SUMMER RESOURCES

LWSD School Lunches	LWSD will continue to offer free food for pick up at the middle school locations **until August 7**. (Pick up locations may change). **Meals will not be provided during the week of June 29 – July 3** due to the Fourth of July holiday. Pre-order on this website: https://www.lwsd.org/covid-19/grab-go-student-meals
Pandemic EBT	Children on the free/reduced meal program at school can receive money to cover other food costs. These benefits will be on an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card which is used like a debit card to buy groceries. (You must have EBT card to receive this money. You can apply for EBT at washingtonconnection.org) For additional Information about the P-EBT Program, visit the OSPI website here: k12.wa.us/PEBT. **More Info on back.**
Kirkland Food Hotline	Call center staff at Sound Generations will ask a few questions about the caller's situation to connect them with needed services. **The only requirement to receive assistance with food is to be a Kirkland resident. #425-207-4777**
YMCA Grab and Go Lunches	Free lunches for kids age 18 and under. June 23 through August 28 Monday – Friday 11:30am to 12:30pm. Kenmore City Hall 18120 68th Ave NE Kenmore, WA 98028 nlowe@seattleymca.org
HopeLink	Prepackaged box of food – enough for 21 meals. https://www.hopelink.org/location/kirklandnorthshore-food-bank-and-emergency-services **#425-889-7880** 11011 120th Ave NE Kirkland, WA 98033. Hours: Tuesday's 12-4 Wednesdays 3-7 Thursday 10am – 2pm
Church Home	Grocery give away on Friday's, 2-6 PM 9051 132nd Ave NE Kirkland, WA 98033
Open Kitchen	https://openkitchenredmond.com/ Redmond United Methodist Church. 16540 NE 80th Street Redmond WA 98052 Wednesday 5:00 – 6:00 pm
Other Resources	Housing, Legal Assistance, Transportation, Child Care https://www.lwsd.org/programs-and-services/health-services/coronavirus-information/community-resources

Pandemic EBT (P-EBT): Emergency School Meals Program

Get help buying groceries while schools are closed

Does your child receive free or reduced-price school meals or does your child's school provide all meals free?

YES

Do you receive Basic Food benefits?

YES

You will automatically receive P-EBT on your EBT Card.

Benefits will be added to your EBT card by June 30.

NO

You need to apply for P-EBT by visiting WashingtonConnection.org or by calling 877-501-2233.

Your EBT card will arrive in the mail within 35 business days of applying (application will open by June 30).

NO

Call your local school to apply for free/reduced-price school meals and then apply for P-EBT

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Students going to a K-12 school that offers a school lunch program during the school year AND

- Is eligible for free or reduced-price school meals; OR
- Is attending a school where meals are free for all students

CAN IMMIGRANT HOUSEHOLDS APPLY?

Yes. Using P-EBT benefits does not count as a public charge. P-EBT does not change a parent or child's immigration status. P-EBT replaces school meals and are for all families that receive free and reduced-price school meals.

WHAT IS THE BENEFIT?

For children who received free or reduced-price meals when schools closed in March, each family will get $399 per child. For families that enrolled in Basic Food or applied for school meal benefits after schools closed, each child will get less than that. The value depends on when you applied for food assistance.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Applications for P-EBT must be completed by August 31, 2020 or before the start of the 2020-2021 school year–whichever is later.
- If you need help understanding your eligibility or how to apply for benefits, see the Frequently Asked Questions at k12.wa.us/PEBT or call Department of Social and Health Services at 877-501-2233.

Your benefits card will look like this:

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