

Dining at Brentwood Academy

2023 - 2024

Daily Meal Plan

The Daily Meal Plan offers a full meat-and-three plus drink for under \$8.50!

Brentwood Academy's Daily Meal Plan offers appetizing and nutritious lunches. Menu items include the following:

- gourmet soups
- salad selections
- delicious entrées
- pizza and pastas
- vegetarian items
- deli selections
- fruit
- chips
- desserts

Purchasing the Daily Meal Plan for lunch will include the student's choice of one entrée, three side items, and a drink (a combo deal all purchased on their first pass through the line) at a cost of either

\$1,375

Full Year
Commitment

\$8.49 a day

\$750

Per Semester
Commitment

\$9.26 a day

If the same one entrée, three side items, and a drink are purchased via the Declining Balance Program because your student is not on the daily meal plan, it would cost \$9.71 a day.

Sign up and pay for the Daily Meal Plan at Registration. The Daily Meal Plan is NOT funded through the Declining Balance Program.

What are my Daily Meal Plan payment options?

- Payment in full at Registration.
- Payment for half of full year cost at Registration with balance billed via your FACTS account and due by Dec. 31, 2023.
- Monthly payments via FACTS: the first payment will be made at Registration with eight additional installments billed via your FACTS account (September 2023 through April 2024).

What is an entrée?

A healthy portion of one hot entrée, a large salad, a deli sandwich, two slices of pizza, or an entrée serving of pasta.

What is a side item?

A starch, vegetable, soup, side salad, fruit, chips, or dessert.

What drinks are included in the Daily Meal Plan?

An assortment of 16 oz. bottled water, milk, and other beverages.

What is NOT included in the Daily Meal Plan?

Breakfast items, premium drinks, ice creams (please refer to the "Premium Items" document), more than three side items, and drink refills.

Does the Daily Meal Plan include seconds?

Seconds are NOT included. Students can buy additional items or seconds through their Declining Balance Account.

How does checkout work?

Each student will give the cashier their student ID number to key into a pin pad at checkout. The student's photo will appear on the cashier's screen for visual verification, and the account will be checked for enrollment in the Daily Meal Plan and keyed accordingly.

What if my child has food allergies?

Let us know and we will do our best to accommodate your student's needs. Our chefs are certified as Food Safety Production Managers and trained to create a safe dining environment for your student.

Where can I find lunch menus?

Visit BAeagles.com.

Declining Balance Program

ALL students have a Declining Balance Account. Parents must fund the account or discuss with their student why they are not to purchase items outside of the Daily Meal Plan or over and above their Daily Meal Plan offerings. The Declining Balance account will be charged if a student forgets to purchase an item covered by their Daily Meal Plan and returns for a second trip - ie: forgot their drink and returned to get a drink. The Declining Balance Program is ideal for students not participating in the Daily Meal Plan but who wish to periodically purchase individually priced a la carte items at school. This program is also ideal for breakfast, snacks, premium items, or second servings at lunch for students who purchase the Daily Meal Plan as well. A student's balance decreases as purchases are made, much like a debit card.

Funding Declining Balance

How do I fund my Declining Balance Account?

To fund your student's Declining Balance Account, go to www.MySchoolBucks.com and log into your account. If you are a first-time user, you must set up an account using your student's Veracross student ID number. The MySchoolBucks website will walk you through the setup process.

How much should I put in the account?

We suggest a \$50 minimum starting balance or higher. You can fund your account with a debit card, VISA, MasterCard, or e-check. Your MySchoolBucks account will allow you to

- Monitor student purchases,
- Receive low balance email reminders (recommended),
- Set up auto-payment for your account (recommended), and
- Make split payments for multiple students.

Students can create a negative balance on their Declining Balance Account if they come through the line with no money on their account (although this should be avoided). Setting up auto payment on your student's account is the most effective way to avoid going into the negative unexpectedly. Negative balances not cleared up in a timely manner will be transferred to your student's FACTS account.

Please set senior student's auto payments to end on May 31.

Should every student have a Declining Balance Account in addition to the Daily Meal Plan?

While not required, every student may want one.

How can I see what my student is buying?

Log on to your student's account at MySchoolBucks.com.

Is the online account information secure?

Yes. MySchoolBucks is PCI and VeriSign certified.

MySchoolBucks Customer Service

(Operated by Heartland School Solutions)

1-855-832-5226 / support@myschoolbucks.com

For more information and to view daily dining menus, visit BAeagles.com.



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