Rankin County School District
Financial Hardship Waiver Application

Student Information:

Student Name:		Student Grade:	
Student School:		Student Birthdate:	
Parent/Guardian Name:		Student Lunch #/MSIS ID:	
Address:			
Phone Number(s)	Work:	Home:	Cell:
Number of Adults in household:			
Number of Dependent Children in household:			
Food Stamp/TANF Case Number:			

MS CODE 37-7-335: Any family who qualifies for the National School Lunch Program, as created by the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 USCS Section 1751 et seq.), shall receive a financial hardship waiver.
Does your family qualify for NSLP? ____ Yes (If yes, complete section C only) _____ No (If no, complete sections A, B, and C)

A. Household Gross Income:

To complete this section, refer to the list of reportable income on the reverse side. ***In addition to filling in the blank, "proof" of the income source must be submitted to the principal.***

First and Last Name	Monthly Income	Source

B. Certification:

The social security number for each adult household member is as follows:

Printed Full Name	Social Security Number	No Social Security Number

C. I certify (promise) that all information provided to the school district to obtain a financial hardship waiver of fees is true and that all income is reported. I understand that I must provide a social security number for each adult household member or an indication that such member does not have a social security number. I understand that the school district funds will be used to provide fees that are being waived for my child. I understand that if I purposely give false information, my child may lose the waiver of fees charged by the school district.

Parent/Guardian Signature:		Date:	
Principal's Signature:		Date:	
Approved:		Denied:	
Superintendent's Signature:		Date	

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Provide the applicable information from the following reportable income categories:

Earnings from work:

- Copy of check stub from last pay period--wages/salaries/tips
- Letter from employer stating gross wages paid and how often
- Strike benefits
- Unemployment compensation
- Notice of eligibility from MS Employment Security Commission or check stub if unemployed and drawing unemployment benefit
- Workers' Compensation
- Business or farming document, if self-employed

Welfare/Child Support/Alimony:

- Public assistance payment
- Alimony/child support payments--court decree or check copies
- Welfare benefit letter

Pensions/Retirement/Social Security:

- Pension
- Supplemental security income
- Retirement income
- Veterans' payments
- Benefit letter for Social Security Retirement and statement of benefits

Other Income:

- Disability benefits
- Cash withdrawn from savings account
- Interest/Dividends
- Income from Estates/Trusts/Investments
- Regular contributions from persons not living in the household
- Net royalties/annuities/net rental income
- Any other income

If a household member says he or she has no reportable income, he or she must provide a note to explain how food, clothing, and housing are obtained.