



DARE COUNTY SCHOOLS

Available Now! Online Free and Reduced Applications for school year 2022-2023

Parents can apply for School Meal Benefits Online

Dear Parent,

You can apply online for your student to receive free or reduced price school meals. Your application will be sent from a secure website directly to [Dare County Schools](#), so you don't need to worry about filling out a paper form that could be lost or misplaced.

[LunchApplication.com](#) has been designed to make it easy for you to know exactly what information you need to provide and to guide you through the process. Once your application has been received, the district office will determine your eligibility and send you a letter with the results. Or, you can create an account on [LunchApplication.com](#) and you will receive your results via email.

[LunchApplication.com](#) is an easy, secure and convenient way to apply for free or reduced meals. It provides access 24 hours a day for parents to apply for school meal benefits. This service is made available free of charge by the district.

To apply, simply go to [LunchApplication.com](#) and click "Apply Now."

Meal applications assist in so much more than just meals. Additional benefits may include: AP Test reduced fee, Internet Access, School Funding, Pandemic EBT

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