

## Report from Brook Brubeck:

I'm thrilled to report that our Breakfast After the Bell program has gotten off to a great start! Sabetha Middle School has had the longest time with service, beginning on Monday, 2/4, and since then, they have seen a 212% increase in breakfast participation. Yes, that number was correct - 212%! In January, they served 339 breakfasts and in February, they served 1,058. Most importantly, they have seen an 89% increase in free and reduced breakfast participation! The students are loving the program and staff has been very supportive and cooperative as well. Sabetha High School began their service of Breakfast After the Bell Tuesday, 2/19, and they have seen a 62% increase in their overall breakfast participation and a 29% increase in free and reduced numbers. We're pleased with how it's being received and it continues to grow a little everyday! Axtell Middle & High School began Breakfast After the Bell on Monday, 3/4, and with only 2 days of the service under our belts, I'm happy to say that it has doubled breakfast participation both days! We are very excited to see what happens in the future!