



Diocese of Covington
School Lunch Program

6/15/2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we start the 2026-2027 school year, we would like to make you aware of the optional payment system that is available for your convenience. My School Bucks allows you to easily monitor your child's lunch account and make credit card payments online at no cost. You still have access to their accounts even if you do not choose to make deposits online due to the transaction service fee. Please note that the service fee by the My School Bucks platform for the 2026-2027 school year to \$3.25 per transaction.

Key Points to be aware of:

1. Participation in the My School Bucks Program is completely voluntary. You can choose to sign up for free to keep track of your child's lunch account and set up low balance notifications.
2. You are **not** required to make deposits through My School Bucks. If you prefer, you can send checks or cash in an envelope with your child's name on it to the attention of the school cafeteria manager. The money will be deposited into your child's account free of charge.
3. If you need to transfer money between student accounts, please contact me via email at LHatfield@covdio.org and I will make the transfer for you.

We hope this system will provide a convenient option for managing your child's lunch account.

Sincerely,

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