

**MIDDLESEX MIDDLE SCHOOL  
LUNCH GROUP PROGRAM**

Dear Parents,

I would like to invite your child to join our Middlesex Middle School Lunch Group Program – “MEET & EAT”, which provides structured opportunities for students to meet, interact and have fun with other students who will be practicing their social skills. Your child may have participated in a similar type of group in elementary school or in previous years at Middlesex and we would like to include them again this year.

- During “Meet & Eat”, the students will have their lunch, practice social skills and engage in entertaining games and activities.
- “Meet & Eat” meets during the lunch study period in a quiet setting outside of the cafeteria.
- “Meet & Eat” will consist of 3-8 students and will be facilitated by a certified staff member.
- Your child may be invited to attend “Meet & Eat” approximately every 3 weeks on a specific day of the week.
- An invitation will be extended in advance of this 3 week commitment.

The Lunch Group Program offers your child the opportunity to develop new friendships and increase awareness about children with diverse interests and needs, while enhancing positive social interaction among our MMS students – it’s a wonderful opportunity for all involved!

If your child is interested in joining Lunch Group at any time throughout the year, please sign this form and return it to your child’s homeroom teacher.

Sincerely,

Debi Boccanfuso  
Principal

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**“Meet & Eat” PERMISSION SLIP**

**I GIVE PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD, \_\_\_\_\_, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE “Meet & Eat” LUNCH GROUP PROGRAM.**

**2009-2010 SCHOOL YEAR GRADE \_\_\_\_\_ HOMEROOM\_\_\_\_\_**

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**PARENT SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**

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**PARENT NAME (PRINTED)**

**HOMEROOM TEACHERS: PLEASE RETURN TO THE MAIN OFFICE.**