

Dear families,

We are pleased to share that lunch supervision will be provided by school staff and not Parent Council for this school year. That means we can provide lunch supervision for free at no cost to families, saving them \$300/year per child. Therefore, **families who are working, going to school or struggling with mobility** can be rest assured that your child(ren) experience a positive lunchtime experience, as they always have.

We still need families to register for the lunch program so that we are aware of which students are expected to stay at school. The form is attached.

Guidelines:

- This is for supervision only and does not include food. Students are expected to bring a non-heatable lunch each day. Students don't have access to a microwave.
- Ensure that your child arrives at school with a nutritious and balanced lunch each day.
- Be sure to send any necessary cutlery as the school cannot provide this.
- Many students have food allergies, please do not send the following: Eggs, Fish/Seafood of any kind and Peanut butter.
- **Primary students (Room 5,6,7)** will eat in their classrooms from 12:00-12:30 and then go outside to play (weathering permitting)
- **Intermediate students** will go outside for a health break from 12:00-12:30 and then will eat lunch on the Gym stage from 12:30-12:55
- Students will be supervised by Educational Assistants and are expected to follow our Weston Hawk way- To be safe, responsible, respectful and kind.
- We ask that parents and students are partners in ensuring everyone is always safe. If a student is struggling first the student and Educational Assistant will have a restorative conversation. If the behaviour persists parents will be called to support in finding a positive solution to the problem. In the event of a major or repetitive behaviour concern, students may be suspended from the lunch program for a period of time.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the office at 204-775-2591 or email the Principal at lrichardson@wsd1.org.

Respectfully,

Lisa Richardson-Principal

Weston School Lunch Program Registration Form (1 form per family)

The following students require lunch supervision and must stay at school during lunch hour.

Student Name	Room #	Allergies

*Students registered for the lunch program must remain on the school premises during the entire lunch hour. Students who leave the property without permission will be considered missing. The school will first reach out to the family and if family is unreachable by phone, administration will contact the WSD Superintendent’s department and if necessary, the police will be notified as the school is responsible for these students during this time. Help us by talking with your children about the importance of staying at school and we will send the same message here at school.

I am aware of the guidelines and expectations for the school run lunch program.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print) Parent/Guardian Signature Date

