

Downe Township Elementary



All lunches include a variety of

MONDAY

fresh fruit, chilled fruit cup, and

choice of milk (skim or 1%)

Menu Subject to Change

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TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Buffalo Chicken Cheesesteak
Cheeseburger

Roasted Broccoli & Carrots

THURSDAY

Chicken & Waffles w/ syrup

Chicken Nuggets with Dinner Roll

Confetti Bean Salad

FRIDAY

Pizza: Cheese or Pepperoni

Grilled Cheese

Parmesan Green Beans

Offered Daily 4/29-5/3: Italian Sub or Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich

6

Cheesy Stuffed Breadsticks w/ marinara sauce

Chicken Patty

Roasted Parmesan Carrot Sticks

7

Taco Tuesday
Twin Chicken Fajita Tacos
w/ Spanish rice

Hot Dog

Smile Fries

Beefy Cheesy Mac & Cheese

Cheeseburger

Roasted Broccoli

9

Beef Chili with Corn Bread

Chicken Nuggets with Dinner Roll

Black Bean & Corn Salsa

10

3

Big Daddy's Pizza Slice: Cheese or Pepperoni

Grilled Cheese

Italian Roasted Zucchini

Offered Daily 5/6-5/10: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich or Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich

13

Macaroni & Cheese w/ dinner Roll

Chicken Patty

Seasoned Carrot Coins

14

Taco Totchos with Biscuit

Hot Dog

Seasoned Steamed Corn

15

Breakfast for Lunch: Whole Grain Pancakes w/ turkey sausage & syrup

Cheeseburger

Crispy Panko Broccoli & Cauliflower

16

Sweet and Sour Chicken with Rice

Chicken Nuggets with Dinner Roll

Vegetarian Baked Beans

17

Pizza Cheese or Pepperoni

Grilled Cheese

Mixed Vegetables

Offered Daily 5/13-5/17: Ham & Cheese Sandwich or Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich

20

Pepperoni Melt

Chicken Patty

Sweet Potato Fries

21

Taco Tuesday: Twin Beef Tacos w/ Spanish rice

Hot Dog

Elote Corn

22

Meatball Parmesan Sub

Cheeseburger

Roasted Broccoli & Red Peppers

Breakfast for Lunch:
Breakfast Bowl
scrambled eggs, sausage & potato

Chicken Nuggets with Dinner Roll

Black Bean & Corn Salsa

24

1/2 day
Old School Cheese Pizza

Grilled Cheese

Steamed Green Beans

Offered Daily 5/20- 5/24: Crispy Chicken Wrap or Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich

REMEMBER AND HONOR
MEMORIAL
DAY

28

Taco Totchos w/ buttermilk biscuit

Hot Dog

Tater Tots

29

General Tso's Chicken

Cheeseburger

Sautéed Spinach

30

Baked Chicken with Dinner Roll

Chicken Nuggets with Dinner Roll

Vegetarian Baked Beans

Field Day!!!

31

Choice of Bagged Lunch:

Turkey and Cheese Sub

Ham and Cheese Sub

Peanut Butter and Jelly

Offered Daily 5/27-5/30: Turkey Club Sandwich or Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich

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Nutrition and Dental Health

Can an apple a day really keep the doctor away? Does sugar really cause cavities? These questions are frequently asked about teeth, so let's clarify some of the tales, truths and potential misunderstandings about dental health and nutrition. First, if your nutritional intake is poor, often your teeth will be the first to show signs that your body is lacking key nutrients. According to MyPlate, a website from the Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion, an agency of U.S. Department of Agriculture, a balanced and healthy diet should include:

- Fruits and vegetables: Combined, these should cover half your plate at meals.
- Grains: At least half of the grains you eat should be whole grains, such as oatmeal, whole wheat bread and brown rice.
- Dairy: Choose low-fat or fat-free dairy foods most often.

 Protein: Make lean protein choices, such as lean beef, skinless poultry and fish. Vary your protein choices to also include eggs, beans, peas and legumes. Eat at least eight ounces of seafood a week.

As part of a healthy diet, it's important to note that the foods you eat and the beverages you drink can have a direct influence on the incidence and progression of tooth decay. Not only will "sugar" potentially harm teeth, but almost any type of carbohydrate can be troublesome. Bacteria in our mouth uses carbohydrates for food, so when you cut back on sugar in your diet, you automatically reduce your cavity risk. It is also very important to brush your teeth after eating any kind of food. At a minimum, you should brush your teeth morning and night and be sure to see a dentist every six months.



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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BREAKFAST

Grab and Go Breakfast

Includes Juice and Milk

MONDAY: Pop Tart

TUESDAY: Banana Muffin

WEDNESDAY: Cereal

THURSDAY: Pop Tart

FRIDAY: Banana Muffin

Fresh Pick Recipe

ASIAN LETTUCE WRAPS WITH ORANGE SAUCE

- 1 T Olive oil
- 1 lb Turkey(ground)
- 3/4 c Onion(medium dice)
- 3/4 c Bell pepper(medium dice)
- ½ c Celery(sliced thin)
- 2/3 c Orange juice
- 3 T Soy sauce(low sodium)
- 1 ½ T Cornstarch mixed with 3 T water
- 2-3 Drops of Hot Sauce(optional)
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 3 Oranges(peeled/large dice)
- 1 Head of Romaine lettuce(washed/leaves separated)
- ½ c Carrots(shredded)
- ½ c Cilantro
- 1. Prepare all ingredients as directed.
- 2. In medium sauce pan place the oil and turkey and sauté until meat is almost cooked through.
- 3. Add the onions and bell peppers and celery and sauté for 3 minutes. Mix orange juice, soy sauce, and cornstarch mixture in small bowl and then add to the meat mixture.
- 4. Simmer for 3 minutes.
- 5. Add the diced oranges and heat through.
- Place meat mixture in a bowl and serve with the lettuce, carrots, and cilantro in separate bowls.

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