



ANTIOCH COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT 34

INSPIRE TO DREAM - EMPOWER TO ACHIEVE

July 1, 2026

D34 Families,

At Antioch CCSD 34, we are always mindful of how district resources are used and committed to keeping as many dollars as possible focused on our students, classrooms, and schools.

For many years, our district has covered the full cost charged by banks and credit card companies to process credit and debit card payments. As these costs have continued to rise, we will be making a small change to help manage expenses while continuing to be good stewards of taxpayer dollars.

Effective July 1, 2026, a \$2.00 fee will be applied to each transaction made by credit or debit card.

This adjustment will help preserve more district funds for what matters most, supporting teaching, learning, and student experiences across the district. Many neighboring school districts have already implemented similar processing fees within their payment systems.

For transparency, below are the processing costs the district has covered in recent years:

- 2022–2023: \$40,961.14
- 2023–2024: \$46,237.73
- 2024–2025: \$46,977.39
- 2025–2026: \$46,313.14

Families may continue to make payments by cash or check. Cash payments will be issued a receipt at the time of payment, and for payments made by check, the canceled check will serve as your receipt. We kindly ask that all cash and check payments be made at the Administrative Service Center.

We know that any change involving family expenses can be important, and we sincerely appreciate your understanding as we work to balance rising costs while keeping our focus on students. Thank you for your continued partnership and support of our students and district.