

Elementary Menu

Franklin Public Schools Food Service
2023-2024

## ${ }_{2 n 3}$ September

| School Meals are Free! <br> School Breakfast and Lunch will be free for all students regardless of eligibility. It is still recommended to apply for Free \& Reduced Meals to potentially be connected with additional benefits. | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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|  | 4 <br> No Lunch: <br> Labor Day | 5 <br> Chicken Tenders Whole Wheat Dinner Roll Fresh Seasoned Green Beans Dipping Sauces | 6 <br> Ramen Bowl Korean BBQ Chunks Carrots, Bell Pepper, Broccoli, Corn Vegetable Broth Noodles | 7 <br> Locally Sourced Steak Tips Brown Rice Roasted Asparagus | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
|  | 11 <br> Pancakes Chicken Sausage Hash Brown Syrup | 12 <br> Sweet \& Sour Chicken Brown Rice Broccoli Florets | 13 <br> Macaroni \& Cheese Cheesy Breadstick Fresh Snap Peas | 14 <br> Roasted Turkey Mashed Potato Roasted Carrots Garlic Breadstick | 15 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| To Apply For Free \& Reduced Meals Visit: www.linqconect.com |  | GF |  |  |  |
|  | 18 | 19 | 20 |  | 22 |
| See Back Page For More Important Information | Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | Chicken Patty Sandwich Wheat Roll Baked Fries | Cheese Ravioli Cheesy Breadstick Lemon Pepper Zucchini | Locally Sourced Fish \& Chip Bake Garlic Breadstick Roasted Vegetables | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| Menu Icons <br> Chef Crafted <br> Entire Meal Gluten Free <br> Entire Meal is Vegan | No Lunch: <br> Yom Kippur | 26 <br> No Lunch: <br> Early Release | 27 <br> Whole Grain Soft Pretzel Strawberry Banana Smoothie String Cheese | 28 <br> Beef Nachos <br> Taco Beef, Tortilla Chips, Cheese Sauce, Shredded Lettuce, Salsa | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| Daily Specials are available everyday for the entire year! <br> Menu is subject to change | ~Daily Specials~ <br> Pizza Square PB\&J Meal <br> Caesar Salad Meal Chicken Caesar Meal Cereal Meal Bagel Meal <br> Gluten Free Selection | ~Daily Specials~ <br> Pizza Square PB\&J Meal Caesar Salad Meal Chicken Caesar Meal Cereal Meal Bagel Meal Gluten Free Selection | ~Daily Specials~ <br> Pizza Square PB\&J Meal <br> Caesar Salad Meal Chicken Caesar Meal Cereal Meal Bagel Meal <br> Gluten Free Selection | ~Daily Specials~ <br> Pizza Square PB\&J Meal Caesar Salad Meal Chicken Caesar Meal Cereal Meal Bagel Meal <br> Gluten Free Selection | ~Daily Specials~ <br> PB\&J Meal <br> Caesar Salad Meal Chicken Caesar Meal Cereal Meal Bagel Meal Gluten Free Selection |



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| 2 <br> French Toast Sticks Tater Tots | 3 <br> Chicken Bites Wild Rice Roasted Eggplant | 4 <br> Pasta with Chunky Italian Red Sauce Dinner Roll Fresh Green Beans | 5 <br> Pot Roast Carrots \& Potato Garlic Breadstick | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |  |
| 9 <br> No Lunch: <br> Indigenous People Day | 10 <br> Turkey Rice Bowl Shredded Turkey Spanish Rice Roasted Bell Peppers | 11 <br> Mozzarella Bites Texas Toast Marinara Sauce | 12 <br> Pasta \& Meatball Lemon Pepper Zucchini | 13 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | Recipe of the Month <br> Salsa Verde <br> (Featured on October 26) <br> - 1 Pound Tomatillos, husked |
| 16 <br> Waffles Sausage Hash Brown | 17 <br> Hot Dog on Whole Wheat Roll Baked Fries | 18 <br> No Lunch: <br> Early Release | 19 <br> BBQ Ribs Avocado Quinoa Salad Corn | 20 <br> Cheese Pizza <br> Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | - 1 Spanish Onion, quartered <br> - 4 Cloves Garlic, peeled <br> - 2 Jalapeno, Stems Removed, Sliced in half <br> - 1.5 Tablespoon Olive Oil |
| 23 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | 24 <br> Sesame Garlic Chicken Chow Mein Green Beans | 25 <br> Whole Grain Soft Pretzel Strawberry Banana Smoothie String Cheese | 26 <br> Carnitas Tacos Brown Rice Local Tortillas Salsa Verde Cotija Cheese Cabbage Slaw | 27 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | - 2 Teaspoons Ground Cumin <br> - 1 Teaspoon Salt <br> - $1 / 2$ Cup Fresh Cilantro <br> - $1 / 2$ Lime, Juice only <br> Toss tomatillos , onion, garlic, and |
| 30 <br> Pancakes Sausage Hash Brown | 31 <br> Chicken Patty Sandwich Baked Fries |  |  |  | jalapeno with oil, salt, and pepper. Roast on sheet pan at $400^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ for 15 minutes. Transfer to food processor or blender and add remaining ingredients. Blend until combined, but still chunky. Enjoy with Chips! |

## ${ }_{2 n 3}$ November



## All Meals Include:

Protein, Whole Grain Rich Grains, Assortment of
Fresh Fruits and
Vegetables, and Milk!

Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar
Everyday students get to choose from a large variety of fresh fruit and vegetables. The selections vary everyday and include whole fresh fruits and vegetables, freshly cut fruits and vegetables, salads, and more!

## Menu Icons

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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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|  |  | Grill Cheese Tomato Soup | 2 <br> Chicken Tagine Bulgur Salad Moroccan Carrot Salad | 3 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| Waffle Sticks Sausage Hash Brown | $7$ <br> No Lunch: PD Day | 8 <br> Hamburger on Wheat Roll Baked Fries | No Lunch: PD Day | 10 <br> No Lunch: <br> Veteran's Day |
| Pancakes Sausage Tater Tots | 14 <br> Roasted Chicken Drumstick Quinoa Salad Baby Potato | 15 <br> No Lunch: <br> Parent Conferences | 16 <br> No Lunch: <br> Parent Conferences | 17 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 20 <br> French Toast Sticks Hash Brown | 21 <br> Pot Roast Carrots \& Potato Garlic Breadstick | $22$ <br> No Lunch: <br> Thanksgiving Break | No Lunch: <br> Thanksgiving Break | $24$ <br> No Lunch: <br> Thanksgiving Break |
| $27 \quad \begin{gathered}\text { Waffles } \\ \text { Sausage } \\ \text { Tater Tots }\end{gathered}$ | 28 <br> Chicken Teriyaki Chow Mein Broccoli Florets | 29 <br> Macaroni \& Cheese Cheesy Breadstick Fresh Snap Peas | 30 <br> Korean BBQ Beef Brown Rice Stir Fry Vegetables |  |


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|  |  |  |  | 1 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 4 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | Chicken Patty Sandwich Baked Fries | 6 <br> Cheese Ravioli Cheesy Breadstick Lemon Pepper Zucchini | 7 <br> Locally Sourced Fish \& Chip Bake Garlic Breadstick Roasted Vegetables | 8 <br> Cheese Pizza <br> Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| $11$ <br> Snowflake Waffles! Sausage Hash Brown | 12 <br> Marinated Chicken Risotto Roasted Butternut Squash | 13 <br> Whole Grain Soft Pretzel Strawberry Banana Smoothie String Cheese | 14 <br> Beef Nachos Taco Beef, Tortilla Chips, Cheese Sauce, Shredded Lettuce, Salsa | 15 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 18 <br> French Toast Sticks Tater Tots | 19 <br> Chicken Bites Wild Rice Roasted Eggplant | 20 <br> Pasta with Chunky Italian Red Sauce Dinner Roll Fresh Green Beans | 21 <br> Pot Roast Carrots \& Potato Garlic Breadstick | 22 <br> No Lunch: <br> PD Half Day |
| 25 <br> No Lunch: <br> Winter Break | 26 <br> No Lunch: <br> Winter Break | 27 <br> No Lunch: <br> Winter Break | 28 <br> No Lunch: <br> Winter Break | 29 <br> No Lunch: <br> Winter Break |



Chicken Enchilada Soup

- 1 Tablespoon Olive Oil
- 1 Onion, chopped
- 1 Clove Garlic, chopped
- 1 Pound Chopped or Shredded Cooked Chicken
- 2-32oz Containers Chicken Stock
- $1 / 2$ Pound Frozen Corn
- 1 Can Black Beans
- $1 / 2$ Recipe of Salsa Verde (See October Recipe
- 2 \# American Cheese

> Heat oil in a stock pot. Add onion and garlic and cook 2-5 minutes. Add Chicken and stir to combine. Pour in chicken stock and bring to a simmer. Add corn, beans, and salsa verde. Stir occasionally and bring to a simmer. Slowly melt in cheese. Top with shredded cheese and tortilla strips.


We Buy Local!
Our department takes pride in providing some farm to table options. We are always growing our local partners. We currently partner with:
Silverwood Organic Farm, Sherborn
MeatWorks, Westport
North Coast Seafood, Boston
Reds Best Seafood, Boston
Through Worcester Regional Food Hub:
Little Leaf Farms, Devens
Rattle Root Farm, Princeton
Wards Berry Farm, Sharon
*See website for newly added

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| No Lunch: <br> Winter Break | 2 <br> Hot Dog on Whole Wheat Roll Baked Fries | 3 <br> Teriyaki Noodle Bowl Edamame \& Red Bell Pepper Salad Teriyaki Bites | BBQ Ribs Avocado Quinoa Salad Corn | 5 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 8 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | 9 <br> Sesame Garlic Chicken Chow Mein Green Beans | 10 <br> Greek Rice Bowl Wild Rice Mediterranean Salad Falafel Feta, Tzatziki | 11 <br> Carnitas Tacos Brown Rice Local Tortillas Salsa Verde Cotija Cheese Cabbage Slaw | 12 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| No Lunch: <br> ML King Jr Day | No Lunch: <br> Half PD Day | 17 <br> Hamburger on Wheat Roll Baked Fries | 18 <br> Chicken Tagine Bulgur Salad Moroccan Carrot Salad | 19 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 22 <br> Snowflake Waffles! Sausage Hash Brown | 23 <br> Orange Chicken Chicken \& Vegetable Dumplings Ginger Slaw | Grill Cheese Tomato Soup | 25 <br> Korean BBQ Beef Brown Rice Stir Fry Vegetables | 26 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 29 <br> Pancakes Sausage Tater Tots | 30 <br> Roasted Chicken Drumstick Quinoa Salad Baby Potato | 31 <br> Meatball Sub Sweet Potato Fries |  |  |


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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Recipe of the Month <br> Angel Food Cake <br> - 1 Cup Egg Whites <br> - $3 / 4$ Cup Sugar <br> - 1/4 Cup Corn Starch, sifted <br> - $1 / 3$ Cup Flour, sifted <br> - $1 / 2$ Teaspoon Salt <br> - 1 Teaspoon Cream of Tartar, sifted <br> - 1 Teaspoon Vanilla. <br> Beat Egg whites until stiff peaks form. Add sugar gradually and continue to beat. Fold in remaining ingredients. Pour into sprayed tube pan. Baked at 325 fir about 1 hour until golden browned. Cool pan upside down. |
|  |  |  | 1 <br> Teriyaki Chicken Chow Mein Snap Peas | 2 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |  |
|  | 6 <br> Chicken Tenders Mediterranean Quinoa Salad Green Beans | Ramen Bowl Korean BBQ Chunks Carrots, Bell Pepper, Broccoli, Corn Vegetable Broth Noodles | Locally Sourced Steak Tips Brown Rice Roasted Asparagus | 9 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |  |
| 12 <br> Snowflake Waffle Sausage Tater Tots | 13 <br> Sweet \& Sour Chicken Brown Rice Broccoli Florets | 14 <br> Macaroni \& Cheese Cheesy Breadstick Fresh Snap Peas | 15 <br> Roasted Turkey Mashed Potato Roasted Carrots Garlic Breadstick | 16 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |  |
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| 26 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | 27 <br> Chicken Patty Baked Fries | 28 <br> Cheese Ravioli Cheesy Breadstick Lemon Pepper Zucchini | 29 <br> BBQ Ribs Avocado Quinoa Salad Corn |  |  |



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| 1 <br> Pancakes Sausage Hash Browns | 2 <br> Sesame Garlic Chicken Chow Mein Green Beans | 3 <br> Soft Pretzel Smoothie String Cheese | 4 <br> Carnitas Tacos Brown Rice Local Tortillas Salsa Verde Cotija Cheese Cabbage Slaw | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | Recipe of the Month |
| French Toast Tater Tots | 9 <br> Chicken Patty Sandwich Baked Fries | 10 <br> Marinated Chicken Risotto Roasted Butternut Squash | 11 <br> Garlic French Bread Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | $12$ <br> No Lunch: 1/2 Day | Garlic Herb Roasted Turkey <br> - 3 QT Water <br> - 1/3 Cup Sugar <br> - $1 / 3$ Cup Salt <br> - Fresh Rosemary, Thyme, Whole |
| 15 <br> No Lunch: <br> April Break | 16 <br> No Lunch: <br> April Break | $17$ <br> No Lunch: <br> April Break | 18 <br> No Lunch: <br> April Break | 19 <br> No Lunch: <br> April Break | Black Peppercorns <br> - 1 Turkey Breast <br> - $1 / 3$ Cup Olive Oil <br> - 2 Clove Garlic, chopped <br> - 1 Lemon Juice Only <br> - 1 sprig Fresh Thyme, minced |
| Waffles Sticks Sausage Hash Brown | 23 <br> Orange Chicken Chicken \& Vegetable Dumpling Ginger Slaw | 24 <br> Hamburger on Wheat Roll Baked Fries | 25 <br> Korean BBQ Beef Brown Rice Stir Fry Vegetables | Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar | - 1 sprig Fresh Rosemary, minced <br> - 2 Leaves Fresh Sage, minced <br> - 2 Tablespoon Mustard Powder Heat water, sugar, salt, rosemary, thyme, and peppercorns. Stir until sugar dissolves and then chill to room |
| 29 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | 30 <br> Roasted Chicken Drumstick Quinoa Salad Roasted Baby Potato |  |  |  | temp. Place Turkey in prepared mixture over night. Mix oil with remaining ingredients. Place turkey in baking dish and smother with garlic oil mixture. Roast until temperature reaches $180^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$, around 1.5 hour. |

## ${ }_{204}$ May



School Wellness Advisory

## Council

The Franklin School Wellness Advisory Council (SWAC) has been established to recommend, review and help implement school district policies addressing school nutrition, nutrition education, physical activity, and related issues that affect student health. Visit our website:
https://sites.google.com/ franklinps.net/swac/home

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|  | 7 <br> Chicken Tenders Mediterranean Quinoa Salad Green Beans | Ramen Bowl Korean BBQ Chunks Carrots, Bell Pepper, Broccoli, Corn Vegetable Broth Noodles | 9 <br> Locally Sourced Steak Tips Brown Rice Roasted Asparagus | 10 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 13 <br> Pancakes Sausage Tater Tots Syrup | 14 <br> Sweet \& Sour Chicken Brown Rice Broccoli Florets | 15 <br> Macaroni \& Cheese Cheesy Breadstick Fresh Snap Peas | 16 <br> Roasted Turkey Mashed Potato Roasted Carrots Garlic Breadstick | 17 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 20 <br> Egg \& Cheese on Whole Wheat Croissant Tater Tots | 21 <br> Chicken Patty Sandwich Wheat Roll Baked Fries | 22 <br> Cheese Ravioli Cheesy Breadstick Lemon Pepper Zucchini | 23 <br> Locally Sourced Fish \& Chip Bake Garlic Breadstick Roasted Vegetables | 24 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |
| 27 <br> No Lunch: <br> Memorial Day | 28 <br> Chicken Bites Dinner Roll Green Beans | 29 <br> Pasta with Chunky Italian Red Sauce Dinner Roll Fresh Green Beans | 30 <br> Korean BBQ Beef Brown Rice Stir Fry Vegetables | 31 <br> Cheese Pizza Fresh Fruit \& Vegetable Bar |



## Food Service Contact Information

Food Service Director: Colin Boisvert
Assistant Food Service Director: Maura Crowley Phone: 508-613-1477

Website: www.franklinps.net/district/food-services

## Prepayment Meal Accounts

We Accept Cash or Check written to: Franklin Food Service at every cash register

Or Pay Online at: www.linqconect.com

## School Meals Are Free!

The First Reimbursable Breakfast and Lunch are free. 2nd meals and any additional food is not free.

Students will need money on account, cash, or check to purchase additional food or snacks/water.

## Free \& Reduced Applications

Paper applications are available at your school's main office, food service office, or online.
Apply online! Visit our website to apply online without completing a paper application!


## Daily Specials

## Available Daily:

- Pizza Square
- PB\&J
- Assorted Entrée Salads


## Sides Available Daily:

Fresh Fruit
Fresh Vegetables Milk

- Cereal Meal
- Bagel Meal
- Gluten Free Selections
*Menu is subject to change - check website for any updates
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## 1. mail:

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
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program.intake@usda.gov
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