

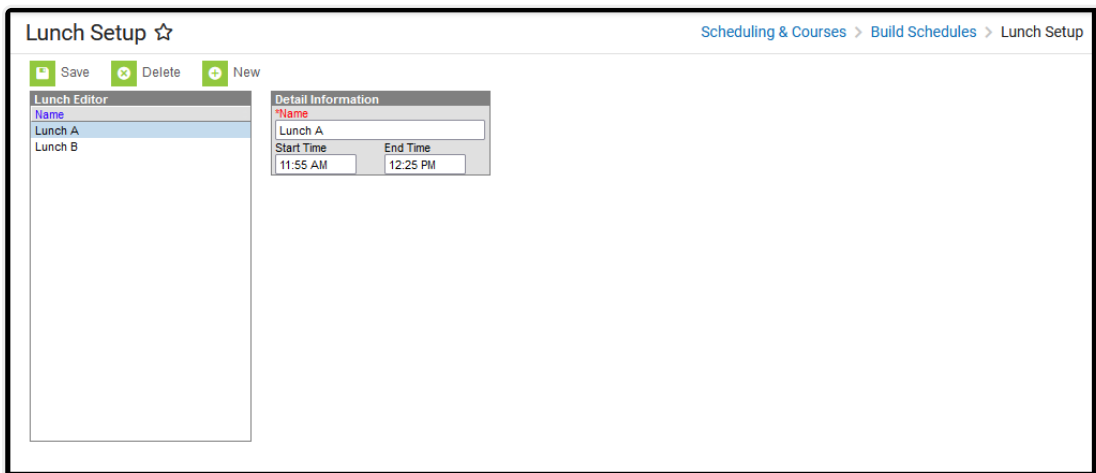
Lunch Setup

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Tool Search: Lunch Setup

The Lunch Setup tool allows a school to list different lunch names that can be assigned to students for scheduling purposes for a school that has multiple lunch periods.



Lunch Setup

Read - View lunch groups created for a school.

Write - Edit existing lunch groups created for a school.

Add - Add new lunches to a school.

Delete - Permanently remove lunches for a school.

For more information about Tool Rights and how they function, see the [Tool Rights](#) article.

Lunches are assigned to the [Course Section](#). When lunch minutes are noted on the [Calendar Periods](#), that time is subtracted from instructional time. For this purpose, schools may extend the period immediately before the lunch time or immediately after the lunch time instead of having a separate lunch period.

When a lunch period is included in the Calendar Periods, that information prints on the student's Schedule.

This is not required setup for courses. When this is the desired way lunch should be tracked, follow the procedures below.

Create Lunches

1. Select the **New** button from the Action bar. A Detail Information editor displays.

2. Enter the **Name** of Lunch.
3. Add the **Start Time** and **End Time** for the Lunch.
4. Click the **Save** button when finished. The lunch displays in the Lunch Editor.

Add Lunch Minutes to Calendar Periods

Tool Search: Periods

A Lunch Time column displays on the [Calendar Periods](#) editor. This is populated with a numeric value of the total lunch time and is subtracted from the day's total instructional minutes.

There are different ways to include lunch time in Periods. The first way is to add the total lunch minutes to the Lunch Time column. This Lunch Time value is then automatically subtracted from the total instructional time for that period.

The screenshot shows the 'Period Setup' interface. At the top, there are navigation links: 'Scheduling & Courses > Calendar Setup > Period Setup'. Below the navigation are four action buttons: 'Save Period Schedules', 'New Period Schedule', 'Delete Period Sched/Periods', and 'Copy Period Sched/Periods'. On the left, there is a grid of course codes: RDG, SCI, SOC, ITL, ELA, and Exta Cur, each with a corresponding 'RDG', 'SCI', 'SOC', 'ITL', 'ELA', and 'Exta Cur' label. The main area contains two tables. The first table, 'PeriodSchedule Info', has columns: *Name (Everyday), *Sequence (1), Exception/Special Day (checkbox), Instructional Minutes (360), and School Day (380). The second table, 'Period Info', has columns: *Name, *Sequence, Start Time, End Time, Lunch Time, Non-Instructional, and Responsive. The table contains 11 rows for periods AM through SOC. The PM row (Sequence 2) is highlighted with a red box, showing a Start Time of 11:40 AM, an End Time of 02:05 PM, and a Lunch Time of 30. The MATH row (Sequence 8) has a checked box in the Non-Instructional column.

Lunch Time Minutes Entered for a Period

Another option is to have a separate period that is for Lunch. In the example below, lunch is during Period 4, called LUNCH. Lunch Time minutes are still entered and that time is still deducted from the overall instructional time for the day.

Period Setup ☆ Scheduling & Courses > Calendar Setup > Period Setup

Save Period Schedules | New Period Schedule | Delete Period Sched/Periods | Copy Period Sched/Periods

03	03	03
04	04	04
05	05	05
06	06	06
07	07	07
08	08	08
09	09	09
10	10	10

PeriodSchedule Info

*Name	*Sequence	Exception/Special Day	Instructional Minutes	School Day
2	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	349	405

Period Info

*Name	*Sequence	Start Time	End Time	Lunch Time	Non-Instructional	Responsive
X Advisory	1	09:20 AM	09:50 AM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X 01	2	09:52 AM	10:37 AM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X 02	3	10:41 AM	11:26 AM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X LUNCH	4	11:30 AM	12:47 PM	30	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X 04	5	12:51 PM	01:38 PM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X 05	6	01:42 PM	02:27 PM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
X 06	7	02:31 PM	03:16 PM	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Lunch Period in Schedule

For schools that designate that lunch can occur at any interval between a period time, enter the duration of lunch next to that period. For example, a school has two different lunch groups, one eating lunch between 11:15am and 11:40am, and the other eating lunch between 11:40am and 12:05pm. The calendar period has a start time of 11am and an end time of 12:19pm. 25 minutes is set aside for lunch (meaning, instructional minutes are not calculated).

Set Lunch Assignment on Course Section

Tool Search: Sections

Once Lunch groups have been created, a **Lunch** field displays on the [Course Section Editor](#). This field should be populated for any section that meets during the period when lunch occurs.

Section Information ☆ Scheduling & Courses > Courses > Section Information

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Save | Delete

Section Editor

Section ID 640563	Teacher Display Name Moe, Justin
*Section Number 4	Lunch Count <input type="checkbox"/> Milk Count <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Count <input type="checkbox"/>
Max Students (33)	Custom Count 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Custom Count 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Custom Count 3 <input type="checkbox"/>
Room	Skinny Seq <input type="checkbox"/> Team <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch <input type="checkbox"/> Homeroom <input type="checkbox"/>
Hide Standards On Portal	Advisory <input type="checkbox"/> External <input type="checkbox"/> LMS Exclude <input type="checkbox"/>
Online Learning (Override)	

Primary Teacher
Moe, Justin Rodney
Period Count Override

Lunch Assignment on Section Information

Student Schedules

Tool Search: Student Schedule

For students enrolled in sections that meet during that period where lunch is assigned on the Section, the student's Schedule indicates when lunch is scheduled and to which lunch group the student is assigned. This is also included when printing the schedule.

The screenshot shows a student schedule for Christopher, Student # 123456, Grade 06, DOB 05/25/2011. The schedule is for Friday, 10/6/2023. The interface includes a header with student information, a date selector, and a 'Day' dropdown. The schedule grid shows five periods. Period 04, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, is highlighted with a red border and contains the text 'Reading 6' and 'Period 04 - Lunch: Lunch A'. Other periods (01, 02, 03, 05) are marked as 'No Scheduled Course'.

Lunch Display on Student Schedule

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