.5 et seq.  
105 ILCS 5/10-22.26  
105 ILCS 125/1 et seq.  
105 ILCS 126/1 et seq.  
7 C.F.R. 210, 215, 220, 240  
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