



Hillman Community Schools

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Michigan's 1.4 million public school children will be receiving nutritious free meals at school this year, as a result of a \$160 million appropriation in the state's School Aid budget.

Michigan School Meals will begin at the start of the 2023-24 school year to provide state reimbursement to schools for every breakfast and lunch served to Michigan's public school students. This investment in students supports Michigan's Strategic Education Plan to improve the health, safety, and wellness of all learners. Please complete the application form on the link below, or complete and return the form that will be sent home the first week of school.

Although families won't have to pay for meals, they must still complete qualification forms for their local school. Completed forms allow schools to qualify for meal reimbursement as well as funding for:

- Instructional specialist staff (ex. Reading Interventionists, Math Tutors, Academic & Behavior Aids)
- Teaching supplies and materials
- Counselors and Social Workers
- School Nurses
- Professional Learning for staff
- Parent and Community engagement supplies and activities
- Technology for students

Application Link



<https://hillman.familyportal.cloud/>

For questions or assistance completing the form contact:

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