

# School Food Information

Hello Peck Slip Families!

**Whether you plan on having your child eat school lunch, or plan on packing a lunch from home for your child, please read the following important information:**

- **EVERY family needs to fill out a Department of Education Lunch Survey Form – whether your child is eating school lunch or not. If you did not fill this form out during the summer, please take a moment to do that now at [nyc.applyforlunch.com](http://nyc.applyforlunch.com).**

It is very important that we get **100%** of families completing the survey because it serves as a source of Department of Education funding for our school. It takes just a couple of minutes, and is very simple to do. You do not have to supply any income information unless you are applying for free or reduced price lunch, and you only have to respond to the survey once even if you have two or more children enrolled in the NYC public schools. Simply list all of their names and schools when completing the survey.

- Here's how school lunch works at Peck Slip: There is no sign up form; your child simply gets on the lunch line at school and the lunch monitor records that they have taken lunch. You will then be billed for all the lunches or milk that they take. You pay for your child's lunch through the My School Bucks system. If your child plans to eat school lunch, please make sure you set up a My School Bucks account at [www.myschoolbucks.com](http://www.myschoolbucks.com).

The site will ask for District, which is New York City Department of Education, and then the Peck Slip School can be found under "T" for The Peck Slip School. For your information, full price lunch costs the following:

Full lunch (including milk)	\$1.75/day
Pizza Fridays (including milk)	\$1.75/Friday
Milk only	\$ .25/day

If you would like to fund the entire school year, that cost is approximately \$315, pizza Fridays are approximately \$66.50, and just milk for the whole year would be approximately \$45.00. You can also choose to populate the account with a smaller amount, and you will be notified when it is time to refill the account.

**Questions? Ask Tammy or Denise in the Main Office.**