Primary School Heat and Serve



ABOUT THIS MENU

This menu has been designed to suit a primary school with heat and serve facilities as it has:

- Food and drinks that appeal to primary school students
- Foods that require minimal preparation
- Less emphasis on freshly prepared recipes, and more on heat and serve lunches and snacks
- A variety of packaged foods and drinks

EQUIPMENT NEEDED FOR THIS MENU

- Fridge/freezer
- Electric fry pan
- Sandwich press
- Microwave
- Pie warmer
- Kettle
- Blender
- Toaster

MENU TIPS

- 1. If you are preparing food ahead of time to be reheated or cooked on the day, make it on days when you have the most staff or volunteers.
- 2. Primary school-aged students are still learning about money. Consider creating a promotional poster of Everyday snacks, foods and drinks that show the price of the items using images of coins or notes.
- 3. Use exciting names for your menu items, such as "Fantastic Fried Rice".

Calculating the % of Everyday items on this menu		
(Monday, Thursday, Friday):		
Total	34	
Everyday	29	
Everyday ÷ Total x 100	(29 ÷ 34) x 100	
% of Everyday items	85%	

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Calculating the % of Everyday items on this menu (Tuesday, Wednesday):	
Total	33
Everyday	28
Everyday ÷ Total x 100	(28 ÷ 33) x 100
% of Everyday items	85%

For canteens that have different menus on different days of the week, each day is counted separately and all days should have at least 3/4 Everyday food and drinks.

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