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DISTRICT SHIFTING MEAL DELIVERY SERVICE

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(MACON, GA) – The Bibb County School District is changing the schedule of its meal delivery service for students and other children in the county. Beginning October 5, meals will be available on Mondays and Wednesdays at both school curbside sites and along the bus delivery routes. Bus routes will no longer run five days a week; instead meals for multiple days will be delivered during each route drop-off, similar to the curbside pickup process.

This change was made to accommodate stakeholder concerns about meal pickups conflicting with virtual learning. Wednesday is an asynchronous learning day for students in the District, meaning their schedule is more flexible on those days, causing less interruption to instructional time. For more information on these options and to register for meal service, visit www.bcsdk12.net/mealsinfo or call 478-779-2612.

Students in the Bibb County School District can receive school breakfast and lunch at no charge under the USDA Seamless Summer Option Waiver. The free meal opportunity was made possible by action announced on September 1, 2020, by Secretary Sonny Perdue on behalf of the United States Department of Agriculture and is intended to support students and school systems during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The USDA Seamless Summer Option Waiver providing the free feeding program will run through December 22, 2020, or when federal funding is depleted – whichever happens first. The program is available to all children under 18, and those older than 18 if they have a state-defined mental or physical disability.

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