

On Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, Governor Tom Wolf announced that all K-12 Pennsylvania schools will be closed effective Monday, March 16 through Friday, March 27. The Pennsylvania Department of Education received approval from the Federal government to allow schools closed due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) to distribute meals to children in non-congregate settings.

The Bethlehem Area School District, in conjunction with Aramark will make available free bagged breakfast and lunch to all children in Bethlehem through age 18. Meals will be available Tuesday, March 17 to Friday, March 20 and Monday, March 23 to Friday, March 27. Breakfast and lunch meals will be available between 10:00am to 1:00pm at the following locations:

Broughal: 114 W Morton, Bethlehem, PA 18015

- Community School Entrance

East Hills: 2005 Chester Road, Bethlehem, PA 18017

- Main Entrance, Set of Doors on the Left

Nitschmann: 1002 West Union Boulevard, Bethlehem PA 18018

- Bus Drop Off Line, If rain: Auditorium Entrance

Northeast: 1170 Fernwood Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018

- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Entrance

Calypso: 1021 Calypso Avenue, Bethlehem, PA 18018

- Main Entrance, If rain: Multipurpose Room

Fountain Hill: 1330 Church Street, Fountain Hill, PA 18015

- Parking Lot, If rain: Community School Entrance

Marvine: 1425 Livingston Street, Bethlehem, PA 18017

- Main Entrance

Lynfield Community Center: 1889 Lynnfield Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18015

- Main Entrance

In accordance with the National School Lunch Program and PDE, children must be present to receive a meal.

In accordance with the USDA waiver policy of non-congregate settings, no one will be permitted to remain on school property after receiving the bagged meals.

Menus will be posted on the dining services website: [www.basdschools.org/dining](http://www.basdschools.org/dining). Menus are subject to change without notice.

If you are a part of the Backpack Pal's program, the bags will be available on Friday at the following middle schools: Broughal, East Hills and Northeast. If you live in or near Lynfield Community Center, you can pick up your bag at the Lynfield Community Center. They will be first come first served.