

A Guide to Safety with School Meals in the Wake of COVID-19

As the world continues the long journey back to normalcy after the COVID-19 pandemic, many students are gearing up to start a new academic year faced with new, extraordinary challenges. The start of a school year can cause anxiety for both new and returning students and parents, and recent events have added reasonable concerns about health and safety in the wake of the global pandemic that altered the way we live, work and learn. Sodexo understands these concerns, and we are committed to protecting the health and safety of everyone who eats in our schools, as well as all members of our foodservice staff.

Sodexo is committed to promoting healthier food choices and encourages students and families to use the USDA MyPlate to build healthy and balanced meals.

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Fresh Pick Recipe

BAKED BLUEBERRY &

PEACH OATMEAL (SERVES 9)

3 cups old-fashioned oats

1-1/4 cups fat-free milk
1/4 cup canola oil
1 tsp. vanilla extract

• 1 can (15 ounces) sliced peaches in

1. In a large bowl, combine the oats, brown

juice, drained and chopped

1/3 cup chopped walnuts

• 1 cup fresh or frozen blueberries

Additional fat-free milk, optional

1/2 tsp. salt
2 egg whites
1 egg

1/2 cup packed brown sugar
2 tsp. baking powder

Phased Approach

The world will not return to normal overnight, and neither will our schools. Rather, we will move in steps toward a "new normal" that safeguards health while allowing school activities to resume. Our phased approach enables foodservice teams to proactively support each level of this transition with appropriate tools and techniques that strictly follow local, state, and federal guidelines.



Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Employees will wear masks and gloves.



Hand Washing Team Staff will continue to wash hands Emp frequently. regula



Team Member Health Employees will regularly report on their health, including temperature checks.



Food Safety Self-service options will be eliminated. Hig

We know how difficult the last few months have been, and we recognize that students and parents may have reservations about dining outside the home. We want to assure you that our foodservice teams take every precaution to deliver safe, high-quality food in a carefully controlled environment. Safeguarding the health and well-being of every member of the school community is our highest priority. Although there may be challenges ahead as the world recovers, we are optimistic that together we can rise to these challenges. Driven by a confident resolve, Sodexo's careful and systematic approach will keep students, faculty, and staff, who eat our meals at school, safe and healthy.

Our foodservice facility prepares and serves some products which may contain ingredients identified as food allergens. For more information on food allergies, go to http://www.foodallergy.org/.



Sanitizing and Disinfecting High-touch surfaces will be cleaned frequently with professional-grade products.

sugar, baking powder and salt. Whisk the egg whites, egg, milk, oil and vanilla; add to dry ingredients and stir until blended. Let stand for 5 minutes. Stir in peaches and blueberries. 2. Transfer to an 11x7-inch baking dish coated with cooking spray. Sprinkle with walk the Baka unsurged of 2502 for

coated with cooking spray. Sprinkle with walnuts. Bake, uncovered, at 350° for 35-40 minutes or until top is lightly browned and a thermometer reads 160° Serve with additional milk if desired.

> NUTRITION FACTS: 277 calories, 11g fat, 263mg sodium, 3g fiber



Happy New Year!

We hope your time off was relaxing and fun!



Nutrition Information is available upon request.

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