

Dear KNDLA Families:

During the last two years, KNDLA has been able to provide free, nutritious meals to our students due to the USDA waivers associated with the COVID-19 pandemic. At this time, waivers have not been extended and we will return to a more traditional service for the 2022-23 school year.

What does this mean for families for the 2022-23 school year?

- Meals will no longer be available at no-cost for all students.
- Beginning July 1, families that may be eligible for free or reduced meal benefits need to take action by completing a free and reduced meal application with CharterChoice (SFA) for your students attending KNDLA.
 - We encourage families to complete the application online with CharterChoice at https://charterchoice.strataapps.com/
 - o If needed, paper applications will be made available at the school.
 - If your student/s are not eligible for free or reduced meals, please be prepared to pay for meals purchased at school for the 2022-23 school year.
 - Questions about Free and Reduced Lunch? Contact information 303-953-4170, email <u>info@charterchoicecollaborative.org</u> or you may reach out to the school directly.

Thank you,

Operations Team

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