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# ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

THE CATHOLIC SCHOOL OF ST. FRANCIS DE SALES AND ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

## *"A La Carte" Guidelines 2015-2016*

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The "a la carte" option will be available to students in 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade with the purchase of an "a la carte" punch card. All items on "a la carte" will meet the *Smart Snacks Guidelines* regulated by the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act.

Punch cards are available for \$20 from the front office. The cards will be kept on file in the lunchroom. It will be up to your child to tell you when they need a new card.

### **Rules for "a la carte":**

1. Students must finish all of his or her lunch before purchasing "a la carte."
2. Students must have their purchases checked off their punch card by kitchen staff.
3. ONLY students in 6<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are eligible to purchase 2<sup>nd</sup> entrees if they are available. All students must have been served and eaten their first lunch before seconds will be offered.
4. The cut off time to get a la carte is five minutes before student cafeteria dismissal as food is not permitted to leave Marian Hall.
5. "A la carte" will only be available when there is not a line of students being served their first lunch.

A la carte menu items may vary from day to day but usually contain:

- \$0.25 items – string cheese, fruit
- \$0.35 item – milk (a second milk is considered a la carte)
- \$0.50 items – yogurt, granola bars, Nutrigrain bars, Rice Krispie bars, Teddy Grahams, fruit juice
- \$0.75 items – PB&J grahams, Scooby Doo snacks, Goldfish crackers, baked chips, chips and salsa
- \$1.25 items – 2<sup>nd</sup> entrees (available to 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders only)

*For students/parents to purchase an "a la carte" punch card, permission slips are required. Each student will need his/her own punch card.*

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### **"A La Carte" Permission Slip**

Student Name 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name 3 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

I give my permission for this student/these students to use a punch card to purchase items from "a la carte."

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_