

## Welcome Back

### Important Changes from the Cafeteria for the 2019/2020 school year

The Delaware Valley school District is now following the new policy signed into law by Governor Wolf which states any overdue lunch balances over \$50 will receive an alternate lunch, example would include a cheese sandwich on wheat bread, a fruit and vegetable and a milk. (Alternate meals still will accrue a charge)

Parents may elect to deny breakfast or lunch charging by submitting an email to [cmullen@dvdsd.org](mailto:cmullen@dvdsd.org).

Past balances will continue to accrue year to year.

[www.schoolcafe.com](http://www.schoolcafe.com) is a helpful tool that can be accessed to view what your student's purchasing activity. This is a free service, the only fee would be if you add money to the account.

Water prices have changed from 50 cents to 75 cents for middle/high school for 16.9 oz. bottle.

Frequently asked questions.

How do I pay for breakfast or lunch?

- Cash deposits in any amount may be sent daily weekly or monthly.
- Personal checks made payable to DVSD Cafeteria
- [www.schoolcafe.com](http://www.schoolcafe.com) is an easy and safe way to add money to your child's account using a credit card. There is a small fee to add money only.

Do I qualify for free or reduced breakfast/lunch? And how do I apply?

- We strongly encourage everyone to apply. You may do so by logging into [www.schoolcafe.com](http://www.schoolcafe.com) or by submitting a paper application (available at your student's school).

Do I need to fill out a new application every year?

- Yes, students that qualify must fill out a new application at the start of the school year.
- Your status from the previous year will only continue till October 7, 2019. If your application is not received, your student will be charged full price. Any debit incurred during the lapse in eligibility must be paid.

If my student packs his/her own lunch and they receive free or reduced, can they just receive a free milk?

- No, unfortunately, to receive a free milk they must take a complete meal.

Please note, No student will ever be denied a meal.

Any questions or concerns can be directed to the cafeteria office (570)296-1868 or email [jroselli@dvdsd.org](mailto:jroselli@dvdsd.org)

