

Fitzsimons Early Learning Center Weekly Center Menu

July 21st - 25th, 2014

**Menu Approval Instructions: For Drop-In and BUCA children or enrolled infants who aren't yet cleared to routinely eat all center foods (barring any Meal Modification Plans), please review the meals below and place a line through (e.g. Rice) any components that should not be offered.

Each first-level bullet listed on a meal is served as a single dish which does not allow for modified serving styles. A substitution should replace all parts listed.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast (8:15-9:00)	 Kix Cereal Blueberries Milk Milk 	 Waffles Bananas Milk Milk 	 Rice Crispy Cereal Pineapple Milk Milk 	 Breakfast Parfait	 Oatmeal G Apple Slices F Milk D
Lun (11:15-)	 Black Bean Burrito with Wheat Tortilla Spanish Rice Seasoned Potatoes Mandarin Oranges Milk 	Baked Parmesan Meatball & Stuffing Cheesy Quinoa Peas Peaches Milk	 Creamy Chicken Noodle Bake	 Penne Pasta G with Marinara Sauce Mixed Veggies V Peas, carrots, corn, green & lima beans Pears G Milk D 	 BBQ Pulled Pork Meat with Wheat Bun G Coleslaw V Tropical Fruit F Papaya, mango, pineapple Milk D
	 Milk D Bread Sticks C Cantaloupe F Water 	 Cheese Cubes Pineapple Water 	 Cottage Cheese Peaches Water 		 Cornbread Honeydew Water
Snack (5:15-6:00)	 String Cheese Cucumbers Water 	 Crispix Cereal Cantaloupe Water 	 Rice Cake Bell Peppers Water 	 Graham Crackers Banana Water 	 Cheerios Carrot Sticks Water

Legend of Meal Attributes

- G-Grain (whole grains emphasized)
- ✓-Vegetable
- Fruit (canned in water or light juice)
- D-Dairy (milk is certified organic)
- P-Protein (lean meats emphasized)

Meat -Meat is included in this component

Special Preparation Notes

- Substitutions for restricted foods will be prepared for children with allergies to a specific food as documented by the child's physician, but not for preferences, like vegetarian diets.
- In Infant and Toddler classrooms; bite sizes of 1/4 inch, vegetables are softened by steaming, fibrous foods are pureed to reduce choking, and hard/sharp foods are substituted by the kitchen.

**Review and Approval
Child's Name
Guardian's Signature and Date