Chariton Community School District Wellness Action Plan

Adopted: May 21, 2024

(In compliance with IA Code: 507.9)

Wellness Plan Implementation, Monitoring, Accountability, and Community Engagement.

| Action Step | Indicators of success | People to involve | Timeline |
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| A District Wellness Committee (DWC) will be established. Meets at least once annually to evaluate the | Annual MeetingReview of Wellness Policy | School Principal Teacher (s) | Currently meets once a year |
| effectiveness of the Wellness Plan and to set goals for the upcoming school year. <u>DWC oversees the following tasks:</u> • Tri-Annual Review of Wellness | Sets goals for upcoming school year. Annual Distribution of Healthy Snack material to parents. | Food Service Director Staff and Curriculum Members Food Service | |
| Policy Distribution of the Wellness Policy Implementation of the Wellness Policy. Required Monitoring and Record Keeping for the Wellness Policy. | Nutrition Promotion | Parents | |

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| Meals served through the National | | | |
| School Lunch program will: | | | |
| Meet at a minimum nutritional requirements established by state and federal laws. | Food Service Director will plan and record menus in compliance with USDA recommendations. | Food Service Director Department of Education Consultants | Ongoing |
| Offer a variety of fruits and vegetables. | Review of menus by Department of Education with suggestions and recommendations for menus | | |
| Serve only low-fat (1%) and fat free milk and nutritionally equivalent non-dairy alternatives. (As defined by the USDA.) | | | |
| Ensure that half of the grains in meal planning are whole grain. | | | |

Goal 1: Establish nutrition guidelines for all foods available at Chariton Community Schools

| All foods and beverages sold individually outside the reimbursable hot lunch program during the school day will meet nutrition standards as required by state or federal law. Parents will be encouraged to send health snack items for regular and birthday snacks. | CCSD will sell only a la carte items that meet the smart snack requirements. Foods will be ran through the smart snacks calculator to assure they meet the requirements. After school food and beverage sales for the CCSD concession stand will not be sold before 4:00 p.m. A list of healthy snacks will be send home annually with each family. | Food Service Director Principal Teachers Concession Stand coordinators. Parents | |
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| All foods made available at CCSD | All food service providers will receive HACCP training All food service workers will participate in ongoing professional development. Guidelines and requirements for food safety will be shared with the Concession Stand workers. Food safety rules will be posted in the concession stand. All foods made available at CCSD will comply with state and local safety and sanitation regulations. | Food Service Director | Ongoing |
| adhere to food safety and security | | Cafeteria Workers | Evaluated |
| guidelines. | | Concession Workers | Annually |

Goal 2: Nutrition Education and Promotion

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| Review K-8 Health and Physical Education curriculum to ensure nutrition education, healthy eating, | Elementary classroom teachers integrate nutrition into science, health, and P.E. curriculum. Extra | School Principal | Ongoing |
| and physical activity are incorporated into the program. | recess, brain breaks and movement vidoes. | Teachers | |
| | | PE Teachers | |
| | Teachers encourage healthy eating. | | |
| | Teachers encourage physical activity. Youth Basketball | | |
| Increase student, parental, and staff awareness of the importance of | Add a wellness link to the CCSD webpage referring students, staff, | School Principal | |
| healthy eating and physical activity in their child's overall wellness. | and parents to current health, nutrition and wellness websites. | PE Teachers | |
| | | Food Service Director | |
| Increase communication to students and parents regarding caloric balance | Parent information may be obtained through the health, | Administrative Staff | |
| between food intake and physical education. | nutrition and wellness websites and monthly newsletters. | | |

Goal 3: Physical Activity

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| CCSD will provide Physical activity a minimum of 30 minutes daily for K-5 th | CCSD will provide K-5 a minimum of 30 minutes of physical activity | School Principal PE Teachers | Ongoing |
| grade. | per day. | Parent Volunteers City Recreation | Evaluated: Annually |
| Middle School & High School students will receive 120 minutes per week. | 6 – 12th P.E., school & non-school sponsored athletics | Department | |
| Students in 3 rd -8 th grade may participate in the following extra- curricular programs | Speed & Agility and Running Club | Coaches Teachers | Evaluated: Annually |
| The CCSD Strength and Conditioning program help students build strength and learn how to condition their bodies. | Sessions are held twice a week for students in 6th-8th grades. | Coaches | Evaluated: Annually |
| Students in grades K-5 will participate in an annual field day to promote | All students participate | Coaches Teachers | Spring Event |
| physical fitness | | Parent Volunteers | Ongoing |
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| Students and teachers will participate | Jump rope for heart 3rd – 5th | Parent Volunteers | |
| in special programs that promote | grades | School Principal | Annually |
| healthy lifestyles | | Teachers | |
| | KidsFit 3rd – 5th grades | American Heart | |
| | C | Association | |
| | • Stomp out tobacco 6 th – 12 th | Hy-Vee Kids Fit | |
| | grades | Lucas County Public | |
| | 0 | Health | |

Goal 4: Promote Wellness In Other School-Based Activities

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| CCSD will support parent's efforts to provide a healthy diet and daily physical activities. | CCSD Website Links to promote healthy diet and daily physical activities. | School Wellness Committee | Ongoing |
| | Food Bank available to the community located at the Middle School Encouraging parents to pack | School Principal Teachers Administrative Staff | Evaluated: Annually |
| Increase opportunities for students to have physical activity during the school day beyond P.E. classes. | Integrate physical activity into classroom lessons. | School Principal Teachers | Ongoing |

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| | Encourage teachers to provide short physical breaks between lessons or classes. | | Evaluated: Annually |
| | Encourage self-management skills to maintain a physically active lifestyle and reduce sedentary activities. | | |
| Promote staff wellness by encouraging healthy eating, physical activity, and other elements of a healthy lifestyle. | • As a faculty, brainstorm ideas where we can collectively support one another in meeting this goal. | School Principal Teachers/Staff | Ongoing Evaluated: Annually |