



**Florence County School District Five
Office of Food Services and Nutrition
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2020-21 School Year

Welcome to School Food Services and Nutrition!

The child nutrition staff would like to welcome your child(ren) to our school district. Our staff is made up of a team dedicated to students' health and their ability to learn.

Meals, foods, and beverages sold in school cafeterias meet state and federal requirements which are based on USDA guidelines. We provide students with access to a variety of affordable and appealing foods that meet the health and nutrition of our students.

Meal Payment Options

Florence Five has a computer based Point of Sale System to record meals and a la carte food sales. Accounts are set up like a debit card. When students make a purchase it is deducted from his or her account. Parents/guardians are encouraged to prepay money into student accounts. Prepayments can be made at any time at no cost in the school cafeteria in the form of cash or check.

Florence Five is using an online meal prepay service. As a parent you can rest assured in knowing that the money that you place on your child's meal account is secure and available for your child to use. Please visit www.K12PaymentCenter.com to set up and then access your child's meal account. The website is new and improved, with more features that make it easier for you to manage your child's account. The new system not only allows email notifications but now you may set up text notifications when school meal balances are low.

Refund Request

All student cafeteria balances automatically roll over to the next school year. The funds follow the student to his or her new grade and/school, as long as your child remains in a Florence Five school. If relocating or graduating from our district, contact us for a refund request form to have your balance refunded. Also, transferring an account balance to another student's account can be done through the refund request.

Johnsonville Elementary and Middle Schools

Community Eligibility Provision

All enrolled students at the elementary and middle schools are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at **no charge** to your household each day of the 2020-21 school year. No further action is required of you. Families at these schools will not have to complete a meal application.

Johnsonville High School

Free and Reduced Price Meals

Meal applications are available to families who believe they may qualify for free and reduced price meals. If your family chooses to apply, please return one completed meal application per household to the school office, school cafeteria, or the district office. You will be notified of your child's eligibility. Please note meal charges accrued prior to becoming eligible cannot be removed after qualifying for free or reduced meal benefits.

Direct Certification

Your child may automatically be certified to receive free meals, if you currently receive SNAP or TANF. You will be notified by mail before school starts each year if you do not need to complete a meal application.

For more information about our Food Service Program please contact the Office of Food Services and Nutrition at 843-386-2326.

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