



Novi Community School District Gluten Free Menu Policy

In order to better accommodate students who require a gluten-free diet we have developed a limited menu for students to order from. The price of the meal will be the same as a regular lunch and will still qualify for free or reduced price meals if you should qualify for that as well.

Limited Menu

The menu is limited to reduce the possibility of storage cross-contamination, and to ensure that we will always be able to provide fresh products at a reasonable price. All products provided will be products listed as gluten-free by our suppliers, or known to be gluten-free.

Who Can Participate

At this time, the gluten-free menu is only available to those children whose parent or guardian provides:

- A) A medical statement from a licensed physician noting that the child must have a gluten-free diet, or
- **B)** Notify your school Kitchen Manager if you have a Medical or Allergy Statement on file with the school district indicating that a gluten-free diet is required.

Please email or call your school Kitchen Manager if you have either item "A" or "B" listed above to begin this communication.

Notice Required

Please note that your Kitchen Manager may need time to order and begin stocking gluten-free food items. You should notify us of documentation as listed above <u>and</u> communicate directly with your school Kitchen Manager. You can find their phone number or email address under each school on the website. Please contact your school's manager to discuss and agree on a starting date when your child will be able to begin receiving gluten-free meals.

Questions or concerns may be addressed by contacting:

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