

Dear Students, Parents or Guardian,

The Child Nutrition Department is excited about the continued usage of the Point Of Sale computer system at all district school cafeterias. Fort Bend Child Nutrition employees, children, teachers, administrators, parents and community were introduced to our world of food service technology. Everybody needs to eat, but the WHAT, WHERE, and HOW of eating varies widely. This system allows the Department to simplify and maintain more accurate records of meals served to students, faculty and District employees. It will also assist in maintaining records on nutrient analysis of meals planned and prepared, food purchases, inventory, labor hours and bidding practices.

The computer system allows every student and employee of the District to have a personal account identification number (PIN i.e. Lunch ID Number) consisting of six digits. Money can be placed on the account and, as meals or A La Carte items are purchased, the system will debit the account. No cash transactions will be necessary as long as there is money in the account. Regardless of status, all students, Paid, Reduced-Priced or Free, will have a personal account identification number that will be activated at the campus.

Each campus Cafeteria Manager will be available to accept prepayments to individual accounts Tuesday, August 18, Thursday August 20 and Friday August 21, 2009 from 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Students may also use this opportunity to visit with the Cafeteria Manager and pick up their personal account identification number.

Each student will be receiving his or her Personal Identification Number from his or her printed student locator card/class schedule. This number does not change from year to year.

PREPAY IS THE NEW WAY

INSTRUCTIONS:

Each student will enter their own Personalized PIN using a keypad similar to this sample one.

The Key Pad reads Enter Student ID. Enter the PIN, one number at a time. Press the key marked "ENTER".

If a mistake is made, press the key marked "CLEAR" and start over. The PIN will appear in the block under Enter Student ID.

Please remember this account is much like a bank account and friends should not have access to your number. Allowing anyone else to access your PIN account will be considered **theft**.

Direct any questions to the Cafeteria Manager, Supervisor, or the Child Nutrition Department at 281-634-1855.

Thank you for your help and support.
Gail McIntire-Stotler, Director

