

SCHOOL SYSTEM

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Dear Parent or Guardian,

The School Nutrition staff invites and encourages your child's participation in the breakfast, lunch, and snack programs. Meals, foods and beverages sold or served at schools meet state and federal requirements based on the USDA Dietary Guidelines for students in the specified grade levels. All meals, foods and beverages are prepared and served by qualified child nutrition professionals. We provide students with access to a variety of affordable and appealing foods that meet the health and nutrition needs of students.

Meal Costs

GREAT NEWS FOR YOU AND YOUR STUDENT! We are pleased to inform you that Liberty County School System has been approved to operate the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs under the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). Through CEP all enrolled students are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at <u>NO CHARGE</u> to your household each day of the school year. We encourage all students to eat breakfast and lunch at school as this helps our program maintain eligibility.

Adult Meal Prices

Adults must pay for all meals served. Adult meal prices are set at the rate of \$2.50 for breakfast and \$4.00 for lunch.

Ala Carte Sales

Extra sale items will be available to purchase. The student must have a meal to purchase any extra sale items. The student may pay cash or use their meal account to pay for the extra sale items. Students are not allowed to charge ala carte/second meal purchases. If a purchase will make a student's account negative, the transaction will not occur.

Payment Options

We encourage parents to prepay in advance on their student's lunch account if they allow their student to make extra sale purchases by using myschoolbucks.com. This service allows the parent to use the internet to prepay for your child's a la carte food items using your credit or debit card. If paying manually, please place payment in a sealed envelope with your child's first and last name, homeroom teacher, and payment amount on the outside of the envelope. If writing a check, include the student's first and last name on the memo/for line.



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The My School Bucks site is easy to use, convenient, private and secure. Simply go to the www.myschoolbucks.com website or download the mobile application (App) to enroll and start using the site to deposit funds into your student's meal account. Once your account is established, you can check balances or fund the account anytime from your computer or phone. Your child's information is safe. Your personal and payment card information is protected by the most advanced Internet security. Call (855) 832-5226 or visit www.myschoolbucks.com for more information.

Charging Meals

There is a "NO CHARGE" policy for <u>ALL</u> Liberty County students and adults. Through CEP all enrolled students are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at <u>NO CHARGE</u> to your household each day of the school year. The student may pay cash or use their meal account to pay for the extra sale items. However, students are not allowed to charge ala carte/second meal purchases.

Please call if you have any questions concerning school nutrition services at (912) 876-2162.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Fox School Nutrition Director