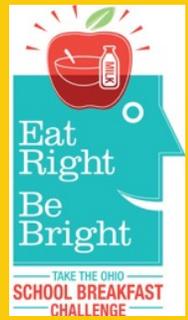


Noble Local School District  
Shenandoah Elementary  
Rural, Sarahsville, Ohio  
Noble County



**Breakfast & Beyond-2022**

**Collaborators**

- District & Building Administrators, Teachers
- Cook Staff, Janitor
- Children's Hunger Alliance

**School District Instructional & Meal Options**

SY 2021-2022- In-person instruction

- Grab-n-Go Breakfast to eat in the gym or classroom
- Breakfast and Lunch are offered at no charge.

**Goals**

- Increase school breakfast access and participation in school breakfast.
- Provide students with a balanced meal and time to socialize with friends.

**Results**

- Approximately 75% of students eat a daily breakfast.

*SY: 2020-21- The kitchen at the elementary school is located above the gym. The placement of the kitchen is a logistic hurdle for transporting and distributing breakfast to students. The district planned to implement a Grab-n-Go breakfast using a breakfast cart that was received through a grant. The cart would be placed in the gym so students could pick up breakfast before school. However, the plan was never implemented because of the shuttering of schools.*

*SY 2021-22- The coordination and planning that was put forth to offer breakfast in the gym came to fruition with the start of the 2021-22 school year. The nutrition department worked with school administrators and janitors to work out the "bugs" to implement a Grab-n-Go breakfast to eat in the gym or in the classroom. The nutrition department laid out a plan for consuming milk in the classroom, garbage can placement, and even storage of the breakfast cart. With the support of the building principal, the nutrition department secured a small room near the gym to store the breakfast cart and daily supplies needed to serve breakfast. Teachers and support staff were also concerned about students spilling milk with cereal. The problem was avoided by offering cereal only in the cafeteria.*

*Recently, the nutrition department has prepared and served hot entrées in the gym. Students are enjoying a hot meal and have the opportunity to speak with staff about new menu options.*

*Grab-n-Go breakfast in the gym has been successful. More students start the day with a balanced meal and older students have the opportunity to socialize and connect with younger students at school.*



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