



TASTY BITES PROGRAM

Delicious & Nutritious Signature Recipes

Tasty Bites are chef-inspired recipes, using familiar foods students know and love. Some examples of our filling dishes are Frozen Yogurt Floats, fall inspired Apple Nachos, and our "back by popular demand" recipe, Apple Dumplings.

Tasty Bites are not only delicious, but at the elementary grade level, our chefs designed the recipes to meet a component of a reimbursable meal too.

At the middle and high school level, the Tasty Bites recipes are a la carte items.

The students at the high/ middle school got a special treat of apple nachos for the Tasty Bite Program for the month of October. They felt Halloween came early.

RESULTS

Elementary held a pancake bar. Lunch went from a daily average of 288 meals to serving 322 student meals that day.

288 VS. 322



TNG GETS

Social



Pancake Bar



PANCAKE BAR

You Batter Believe its Pancake Day

The students faces had smiles for the build your own pancake bar at the Elementary. Our guest chef was Andy Bergman, Regional Director. Thumbs up for the pancake bar!

COMING SOON *to Your Cafeteria!*



Farm to Fork

Harvest Feast November 6th at elementary and 7th at the high/middle school.

Harvest's Baked Ham and Turkey



Food Fusion

November 5, 2018

Served BBQ'd Pork Mac & Cheese Waffle Cone. Everything tasted better in a cone.



Wellness Wednesday

November 14th 2018

Try something new at elementary for wellness Wednesday. Oven Roasted Carrots is November sampling for the elementary students.



Grilled Cheese Bar

November 13, 2018

Goey grilled cheese varieties will be for Lunch at High/Middle School. Fun combinations such as; Mac and cheese, buffalo chicken, and pulled pork and cheese grilled cheese.



CORPORATE SUPPORT

Culinary and Dietary Teams Support NSLW

TNG's Culinary and Dietary teams work together to create and develop healthy, well-balanced meals. Your dining program offers a variety of menu choices that our chefs and dietitians have created that fit the dietary guidelines, while keeping students' preferences in the forefront to deliver meals students want.

"School Lunch: Lots to Love" is this year's theme for National School Lunch Week, celebrated October 15-19, 2018. This campaign is designed to promote healthy menus to increase lunch participation and raise awareness about the importance of school meals. Our Culinary and Dietary professionals created menus that will attract and engage your students during National School Lunch Week and every other week during the school year.

Fresh Experiences!

During the pancake station the student walked into the café and said:

"Serve this every week"

"This broccoli salad is delicious."

Student who kept coming back up for more samples of the Broccoli Salad for Wellness Wednesday

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