



# The Good News

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**Please add our phone numbers to your contacts so you know who is calling you.**

## August is . . .

- National Food Days
- Watermelon Day - Thursday, August 3, 2023
- More Herbs, Less Salt Day - Thursday, August 3, 2023
- Mustard Day - Sunday, August 6, 2023
- Zucchini Day - Tuesday, August 8, 2023
- Potato Day - Saturday, August 19, 2023
- Trail Mix Day - Thursday, August 31, 2023
- National Food Weeks
- Farmers Market Week - Sunday, August 6, 2023 to Saturday, August 12, 2023
- World Breastfeeding Week - Monday, August 7, 2023 to Sunday, August 13, 2023
- National Food Months
- Back to School Month
- Family Fun Month
- Kids Eat Right Month™
- Peach Month
- Sandwich Month

### [August Food Calendar](#)

**Reimbursement table** to include dates for when all supporting documents are due to the office. **The due date listed is the last possible date for the claim to be accepted. Your claim is due to the office on the 1st of every month with the grace period of up to the 5th working day of the month.**

Claim Month	All Supporting Documents* Due Date	Payment Date
July	August 17, 2023	August 25, 2023
August	September 18, 2023	September 29, 2023

- **Supporting documents** include, but not limited to: Cover sheet, Menus, Meal Attendance, Daily Attendance, Enrollments, and Meal Modification forms.

### Tier rates for July

#### Tier 1

Breakfast - \$ 1.65  
 Lunch/Dinner - \$ 3.12  
 Snack - \$ .93

#### Tier 2

Breakfast - \$ .59  
 Lunch/Dinner - \$ 1.88  
 Snack - \$ .25

New enrollments have been mailed if you don't receive yours by August 4th, send us a text message or call so we can send out another packet for you. Annual enrollments have to be completed by all families in your care, including your own, or your reimbursement for the August claim will be delayed.

Keeping Labels as supporting documentation of the menu served.

**Very important!** 95% of you are doing this correctly so by mentioning the problem to you, please don't feel like you have to make corrections to something that you are successful in. Some of you aren't

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keeping any documentation on file of whole grain items, cereals, yogurts and the convenience items and the state office just issued clarification with a fiscal action. Fiscal action means disallowance of meals. From KSDE:

- Documentation must be on file to ensure that the product being served meets meal pattern requirements. If no labels are on file and the product is not available during the monitoring visit, then **the meals would need to be disallowed due to missing documentation** showing the food items meet the meal pattern requirements.
- Currently we issue a Corrective Action Plan for you to fill out stating how you will keep the needed documentation on file and available for review. We won't disallow meals if we see that you are making an effort to keep the needed documentation; however, you didn't realize that you needed this one label. In that situation we can note that we offered technical assistance while at the home visit, and we will look for it to be corrected the next time we come.

**Barbara is leaving us, we will miss her. Barbara has worked mostly in the office for the past few years, she conducted a few home visits and she helped out in the training. She was a vital member of the team, during the COVID time she helped keep the office running. Barbara did many of the behind the scene things and she did her best to try and keep Janet in line.**

#### Fun Facts About Peaches

1. **“The Peach State” is Georgia’s nickname.**
2. **Peaches are a great source of vitamins A and C.**
3. **You can buy two main varieties of peaches: clingstone and freestone. It is harder to remove the flesh from the pit on a clingstone peach.**
4. **The flesh of a peach should have a slight give, but use your whole hand vs. fingertips to check. Peaches will not ripen further once removed from the tree.**
5. **A large peach has fewer than 70 calories and contains 3 grams of fiber.**
6. **“The World’s Largest Peach Cobbler” is made every year in Georgia. The cobbler measures 11 feet by 5 feet.**
7. **August is National Peach Month**
8. **Peaches are at their peak from June to the end of August.**



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