

D0389 - Eureka

Elementary Wellness Policies

D0389 - Eureka is committed to providing school environments that promote and protect children's health, well-being and ability to learn by supporting healthy eating, nutrition education, physical activity and integrated school based wellness. Therefore, it is the policy of D0389 - Eureka that:

Policies in Place

Nutrition

General Guidelines

All school food service personnel receive required food safety training at a minimum of every 5 years. Continuing education training for all food service personnel meets federal and state requirements.

The dining area has seating to accommodate all students during each serving period.

The food service area is clean, orderly, and has an inviting atmosphere that encourages meal consumption.

The dining area has adequate adult supervision.

The students are allowed to converse with one another at least part of the meal time.

Reimbursable meals and/or parts of a reimbursable meal are not withheld or denied as a disciplinary action.

Content of reimbursable lunch and breakfast is identified near or at the beginning of the serving line(s).

Breakfast

All school breakfasts comply with [USDA regulations](#) and [state policies](#).

At least three different fruits are offered each week on three different days. At least one fruit per week is served fresh.

Students have the opportunity to eat breakfast.

District offers at least 15 minutes "seat time" to eat breakfast (not including time spent walking to and from class or waiting in line) or Grab n Go breakfast options are available.

Lunch

All school lunches comply with [USDA regulations](#) and [state policies](#).

At least three different fruits are offered each week. Two fruits per week are served fresh.

Students have at least 15 minutes "seat time" to eat lunch not including time spent walking to/from class or waiting in line.

All Food Sold in Schools

No energy drinks are sold on school property from midnight before to 30 minutes after the end of the official school day.

Other Child Nutrition Programs

[Meals and snacks served under the USDA At-Risk Afterschool Meals, Afterschool Care Snack Program, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program and/or Summer Food Service Program comply with all federal regulations and state policies.](#)

Participate in one of four programs. (At-Risk Afterschool Meals, Afterschool Care Snack Program, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program or Summer Food Service Program)

Nutrition

Other Child Nutrition Programs

Participate in two of the four programs. (At-Risk Afterschool Meals, Afterschool Care Snack Program, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program, or Summer Food Service Program)

During the School Day

Students have access to free drinking water throughout the school day, including during meal service. Hygiene standards for all methods delivering drinking water will be maintained.

Students are allowed to have clear/translucent individual water bottles in the classroom where appropriate.

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District develops nutritional standards for non-sold food and beverages made available on school campus during the school day.

District adopts [Smart Snacks in School "All Foods Sold in Schools" Standards](#) for non-sold food and beverages made available on school campus during the school day.

Nutrition Education

Nutrition Promotion

District promotes participation in the [National School Lunch Program \(NSLP\)](#) and [School Breakfast Program \(SBP\)](#) if applicable and to choose nutritious foods and beverages throughout the day. Menus are posted on school website and/or distributed to families via another method.

Physical Activity

General Guidelines

All students in grades K - 12 have the opportunity to participate in moderate to vigorous physical activity at least 2 times per week during the entire school year.

District prohibits the use of physical activity as a punishment. District prohibit withholding physical activity, including recess and physical education, as punishment.

Throughout the Day

Elementary school students have at least 15 minutes a day of supervised recess (not including time spent getting to and from the playground), preferably outdoors. Supervisory staff encourage moderate to vigorous physical activity.

School policy outlines guidance on conditions regulating indoor and outdoor recess during extreme weather conditions.

Structured physical activity opportunities, in addition to physical education and recess (where applicable), are encouraged for all students.

Physical Education

Physical education is taught by teachers licensed by the Kansas State Department of Education.

The physical education curriculum is sequential and consistent with Kansas State Board of Education approved physical education teaching standards for pre-kindergarten through grade 12.

Elementary students receive 90-119 minutes of physical education per week, which includes at least 50% of the minutes engaged in moderate to vigorous physical activity.

Physical education curriculum encourages a multi-dimensional fitness assessment.

Family & Community

Community members are provided access to the district's outdoor physical activity facilities.

Community members are provided access to the district's indoor and outdoor physical activity facilities at specified hours.

Physical Activity

Family & Community

Community members are encouraged to access the district's indoor and outdoor physical activity facilities at specified hours.

Offer information via multiple channels at least once per semester to all families that encourages them to teach their children about physical activity, and assists them in planning physical activity for their families.

Integrated School Based Wellness

General Guidelines

The school wellness committee makes appropriate updates or modification to wellness policy based on assessment and an update on the progress toward meeting the State Model Wellness Policy is made available to the public, including parents, students and the community.

Annual staff wellness activities and/or professional development opportunities related to nutrition, physical activity, mental health, and abstaining from tobacco and e-cigarettes are provided to encourage school staff to serve as healthy role models. Staff wellness activities and training may also include additional components of the [Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Model](#) .

Annually partner with local health agencies and community organizations.

The local school wellness policy committee meets at least twice per year.

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Elementary Wellness Policies

The following Wellness Policies are in the process of being developed:

Developing Policies

Nutrition

General Guidelines

Mealtime conversation is not prohibited for the entire meal time as disciplinary action.

The students are allowed to converse during the entirety of the meal time.

Breakfast

At least five different fruits are offered each week. At least two fruits per week are to be served fresh.

Lunch

One additional 1/2 cup* vegetable offering weekly from any of three vegetable subgroups (dark-green, red/orange, dry beans and peas).

All Food Sold in Schools

Fundraising within the school day meets [USDA's Smart Snacks in School "All Foods Sold in Schools" Standards](#) (sans the exempted fundraisers).

Nutrition Education

Nutrition Promotion

Students provide input on foods offered in the cafeteria.

Integrated School Based Wellness

General Guidelines

District Wellness Committee will discuss the development of a [farm to school program](#).

The following students, parents, classroom teachers, food service professionals, physical education teachers, health professionals, administrators, school board members and other interested community members are engaged in developing, implementing, monitoring, reviewing and making the district wide wellness policies available to the public:

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