



FREDERIK MEIJER Gardens & Sculpture Park



EATING POLICIES

Public Eating Areas

Outdoor:

- The Meijer-Shedleski Picnic Pavilion is located outside of the main entrance and provides partially covered seating and access to restrooms. This area is non-reservable and first-come, first-served.
- **Sack lunches are not permitted in any other outdoor area.**

Indoor:

- The Linvense Public Eating Area is located in the Courtyard Level of the Welcome Center. This area is non-reservable and first-come, first-served.
- For your convenience, your lunches may be unloaded and left at the Bus Buddy Nook (in the temporary entry way.) Please package your lunches in large containers labeled with the name of the school as well as the teacher.
- There are no refrigeration or microwave facilities available.
- For questions about eating areas, please contact us at fieldtrips@meijergardens.org

Lunchroom Rentals

- If space is available, an indoor room may be reserved for your use. For reservations or questions please contact fieldtrips@meijergardens.org
- Because Meijer Gardens is a popular corporate meeting site, it is recommended that you reserve your room well in advance.
- The rental fee is \$25-\$50 per ½ hour depending on the size of your group. A deposit is necessary. Full payment for the room is due upon arrival.
- Groups are asked to leave the room in the same condition in which they found it, and vacate the room promptly when their scheduled time is completed.
- Groups arriving late will not be able to extend their reserved lunchroom time.

Balk Café

- The Café does not take reservations. **If you plan to eat in the Balk Café, please contact us in advance at fieldtrips@meijergardens.org to learn about the latest COVID-19 dining guidelines and restrictions.**
- Due to Health Department regulations, outside food cannot be brought into the Café.
- Hot food is served until 3:00 pm; cold foods are served until closing. There are daily specials listed in the café.
- Boxed lunches are available. Pre-order through the Education Department at least two weeks in advance, by faxing your request to 616-957-5792. Please request a current menu by emailing fieldtrips@meijergardens.org.
- The adjacent outdoor patio is for Café customers only.