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River Trail Families,

Please review this very important information regarding the Student Code of Conduct, School Meals, and the Infinite Campus Parent Portal.

Updates to the Fulton County Student Code of Conduct for the 2022-2023 school year include:

- Personal Communication Device (PCD) Policy Update
- Inappropriate recording and distribution using a personal communication device
- Bus interference while in motion

<u>Updates to the Student Code of Conduct 2022-2023</u>

The River Trail Cell Phone Policy includes:

- 1. Cell phones, smart watches, or other personal communication devices may be used on school grounds in the gym or cafeteria before the 8:40 AM bell and after students exit the school building for afternoon dismissal.
- 2. Cell phones, smart watches, or other personal communication device use is prohibited during the instructional day unless otherwise stated by a teacher.
- 3. During the instructional day, cell phones, smart watches, or other personal communication devices must remain in hall lockers and in silent mode.
- 4. Unless explicitly allowed by a staff member, headphones and other listening devices may only be used before the 8:40 AM bell and after students exit the school building for afternoon dismissal.
- 5. If students need to place an emergency phone call during the day, they should request to go to the main office to use an office phone.
- 6. The school and staff are not responsible for any damage to, or theft of a student's cell phones, smart watches, personal communication devices, and headphones. Students must properly secure and take care of their own phones.

If students violate the school's cell phone policy, the following may occur:

- **First offense:** The student's cell phone, smart watch, or other personal communication device will be confiscated by a staff member and held in the main office until the end of the school day. Before being allowed to pick up their phone at the end of the day, students must discuss and review the cell phone policy with a staff member.
- Second offense: The student's cell phone, smart watch, or other personal communication device will be confiscated and held in the main office until the student's parents are able to come to pick it up. The student's parents will be contacted and informed of the refusal to follow the school's cell phone policy.
- Third offense: The student's cell phone, smart watch, or other personal communication device will be confiscated and held in the main office until the student's parents are able to come to pick it up. The student will receive an administrative detention and will be prohibited from bringing their cell phone back on school grounds for two weeks.

School Breakfast & Lunch Meal Prices SY22-23

Breakfast		Lunch	
Elementary School Student	\$1.10	Elementary School Student	\$2.45
Middle School Student	\$1.25	Middle School Student	\$2.70
High School Student	\$1.25	High School Student	\$2.70
Reduced Price	\$0.30	Reduced Price	\$0.40
All Adults	\$2.00	All Adults	\$4.00
Milk	\$0.75	Milk	\$0.75

^{*}Students may purchase extra milk for \$0.75.

- At Elementary and Middle Schools, the meal price includes up to 1 entrée, 1 fruit side, up to 2 vegetable sides, and 1 milk choice.
- At High Schools, the meal price includes up to 1 entrée, up to 2 fruit sides, up to 2 vegetable sides, and 1 milk choice.

All students can decline food groups, as long as there is at least a ½ cup of fruit or vegetable plus 2 other food groups on the tray. For the same price, students may select 3, 4, or all 5 food groups for a complete meal!

Free & Reduced Meal Applications SY22-23

The Free & Reduced Meal Benefits Program is a part of the National Child Nutrition Program. This program makes Free or Reduced priced meals available to qualifying households. Qualifications are based on the gross income of all household members and the number of persons living in the house. A **new** application must be completed every school year. If there is an interruption in benefits or the household does not reapply, the household is responsible for payment of meals until the Free and Reduced Application is approved. **Free & Reduced Meal Applications are available** here.

Infinite Campus Parent Portal

Parents of new students have access to class schedules, attendance records and grades through the Parent Portal, an easy-to-use, secure communications tool. **New parents can click <u>here</u> for directions to activate your account**.

River Trail Middle School