

NORTH BRANFORD SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE
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Dear Parent or Guardian,

As the 2015-2016 school year begins, the school lunch program of the North Branford School District has some important information to share with parents.

During the last school year the North Branford Food Service Department underwent a routine full administrative review from the State of Connecticut in conjunction with the National School Lunch Program. The result of the audit determined that the price being charged for student lunches needed to be brought into alignment with the regulations set forth by the NSLP. This is a requirement in order to continue to participate as a sustainable program in the National School Lunch Program. As a result of this finding, the Board of Education at its April 2015 meeting voted to increase school lunch prices by \$.25 at each school to meet compliance requirements.

The North Branford School District has not increased school lunch prices since the 2009-2010 school year even with the mandatory implementation of the regulations set forth by the USDA resulting in higher food and supply costs.

The 2015-2016 daily school lunch prices at each school are:

- Jerome Harrison School \$2.50
- Totoket Valley Elementary School \$2.50
- North Branford Intermediate School \$2.75
- North Branford High School \$3.00

The North Branford School Lunch Program is committed to continuing to provide tasty, healthy and nutritious meals that are value packed and a convenient way to provide for your student.

Thank you for your support,



Michael Augur,

Supervisor, North Branford Food Service