

LINDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

The 2023-24 Electronic Free/Reduced Meal Applications are available online as of 8/10/23. In addition, parents have the ability to prepay for meals online using a credit card, debit card, or checking account via My School Bucks. There are links to ***School Food Service Program Policy 3542***, ***My School Bucks***, and the ***Online Free and Reduced Meal Application*** on the **Parents tab** of the Linden homepage at www.linden.k12.nj.us. Paper copies are available at the main office of each school building.

**BEFORE FILLING OUT APPLICATION
PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS**

IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE, **YOU MUST REAPPLY EVERY YEAR**

Carry over benefits expire on 10/19/23 for those who received free/reduced lunch as of the last day of the 2022-23 school year. Therefore, on 10/20/23, the student's status will automatically change to paid lunch unless a new application has been submitted and processed. Failure to enter ALL information correctly may result in your application being delayed.

**PLEASE FILL OUT ONE (1) APPLICATION ONLY
PER HOUSEHOLD FOR ALL STUDENTS IN
THE LINDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT BY GOING TO:**

[http:// www.lindneps.nlappscloud.com](http://www.lindneps.nlappscloud.com)

If you have any additional questions regarding the online application process, please call 908-486-2800 and speak with Elizabeth Nowak at ext. 8021. If you wish to fill out a paper application, please contact your child's school.

When your application has been processed, you will receive a letter of eligibility via e-mail. If you DO NOT receive an eligibility letter within one week of submission, please contact Elizabeth Nowak using the above contact information.

Thank you for your cooperation.
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Atiya Perkins". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Atiya Y. Perkins
Superintendent of Schools