



BAIS YAAKOV SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

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Dear Parents,

Bais Yaakov Preschool is proud to announce that lunch will be provided to our Nursery and Pre-Nursery classes **Monday thru Thursday at no cost to the parents. Lunch will begin on the first day of school.**

The Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) is a Federally Subsidized program administered by the Maryland State Department of Education, Health and Nutrition Division, which financially supports nutritious meals for Licensed Child Care Centers and Preschools. (Kindergarten will be included in the National School Lunch Program which services students from Elementary through High School).

CACFP focuses on providing a nutritious hot lunch to children below 5 years of age. It also introduces children to healthy eating habits, promotes portion control, teaches lessons on proper nutrition, and eliminates the parents' need to pack a lunch.

The children enrolled in the Pre-Nursery and Nursery program will also receive a healthy snack in the afternoon. Afternoon snacks will consist of carbohydrates such as pretzels or crackers and milk. Lunch is comprised of USDA's required five components for a nutritious meal: protein, grain, vegetable, fruit, and milk. The menu will consist of pasta with cheese, tuna, fish sticks, cheese sandwiches, and, the always popular, pizza. **Parents will continue to provide healthy morning snacks, such as cheese, fruit, vegetables, cereal, etc.**

All children enrolled in the Pre-Nursery and Nursery classes will receive meals, regardless of the family's financial status. The attached letter from CACFP answers questions and provides specific details on how to register for the program. Please note that **every family must complete both the Enrollment Form and The Meal Benefit Application (MBA) even if you have a child enrolled in the Elementary/Middle/High school programs.** Both forms are completed annually. The MBA determines reimbursement rates for Bais Yaakov from MSDE. Information obtained is confidential and is not shared with any other department of Bais Yaakov. **If your family does not qualify for Free or Reduced meals, you may place a line through the income area and write "DO NOT QUALIFY."** The Enrollment Form must still be completed.

The MBA and Enrollment forms are included in this email or may be obtained from the BYELC office. All questions or concerns should be directed to Pearl Rosensaft at 443-548-7700 ext. 230. **Forms can be emailed to byelc@baisyaakov.net, or mailed/dropped off to Mrs. Pearl Rosensaft, BYELC, 6300 Smith Ave, Baltimore, MD. 21209. If returning your forms via email, scan and attach them. Please do not send photos of the forms.**

To ensure that your child receives meals through this program, parents must complete the forms **no later than August 30, 2022.** Due to licensing regulations, children will not receive lunch/afternoon snacks unless the Enrollment Form and Meal Benefit Application are complete.

With our best wishes,

Rabbi Yitzchok Sanders
Principal, Lower Elementary

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