

FOR FAMILIES WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY RECEIVING "O.W.F./S.N.A.P. BENEFITS PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING:

FEDERAL GUIDELINES REQUIRE THOSE FAMILIES WHO ARE **NOT** CURRENTLY RECEIVING O.W.F. / S.N.A.P. BENEFITS, AND ARE IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE TO PLEASE SUBMIT A FREE/REDUCED MEAL FORM FOR THE 2009/10 SCHOOL YEAR.

A NEW FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED EACH SCHOOL YEAR, EVEN IF YOUR CHILDREN RECEIVED A FREE/REDUCED MEAL IN YEARS PAST.

ONLY ONE FORM IS REQUIRED PER HOUSEHOLD.

PLEASE MAKE SURE THE FORM FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND CORRECTLY, INSTRUCTIONS ARE INCLUDED WITH THE FORM. FORMS THAT ARE NOT CORRECT WILL BE RETURNED DELAYING YOUR BENEFIT.

TIME IS NEEDED BY OUR CENTRAL OFFICE PERSONELL TO APPROVE YOUR FORM, (APPROVAL TAKES BETWEEN 4-5 DAYS) SO PLEASE SUBMIT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

PARENTS WHO ARE FILLING OUT THE FORM FOR THE FIRST TIME, OR EXISTING FAMILIES WHO DID NOT RESUBMIT THEIR FORM BY OCTOBER 5, 2009 ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING FOR THEIR CHILDREN'S LUNCH UNTIL THE FORM HAS BEEN APPROVED.

FORMS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM ANY OF OUR SCHOOL'S OFFICES OR FROM THE FOOD SERVICE DIRECTORS OFFICE LOCATED IN THE HIGH SCHOOL KITCHEN AREA.

FOR PARENTS WHO RECEIVED FREE/ REDUCED MEALS FOR THEIR CHILDREN IN PAST YEARS; PLEASE HAVE YOUR RENEWED FORMS IN BY **OCTOBER 5, 2009**. IF THE FORM HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED BY THIS TIME **YOUR BENEFIT WILL STOP** AND YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT A NEW FORM SUBJECT TO APPROVAL.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT: Jim Anderson @ 231-7611 ext.4104
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THANK-YOU AND HAVE A GREAT YEAR!!