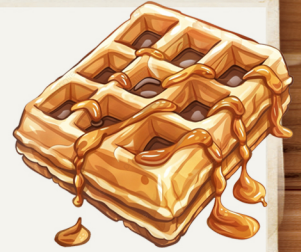




# FOOD AT CAMP



Food at Chestnut is one of the most important and outstanding dimensions of the camp experience. We invest a great deal in the highest quality ingredients, professionals, and resources to provide fresh, abundant, diverse, nutritious, and kid-friendly meals and snacks every day.



Here are some of the hallmarks of the great food service at Chestnut:

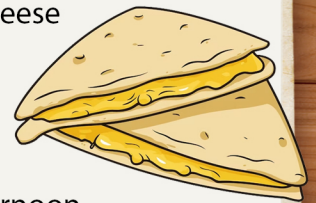
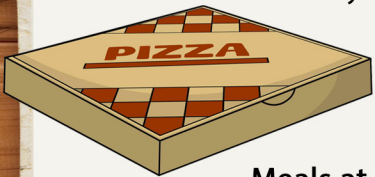
**We are a fully nut-free camp.** We serve no products containing nuts nor do we have nuts as ingredients in any foods served on-site or with any off-site programs. We are also sesame-sensitive at Chestnut (since the USDA's change in policy regarding sesame as an allergen in 2023, we have continued to avoid serving sesame products and if it is listed as a potential ingredient or cross-contaminant, we share this with our community). We encourage parents with a child that has an allergy to sesame to consult our staff in advance of the summer.

Chestnut operates a family-style food service program, and we also allow campers to access salad bars and hot/cold buffet stations every meal (featuring pasta, sandwiches, and more). Campers eat together with their bunkmates or Division-mates (gender/grade group) and their counselors in an air-conditioned Dining Hall. A few times per week, we enjoy meals at The Grove (served from our outdoor kitchen).

Chestnut has created an extraordinary program for meeting the needs of campers with dietary restrictions and/or food allergies that can be accommodated (specific needs should be discussed prior to enrollment). In addition to equipment, resources, and staff that support these needs, we have an outstanding Specialty Foods Coordinator that will oversee and personally address each child's needs.

Here are some of the foods that highlight our amazing menu:

Bagels, Waffles, Pancakes, French Toast Sticks, Egg/Cheese Sandwiches, Cinnamon Rolls, Scrambles Eggs, Breakfast Burrito, Turkey Bacon/Turkey Sausage, Philly Cheesesteak, Tacos, Quesadillas, Pulled-BBQ Sandwiches, Chicken Nuggets, Grilled Cheese Pizza, Chicken Tenders, Chicken Wings, Chipotle Bowls, Beef Chili, Chicken Parm Sandwiches, Flank Steak, Gyros, BBQ Cookout, Spaghetti & Meatballs, General Tso's Chicken, Fajitas, Fried Chicken, Brownies, Cake, Cookies, Ice Pops, Ice Cream, and much more.



Meals at camp are served in two shifts (divided into younger/older coed groups). We serve Moo Call (afternoon snack) between approximately 2-3 PM daily, and our campers enjoy Milk & Cookies (or a substitute) each night with their bunks. We also have a fabulous Canteen where we provide "Candy Canteen" twice weekly, and all Divisions visit at least once each week to play games, relax, and enjoy special snacks such as popcorn, soft pretzels, or ice cream.