The Gooden School

Hot Lunch Program



My name is Leslie Blythe Miller and I have been providing hot lunches for the students at The Gooden School since 2004. I am a parent of two Gooden alumnae: Zoe (who was a teacher assistant at Gooden last year) and Grace. Since studying at La Varenne in Paris and graduating from the Culinary Business Academy, I have had many roles in the culinary world. I am a personal chef, caterer (Blythe's Bites), food blogger (blythesblog.com), and cooking class instructor (teaching both adult and children's cooking classes).

I prepare daily lunches in the school kitchen at a cost of \$6.50 per child. This year no one will be allowed to enter the kitchen before or after lunch service. I will follow safety guidelines by wearing PPE and sanitizing all materials and surfaces within the kitchen and serving areas. During new staggered lunch sessions, small groups of children will pick up their individual lunches one at a time on a table outside of the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR). I plan to take weekly lunch orders (instead of by month) and ask that you place your order by the prior Sunday.

I feel lucky to have been given the opportunity to prepare wholesome meals for the students at The Gooden School. I have learned so much from them and enjoy the challenge of getting them interested in healthy food choices. I am always happy when I can convince a student to try something that they think they dislike, and they end up liking it!

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to call, email, or come find me in the kitchen.

Leslie Blythe Miller Director of Food Services, The Gooden School

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Hot Lunch Menus

BAKED PASTA w/ Salad & Roll BAKED POTATOES w/ Cheese, Bacon & Sour Cream BBQ CHICKEN LEGS w/ Rice & Beans & Salad BBQ CHICKEN SANDWICH w/ Baked Beans & Salad BBQ PULLED PORK SANDWICH w/ Baked Beans & Salad BEAN, CHEESE & RICE BURRITO w/ Salad & Fruit BEEF & BEAN CHILI w/ Crackers & Salad BEEF SHEPHERD'S PIE w/ Tater Tots, Salad & Fruit BREAKFAST FOR LUNCH w/ Waffles & Sausage BURGERS w/ Chips & Fruit CHEESE QUESADILLA w/ Refried Beans & Salad CHEESE TORTELLINI w/ Marinara Sauce (or plain), Salad & Roll CHEESY CHICKEN SUB w/ Salad CHICKEN & CHEESE QUESADILLAS w/ Refried Beans & Salad CHICKEN & VEGGIE TERIYAKI w/ Rice, Salad & Fortune Cookie CHICKEN ALFREDO PASTA w/ Salad & Roll CHICKEN CHOW MEIN w/ Salad & Fruit CHICKEN FRIED RICE w/ Salad & Fortune Cookie CHICKEN PITA SANDWICHES w/ Hummus & Carrots **CHICKEN TORTILLA CASSEROLE & Salad** CHICKEN, PINTO BEAN & RICE BOWL HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE CHICKEN w/ Rice & Salad HEBREW NATIONAL ALL BEEF HOT DOG w/ Fruit & Chips MAC & CHEESE w/ Salad & Fruit MEATBALL SUB w/ Salad NACHOS SUPREME w/ Refried Beans, beef, lettuce, cheese & Salsa PEPPERONI PIZZA MAC & CHEESE w/ Salad & Fruit PEPPERONI PIZZA QUESADILLA w/ Salad & Fruit SLOPPY JOE w/ Salad & Side of the Day TACOS w/ Sides of the Day THAI CHICKEN BOWL w/ Jasmine Rice VEGGIE SPAGHETTI PIE w/ Salad & Fruit