

# HAMILTON HEIGHTS *School Corporation*

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Dear Parents/Guardian,

I hope everyone is has had a relaxing summer and has managed to stay cool! I wanted to take a few minutes and update you on a few cafeteria changes for the 2011-2012 school year. Below I have provided information regarding meal assistance application, 2011 lunch prices, and our new cafeteria computer system and lunch account payment options.

## **Meal Assistance Application**

I have attached the 2011-2012 free and reduced lunch application and instructions. Please complete and sign all sections of the application to assure accurate benefits. Please note, only **one application** is required per household. A new application is required each year, even if your student(s) qualified last year. You **must** complete a new application to continue benefits.

Applications are also available at all buildings. Please return completed application to the Hamilton Heights Administration Building, 410 W. Main Street, P.O. Box 469, Arcadia, IN 46030. Please contact me if with any questions or for assistance completing the application.

## **Meal Prices for the 2011-2012 School**

<u>Building</u>	<u>Breakfast Price</u>	<u>Lunch Price</u>	<u>Adult/Guest Price</u>
Primary	\$1.25	\$1.85	\$3.25
Elementary	\$1.25	\$1.85	\$3.25
Middle	\$1.25	\$2.05	\$3.25
High	\$1.25	\$2.05	\$3.25

Lunch prices have increased by \$.05 for the 2011 school year. The price increase is due solely to the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, effective July 1, 2011. Please feel free to visit <http://www.doe.in.gov/food/schoolnutrition/welcome.html> for more information.

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Camille Bill – Food Service Dir. & LHLC Dir.  
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## Lunch Accounts Payments

I would like to introduce *Meals Pay Plus!* *Meals Pay Plus* allows parents to add money to a student's lunch account using credit cards, debit cards or personal checks. Parents may log onto (*Meal Pay Plus*) [www.MealpayPlus.com](http://www.MealpayPlus.com) and create a personal username and password.

Once an account is set up you may search for your student(s) and add them to your account. This account may be used for one or all of the reasons below:

You may monitor what your child is purchasing and the cost.

You may monitor your child(s) lunch balance and set up email alerts to notify when account balances are low.

Funds may be added to your child(s) lunch account using the website or by calling an (800) number. Parents will be responsible for a 4.75% charge to all payments.

This service is not required and is strictly here to help you monitor your child's account and provide payment options. Like years past, *you may still send a check in with your child to school.* Please make sure you have your child's name and PIN number on all checks.

Hamilton Heights School Corporation will no longer be responsible for monitoring student's accounts. Since parents may use the system solely for the purpose of monitoring account balances and what is purchased, it will be the parent's responsibility to monitor your child's ala carte and breakfast purchases.

Please have patience with the cafeteria staff and managers as we transition to the new computer system. Feel free to contact the cafeteria manager at your child(s) school's with any general questions. I hope you enjoy the rest of your summer and have a wonderful start to the new school year!

Sincerely,

*Camille Bill*

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Food Service Director

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