

**Winton Woods City Schools
Winton Woods Middle
Suburban – Cincinnati, Ohio, Hamilton County
*Innovative Breakfast Programs***

2019 Champion Award



Collaborators:

- Principal-Doug Sanker, Vice Principal-Adib Dixon
- Child Nutrition Director-Mark Docter, Assistant- Vicki Koeninger & Andrea Tellez
- Kitchen Manager-Debbie Siemen, Kitchen Associate-Marianne Fowler
- Executive Director Business Affairs-Steve Denny
- Communications-Corinna Denny, Photographer-Drew Jackson
- Custodian-Scarlett and Grey
- Partners for Breakfast in the Classroom (PBIC) and Children's Hunger Alliance



Serving Strategy:

- Grab-n-Go
- Breakfast in the Classroom

Goals:

- Increase Breakfast Participation by moving breakfast to the classroom
- Increase speed of service using grab-n-go from breakfast carts located in hallway
- Implement biometric finger scanners to move students through the line at a faster rate.

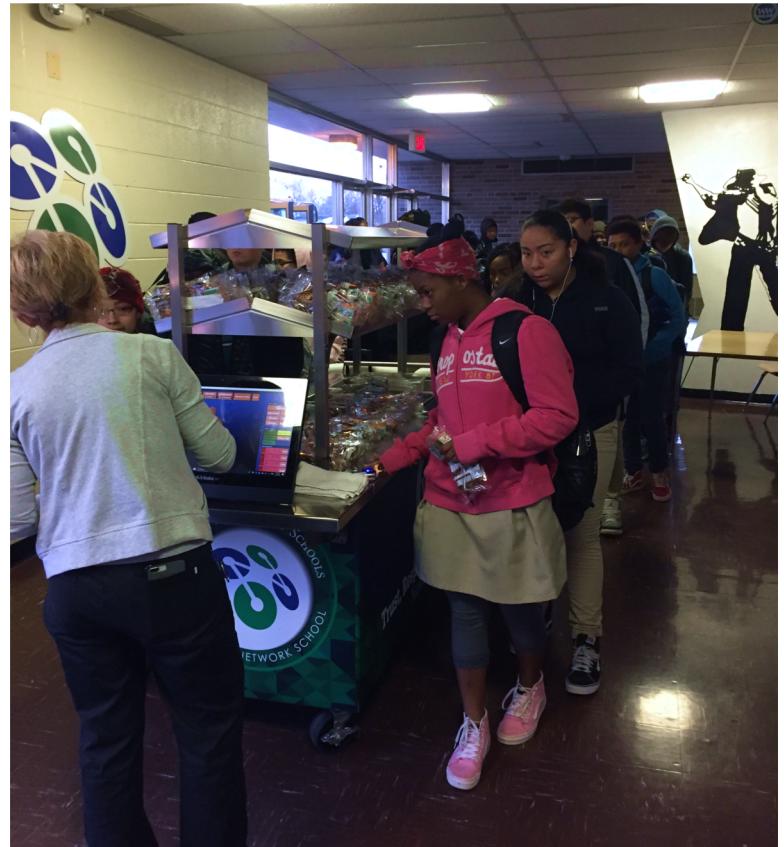
Results:

- Breakfast participation increased 45% over the previous year
- Less trips to nurse's office related to hunger
- Administration and teachers report more positive attitude
- Plan to launch weekend breakfast meals and breakfast as part of the Summer Food Service Program

Winton Woods City Schools is committed to ensuring that ALL students have access to breakfast. With support of administration and PBIC grant funding, Winton Woods Middle launched breakfast in the classroom in October 2018. Students enter the building, grab a breakfast kit from a cart in the hallway and go to their classrooms to eat breakfast. The Grab-n-go model increased the speed of service and now more than 200 students get breakfast in a 15-minute time period. Students eat breakfast in the classroom while teachers go over daily schedules to prepare for the academic day. Nurses report that there are fewer visits to the nurse's office related to hunger and administration and teachers comment that student attitudes are better. Breakfast participation has increased by 45% over the previous year.

With the success of breakfast in the classroom at the middle school and the commitment to address the nutritional and academic needs of all students, breakfast in the classroom will be established at all buildings levels next year.

The district also plans on providing two breakfast meals on weekends and breakfast as part of the Summer Food Service Program.



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