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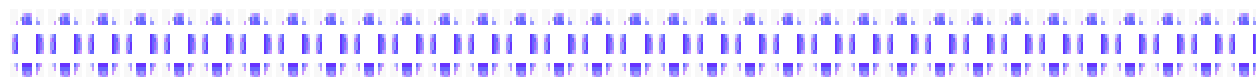
Dear District Resident:

The Board of Education will be adopting the 2023-24 school district budget during the month of March. As we work to create the proposed budget, we continue to factor in our tax levy threshold, which is determined by the state, as well as anticipated revenues and expenditures.

The Board of Education will be reviewing our spending plan for the 2024-25 school year. As we create the budget, we continue to keep the best interests of our students as our priority and present a fiscally responsible spending plan to our community with the goal of maintaining the breadth and depth that we are proud to offer at the Holland Patent Central School District.

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to all of those involved in the development of our budget. It is a team effort, and it is truly appreciated.

Dr. Cheryl J. Venettozzi
Superintendent of Schools



A message from Cliff Casab, Food Service Director...

What is a Reimbursable Meal?

Reimbursable Meal – A single priced meal unit that offers all of the USDA daily required meal pattern components for each age/grade group served in the minimum required amounts. Quantities vary by age/grade group, but components remain constant and necessary for all student meals claimed for reimbursement.

Lunch meal pattern consists of five food components: fruits, vegetables, grains, meats/meat alternates (m/ma); fluid milk (1% or fat-free white or fat-free flavored). To be in compliance with the National School Lunch Program, students must take at least three components in the required serving sizes. One selection must be ½ cup from either the fruit or vegetable component.

Breakfast meal pattern consists of four food components: fruit, grains, vegetable, fluid milk (1% or fat-free white or fat-free flavored). To be in compliance with the National School Breakfast Program, students must select at least three components in the required serving sizes.