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Media Advisory

Students to give thumbs up or thumbs down on new school recipes during fourth annual “Student Choice Food Challenge”

Who: Approximately 160 students from across the district

What: Student Choice Food Challenge

Why: Fulton County Schools is hosting its fourth annual Student Choice Food Challenge, an event where students from across the school system come together to taste and vote for potential new school meal recipes.

The Food Challenge is an opportunity for Fulton’s own students to give a voice in selecting healthy school meal recipes, empowering them to make nutritious choices while increasing their awareness of dietary guidelines that impact school meals.

Students will taste test potential new recipes to be served in school meals, and provide feedback through student ratings. The collected data will help the district determine which student-approved recipes will be added to school menus. The Fulton County School Nutrition Program has principle responsibilities for operating in 95 school kitchens to provide the National School Lunch, School Breakfast, After School Snacks, Seamless Summer Feeding and the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Programs across the district.

When: Friday, March, 15, 2019

10 a.m. – Hillside Elementary Students
11:20 a.m. – Creekside High School Students
12:30 p.m. – Webb Bridge Middle School Students

Where: Fulton County Schools Administrative Center
6201 Powers Ferry Road, Atlanta
470-254-3600

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About the Fulton County School System. The Fulton County School System is the fourth largest school system in Georgia. More than 95,000 students attend 106 schools in the cities of Alpharetta, Chattahoochee Hills, College Park, East Point, Fairburn, Hapeville, Johns Creek, Milton, Mountain Park, Palmetto, Roswell, Sandy Springs, South Fulton and Union City.