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Important Information Regarding Free and Reduced Price Meal Benefits

Dear Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to inform you that if your household was receiving Free or Reduced Price Meal Benefits as of the end of the last school year, your child(ren) will continue to receive these benefits at the beginning of the 2026-27 school year for up to 30 days or until a new eligibility determination is made. **The grace period extends from August 25, 2026 until October 7, 2026.**

Households must complete and return a new application each school year in order to qualify for Free or Reduced Price Meal Benefits. **UNLESS** you have already received confirmation from this office that your meal benefits have already been approved, a new application must be sent to: **Scott M. Shedlock, Food Service Director, Northern York County School District, 650 S. Baltimore St., Dillsburg, Pa 17019**

2026-27 Lunch Prices

Elementary	Full Price: $2.75	Reduced Price: $0.40 ~~(Reduced~~ Eligibility is **FREE for the 26/27 SY)**
Middle School	Full Price: $3.00	Reduced Price: $0.40 ~~(Reduced~~ Eligibility is **FREE for the 26/27 SY)**
High School	Full Price: $3.25	Reduced Price: $0.40 ~~(Reduced~~ Eligibility is **FREE for the 26/27 SY)**

A Milk Only Purchase will be charged at Ala Carte Pricing: $0.50

Applications may be sent directly to the above address. Parent/guardians may also send this application with your child to be turned in at the school.

In addition, families that have children attending a public school district can apply for Free or Reduced Price School Meals through the National School Lunch Program online using the Internet. This can be done using COMPASS. COMPASS allows Pennsylvanian's to apply for social service programs, such as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Energy Assistance, Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), etc., online. Families can use COMPASS to apply for free or reduced price meals only, or they can apply for other services at the same time (SNAP, TANF, etc.).

Since your child(ren) attends the Northern York County School District, which is a public school district, you can apply for Free or Reduced Price Meal Benefits online by going to the COMPASS website at www.compass.dhs.pa.gov or you can continue to use the paper "Household Meal Benefit Application" if you prefer. If you apply for free or reduced-price school meals through COMPASS, **you do not need to submit a paper application.**

If you have any questions or need assistance in completing the application, please do not hesitate to contact me. I may be reached at (717) 432-8691 Ext. 1111 or via e-mail at sshedlock@northernyork.org .

Sincerely,

Scott M. Shedlock
Food Service Director
Northern York County School District

Remember:
Breakfast is served daily at no cost for SY 2026-27