

Central Jersey College Prep Charter School District

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Section: Operations
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The Board of Trustees recognizes the midday meal as an important part of each student's school day. The Chief Education Officer shall ensure a wholesome, nutritious food services program in the school and one which reinforces the concepts of nutrition education as taught in the classrooms of this school.

The Board shall provide food service facilities for the consumption of food on school premises. All students not expressly excused by the Principal shall be expected to remain at school for lunch.

The operation and supervision of the food services program shall be the responsibility of the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary.

The school shall participate in the Federal Child Nutrition Program.

In order to ensure that the nutritional needs of school students are met, the Board directs the organization of a nutritional advisory committee composed of administrators, food service personnel, teachers, parent(s) or legal guardian(s), and students interested in the nutritional program of the school. The committee shall make its recommendations to the Chief Education Officer.

The Food Service Program shall be operated on a nonprofit basis. All moneys derived from the operation, maintenance, or sponsorship of the food service facilities shall be deposited in the Food Service Account. The net cash resources of the food service account may not exceed three months' operating cost. A periodic review of the food service account shall be made by the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary. Any surplus funds shall be used to reduce the cost of the service to students or to purchase cafeteria equipment.

The Chief Education Officer shall ensure the maintenance of sanitary, neat premises, free from fire and health hazards, for the preparation and consumption of food and the safekeeping and storage of food and food equipment in strict compliance with regulations of the New Jersey State Department of Health.

N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-42.1; 18A:33-3 et seq.; 18A:58-7.1

N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2.6 et seq.

N.J.A.C. 8:24-2.1 through 7.5

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