Lunch Assistance Policy (approved 5/27/14)

Pioneer Springs Community School is committed to serving the needs of our students. We will strive to ensure that all students have access to our educational model by providing viable options for families and children in need of transportation and lunch assistance. The Pioneer Springs Service Fund will be utilized to offset financial burdens for families in need.

<u>Lunch Plan</u>

We know that healthy meals support healthy bodies and minds, which are critical to optimal student development, learning, and happiness. Children at Pioneer Springs Community School bring a healthy snack and lunch from home each day. If a child is in need of a healthy lunch or snack, we will provide lunch for any student who demonstrates financial need, determined using the guidelines set by the Federal free and reduced lunch program. We will utilize outside food vendors to cater meals for those students. In keeping with the Pioneer Springs' mission, focus, and educational philosophy, we will strive to arrange for healthy, nutritious, and environmentally friendly meals, and will partner with local vendors capable of providing such. We will ensure that no Pioneer Springs student will go hungry during the school day.