

Payment and Charge Policy

		Reduced Price	Full Price
Elementary PK-8	Breakfast	\$.30	\$1.25
	Lunch	\$.40	\$2.50
Middle and High Schools	Breakfast	\$.30	\$1.50
	Lunch	\$.40	\$3.00

MEAL PAYMENTS Paying for your student's meals in advance is appreciated and encouraged. Every cafeteria in the Twin Rivers Unified School District is equipped with a computerized system that tracks the meals your student eats and their payments.

The Nutrition Services Department provides parents with a convenient, easy and secure online payment service to deposit money into their student's meal account. Please visit the Nutrition Services section at www.twinriversusd.org for a link to mySchoolBucks.com and have your student's permanent school ID number handy.

If you do not wish to pay online, payments must be made in the morning before school starts; paying at lunchtime slows the serving of lunch. If you have any questions about your child's account, you may contact the school cafeteria and they will provide you with an activity report.

NO CHARGE POLICY – Due to the high number of meal charges that have gone unpaid, we regret to inform our families that we can no longer allow students to charge meals. We realize there are times when lunch money is forgotten. To ensure your student will not go hungry, we will have alternative meals available in the cafeteria.

If a student receives five consecutive alternative meals, a call will be made to the home to see if financial assistance is needed.

RETURNED CHECKS There will be a twenty-dollar fee for each returned check written to the Nutrition Services Department. After two returned checks, your check writing privileges will be suspended and we will accept cash, money orders or cashier's checks only.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE - If your household is experiencing financial difficulties your student may be eligible to receive meals at a reduced rate or free. Please pick up a meal application at any school office. You may also download a meal application from the Twin Rivers website, or conveniently submit one online. For more information please go to www.twinriversusd.org and navigate to the Nutrition Services Department.