

BREAKFAST AFTER THE BELL

Frequently Asked Questions



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KIPP Philadelphia Public Schools is committed to ensuring that all of our students start the day with a healthy breakfast. Kids who eat breakfast tend to perform better in school, have better attendance rates, and display fewer behavior problems. We know that morning routines can be hectic and many kids aren't hungry when they wake up and that is exactly why we provide breakfast every morning in a way that allows all students to participate, even after the bell.

KIPP Philadelphia Public Schools serves breakfast in a way that is accessible to students:

Breakfast in the Classroom – breakfast is served to students after the start of the school day in their classrooms. Students have an opportunity during the first 15 minutes of class to eat breakfast with their classmates and get the fuel they need to be ready to learn. Teachers will begin lessons as usual during breakfast time.

There are many great things about our improved breakfast program. In addition to having access to a nutritious breakfast, eating with classmates every morning creates a community experience, and it takes pressure off parents and caretakers to provide breakfast in the morning. The [No Kid Hungry Starts with Breakfast](#) resource is a great way to find out more about the benefits of breakfast, including how kids who eat breakfast do better in math, miss fewer days of school, and are more likely to graduate high school than their peers who don't eat breakfast regularly.



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