## School Breakfast & Lunch Program

Breakfast is served every school day from Breakfast is served from 7:55 - 8:15 a.m. or until all buses are in. Lunch and recess are scheduled approximately between 11:12 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., except when there is an 11:30 a.m. or earlier dismissal. On Delayed Start days, no Breakfast will be served.

A K-6 grade student may purchase breakfast for \$ 0.75. A 7th-12th grade student may purchase breakfast for \$ 1.00.

A student may purchase a school lunch for \$ 1.75 for K-6th grade and \$ 2.00 for 7-12th grade or milk for \$ 0.30, or may bring a sack lunch from home.

Menus are posted on the school district website, <u>www.spoon-river.k12.il.us</u> monthly.

Free or reduced price meals are available for qualifying students. Reduced breakfast is 0.30 and reduced lunch price is 0.40. Those families that do not automatically qualify by receiving a Direct Certification Letter in July will need to apply for benefits with a Household Application. Household Applications for the school year will be available at registration, or can be mailed to you by contacting the Director of Food Services.

All school Breakfasts and Lunches comply with the "Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act 2010" regulations.

## **MEAL DEPOSITS:**

ELEMENTARY STUDENTS: Students are to hand their meal deposit money to Elementary Secretary Geri Quick.

JR. HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS: Deposits will be accepted by the cashiers by 10:00 a.m. at the latest. Credit Card Payment deposits may also be made thru the district website <a href="www.spoon-river.k12.il.us">www.spoon-river.k12.il.us</a>, located under the "Sendmoneytoschool' tab.

## **NEGATIVE ACCOUNTS for STUDENTS:**

When a student's meal account balance accrues a negative balance, no ala carte purchase will be allowed. When a student's meal account balance is negative, students will be able to charge a maximum of two additional lunches before having to take the alternate lunch consisting of: a homemade PBJ or a Ham-n-Cheese sandwich (based on allergies on file)-a fruit- a vegetable- and a milk. Breakfast will consist of a cereal, fruit and milk. Student account balances, deposits and purchases may be viewed on the school district website- <a href="https://www.spoon-river.k12.il.us">www.spoon-river.k12.il.us</a>, access thru Sendmoneytoschool service.