



Malakoff Independent School District

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MALAKOFF ISD CAFETERIA POLICY

Malakoff ISD's policy is that no child goes hungry. This policy is adopted by all schools in the district and is proactive in parent notification. Parents and/or guardians are responsible to maintain their child's account throughout the entire school year.

The policy is as follows:

Malakoff Tool and Elementary School	3 Charges
Malakoff Middle and High School	1 Charge

There is a no charge policy for anyone as of May 1st for the remainder of the school year.

When a student's account goes under \$2.00, they will be verbally notified about their balance, a statement will be sent home with the student indicating if they have a negative balance. After exceeding the number of charges, the student will receive a cheese sandwich as their main entree. Every child will be treated with dignity and respect by the Food Service staff. Parents will have five (5) days to satisfy the balance, return a completed Free or Reduced meal application, or make other payment arrangements with the Director of Food Services.

Who can get Free or Reduced Meals?

Children in households getting food stamps and most foster children can get free meals regardless of your income, upon receipt of an approved application. Also, your children can get free meals if your household income is within the Free/Reduced limits on the Federal Income Guidelines. You may apply at any time during the school year if your household size goes up, income goes down, or you start getting food stamps or other benefits. Meal applications are available at the school cafeteria, school office, MISD Website or at Administration Office.

Free and Reduced Applications:

A household needs to complete only one new Free and Reduced Application every year. Families that qualified for meals last year must turn in a new 2018 - 2019 application. Letters of Notification will be mailed to the child's home as soon as the application has been processed. If there are any questions, please contact Jennifer Gonzales at (903)489-0313 ext. 1160.

Note: New Students and Kindergarteners are full price until an application is processed.

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