

# Sulphur Springs I.S.D.

## Child Nutrition Meal Payments and Charge Policy

The United States Department of Agriculture requires all school districts operating Child Nutrition Programs to implement and enforce a payment and charge policy.

### Lunch Money Now – Student Meal Payments

Please set up your child's online lunch account through **Lunch Money Now** to access the following features: <https://www.lunchmoneynow.com/lmnsul/splash.php> (please update annually)

- [Make secure payments online anytime, anywhere](#)
- [View your student's account balance and purchases](#)
- [Receive low balance e-mail or text messages](#)

Students may also pay for school meals in the cafeteria during kitchen hours. Payment for meals may be made by the day, week, or month. Please do not combine meal payments with other school purchases. If meal payment is made by check, the entire amount will be deposited into the student's meal account.

### Charge Policy

**ECLC, Bowie, Lamar, Travis and SSES** – no charging. A la carte menu items cannot be charged. Students must have money on hand or in their account to purchase **extra** items.

**Douglas Intermediate** students may charge to a maximum of \$25.00. This policy pertains to reimbursable meals only. A la carte menu items cannot be charged. Students will be informed daily of how much they owe. Charge notices will be given out weekly. Parents should also use **LUNCH MONEY NOW** for current account balance information. A cheese sandwich, fruit, and a carton of milk will be served to students who are over the charge limit. Cut-off date for charged meals will be May 11, 2018.

**Middle School and Senior High** students may charge to a maximum of \$25.00. This policy pertains to reimbursable meals only. A la carte menu items cannot be charged. Students will be informed daily of how much they owe. Parents and students should also use **LUNCH MONEY NOW** for current account balance information. A cheese sandwich, fruit, and a carton of milk will be served to students who are over the charge limit. Cut-off date for charged meals will be May 11, 2018.

***Please do not put anyone at the school in the position of having to deny your child the meal of their choice - no one wants to do that. If you make sure your child has adequate funds for purchasing school meals, this can be avoided.***

**Faculty and Staff** may also prepay and/or charge up to \$50.00. All accounts must be cleared at the end of each month. Cut-off date for charged meals will be May 11, 2018.

**Please notify your school cafeteria manager if your child is allergic to cheese or milk so another type of sandwich can be provided with water.**

**SSISD Administration will actively pursue collection of debt owed to the district.**

For questions or assistance please contact Child Nutrition Services at 903-885-0969.

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