

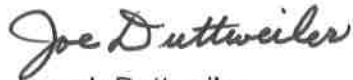
**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL NEWS-March 20, 2020**  
**BY MR. DUTTWEILER**

Dear Parents,

There have been a few questions regarding the completed work the students are doing. Please hold onto the work until we return to school. The older students may e mail work to the teachers or respond through google classroom. Please do not bring any work to school. Next week Mrs. Harmon and I will be working from our homes. According to the latest orders from the governor, 100% of the workforce must stay home unless it is essential. Our school building will be closed after today.

If you live in the East Aurora school district you are entitled to breakfast and lunch that is being delivered to all the East Aurora children. Enclosed in this letter are two letters from Mr. Russ, Superintendent of Schools. It explains this program. I understand meals are being delivered starting today. In the second letter, it says if you have any problems or if you want to opt-out, email [eafood@eak12.org](mailto:eafood@eak12.org). I understand the Iroquois district is also providing meals for the students. If you are from that district , I would contact the district if you are interested.

Sincerely,



Joseph Duttweiler  
Principal

# East Aurora Union Free School District

Brian D. Russ  
Superintendent

March 18, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Eating a balanced, nutritious breakfast and lunch is an essential part of every student's day. In this time of quarantines, supply shortages, and limited store access, the East Aurora School District is committed to ensuring that all students eat both regularly and nutritiously. As such, East Aurora Union Free School District, and its food service partner, *Personal Touch*, will be providing nutritious breakfasts and lunches to our students (and any other children living in the household under the age of 18) during this rapidly changing and challenging time.

It is important to note that we are supported in this initiative by State and Federal partners who are providing reimbursement of costs, *regardless of a family's income-level*. We understand that this food delivery is not a necessity for all families however, the situation is evolving quickly and we need to be prepared and remain ahead of it.

Our plan is as follows:

**Beginning Friday, March 20, 2020** the District will utilize our Transportation Service, *First Student*, to deliver meals (as well as any additional instructional materials) to students' homes. Thereafter, starting Tuesday, March 24, 2020 (and through the duration of the closure, including breaks) regular deliveries will be made on **Tuesdays and Fridays**.

Tuesday deliveries will include breakfast and lunch for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Friday deliveries will include breakfast and lunch for Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Sample Breakfasts are as follows:

Cereal, muffin and juice – Milk provided upon request.

Muffin, graham crackers and juice – Milk provided upon request.

Sample Lunches are as follows:

Hamburger on a bun (frozen - heating instructions included), apple, carrot sticks – Milk provided upon request.

Chicken patty on a bun (frozen - heating instructions included), portioned canned pears, whole grain chips – Milk provided upon request.

East Aurora Middle School will serve as the central distribution location. The meals will be loaded onto buses; milk will be kept in temperature-controlled coolers. The bus driver and two staff members will be on each bus. In an effort to limit exposure, staff members will place meal packages and any requested supplies on the doorstep, ring the doorbell/knock and then step away.

The District has created an email address, [EAfood@EAK12.org](mailto:EAfood@EAK12.org), and ask families to email their additional requests, concerns here (i.e. food allergies the District is unaware of, milk requests, meal requests for non-school aged children, or program opt-out). This email will be monitored daily by the School Business Administrator, who will forward requests on to the appropriate person.

Stay Safe. Stay well.



# EAST AURORA UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Brian D. Russ  
Superintendent

March 20, 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Hope you are well! Today the District began a trial run of our new Food Service Delivery Program. The State and Federal governments are supporting the District, allowing us to offer breakfast and lunch to **ALL** students K-12 **regardless of family financial status**. This morning's delivery included today's lunch and breakfast and lunch for Monday March 20<sup>th</sup>. Moving forward, deliveries will be made on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Please utilize the [eafood@eak12.org](mailto:eafood@eak12.org) email address for any delivery requests or concerns including: **food allergies, food requests for non-school age children under age 5, milk requests or to opt-out of the Food Service Delivery Program**. Please do not call the school or email school personnel directly with food delivery issues and/or questions.

**Please note:**

Food dropped off on Tuesday must be consumed by Saturday in order to retain quality & freshness. As an extra precaution, please wash all produce and fresh vegetables and discard any unconsumed food by Saturday.

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I would like to thank our food service and transportation providers; Personal Touch and First Student, and the food service personnel, bus drivers, teacher aides, Buildings & Grounds crew and the District administrators for all the time and effort that went into making this happen.

I hope you and your family are doing well during this challenging time. I am deeply grateful for the support of the community and confident that we will get through this together.

Stay Safe and Be Well,

Brian D. Russ  
Superintendent of School