Pre-pay for School Meals at www.PayPAMS.com



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Pay for your child's meals from the convenience of your home or office 24/7	View your child's meal account balance	Schedule automatic payments based on account balance	Receive low balance email reminders	View a report of daily spending and cafeteria purchases	View the menu of your school's cafeteria	

Current Users: Tips for the beginning of the school year:

1. Login to the site **at least one week before the beginning of the school year.** Check that your credit/debit card on file has not expired, your email address is updated, and that your automatic payment plan's stop date has not expired.

2. Forgot Password:

If you previously registered with PayPAMS but forgot your password, click on the <u>Forgot Password</u> link on the home page of PayPAMS.com. If you were unable to retrieve the password through the Forgot Password link, contact customer

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support from the 'Contact Us' page. **Do not register again**. Note: passwords are case sensitive.

- 3. Balance Transfer from Year to Year: Any remaining student meal account balance will automatically transfer to the next school year. Important note: If your child moved from one school to another within the same school district, it may take a day or two from the beginning of the school year to transfer the remaining balance from the old school to the new school. During that time period, the balance on PayPAMS may show as \$0.00. If you are not sure if your child's account had remaining balance from the previous school year, we recommend you make a payment.
- **4. Refunds:** PayPAMS processes refunds only for the exact payment amount. If the student has already used some of the money, or has graduated, please contact the school district.
- 5. Moved to a different school district: If you moved to a different school district you can keep the same username and password information. Login to your account, go to Help/Contact Us and select subject 'Moved from District'. Do not register again. Note: PAMS cannot transfer money from one school district to another. Contact your previous school district for refunds.

New Users: Register Now:

- 1. Go to PayPAMS.com and click on the '**Register Now!**' button on the home page.
- 2. Select your **state**, then select your **school district**.
- 3. Create a **username** and **password** and enter your **contact information**.
- 4. Add children to your account.
- 5. Make payments or set up automatic payments based on low balance.

Helpful Tips when Registering:

- **1. Username:** Create a unique username. If the system indicates that the username is taken, select a different username.
- **2. Duplicate Accounts:** If the system indicates that an account already exists with the same phone number or email address, contact customer support from the 'Contact Us' page.
- 3. Meal Account Balance and Cafeteria Purchases: It takes 1-2 school days before balances and cafeteria purchases information for new registrants can be displayed. However, you can make payments immediately upon registration. If you cannot view balances two days after you added the student to the account, contact customer support from the 'Contact Us' page.



PAYMENTS

- **1. Posting Payments:** It takes **one to two school days** for a payment to replenish your child's account at the school cafeteria. Your balance on PayPAMS website will reflect your recent payment only after the school cafeteria confirms receipt of payment.
- **2. Payment Confirmation:** When a payment is processed, a confirmation number will be displayed and an email will be sent verifying that the payment was processed. If a confirmation number is not displayed, the payment was not processed.
- **3. Declined Payments:** If your payment is declined, verify that all billing information is correct. If all information is correct and payment is still declined, contact the issuing credit card company for further information. Reasons a card can be declined: insufficient credit/funds in account, incorrect billing information entered, closed credit card account, or credit card expiration date.
- **4. Payments for the same student from two separate accounts:** To prevent duplicate accounts, PayPAMS allows associating a student to only one account. If both parents/guardians cannot share the same username and password, contact customer support from the 'Contact Us' page.
- **5. Convenience Fees:** A nominal convenience fee will be charged to cover the cost of processing payments and maintaining the website. To check the convenience fee terms, click on 'Register' on the home page of PayPAMS, then select your state and your school district.
- **6. Credit Card Types:** PayPAMS currently accepts Visa, MasterCard and Discover cards. We also accept debit cards that have a Visa or MasterCard logo.
- 7. Credit Card / Bank Statement: PayPAMS payments will show up on your credit card/bank statement as payments to 'PayPAMS.com', or 'PAMS-<your school district> CO'
- **8. Credit Card Information:** PayPAMS will never ask for credit card information via email. Do not respond to such an email.
- **9. Payments at the School Cafeteria:** For questions regarding cash or check payments submitted directly at the school cafeteria, please contact the school cafeteria directly. Do not contact PayPAMS.
- 10. Parents can make payments and monitor account balances via the phone. However, customers that use the website will have access to additional features such as low balance email notifications and purchases information. This information is **not available** on the automated phone system. The number for the automated system is 1-888-994-5100. For additional information and to download instructions, please visit www.PayPAMS.com/ phone.

LOW BALANCE EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

- Email Notifications: Make sure that your email account does not block emails from customerservice@paypams.com.
- 2. **Change of Email address:** If you change email addresses, be sure to update your user profile on PayPAMS.

LOW BALANCE AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

- 1. Low Balance Automatic Payments Trigger: PayPAMS recommends triggering automatic payments when the student meal account balance falls below \$12^{.00}. Having a lower 'minimum balance' when setting up Automatic Payments may not allow enough time to replenish your child's account.
- 2. **Automatic Payment Confirmation:** If you sign up for Automatic Payments, you will receive an email confirmation of the payment, including current balance.
- 3. **Declined Automatic Payment:** Your automatic payment will not be processed if the card was updated, declined, expired, or if the 'Stop Date' that was set initially has passed. Automatic Payments can be set with **MasterCard** and **Discover** cards only.

CAFETERIA PURCHASES

While PAMS displays cafeteria purchases, we do not regulate what the children are purchasing or eating. For questions regarding purchases at the cafeteria, contact the school cafeteria directly. Student Activity is only displayed from the day the student was added to PAMS. Data is available for 90 days.

INTERNET BROWSERS

PAMS easily integrates with most standard internet web browsers, including Microsoft Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox and Netscape.

For MAC computers we recommend using the Safari browser.

KEEP THIS FOR REFERENCE:

USERNAME

PASSWORD

MORE QUESTIONS? Click on '<u>Help</u>' or '<u>Contact Us</u>' on the home page of **PayPAMS.com**

Pre-pago de Comidas Escolares en PayPAMS!

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Already a member?

Username:

Password[®]

LOGIN

Forgot Password?

Recomendaciones

Cuando se Registre

- 1. **ID de Estudiante/ID de Cuenta de Comida:** <u>Antes de iniciar el proceso</u> <u>de registro</u> tenga la ID de estudiante del niño o de Cuenta de Comida a su alcance. Si no cuenta con estas pregúntele al niño o llame a la escuela.
- 2. **Usuario:** Cree un usuario **único**. Si el sistema indica que el usuario ya esta ocupado, seleccione un usuario diferente.
- 3. Regístrese a través del Sistema de Teléfono PAMS: Si usted se registró previamente a través del sistema telefónico PAMS y quiere acceder su cuenta en Internet, no cree otra cuenta. Ingrese a PayPAMS.com usando su <u>numero de teléfono</u> como el <u>usuario</u>. Su <u>contraseña</u> será la misma que la de su teléfono.
- Cuentas Duplicadas: Si el sistema indica que una cuenta ya existe con el mismo numero de teléfono o correo electrónico envíe un correo electrónico a support@PayPAMS.com
- Contraseña Olvidada: Si usted se registró previamente con PAMS pero olvido su contraseña, haga clic en el link de <u>Forgot</u> <u>Password?</u> en la pagina de inicio de PayPAMS.com. Si el link no funciona envíe

un correo electrónico a support@PayPAMS.com. **No se registre** nuevamente.

- 6. **Saldo en Cuenta de Comida:** Toma de 1-2 días escolares antes que los saldos de nuevos registrantes puedan se desplegados. Sin embargo, puede hacer pagos inmediatamente después de registrarse.
- 7. Se cambio a otro distrito escolar: Si usted ha cambiado de distrito escolar, envíe un correo electrónico a support@PayPAMS.com para establecer su nueva cuenta. No se registre nuevamente.

Como Registrarse



- Cree un Usuario y contraseña e introduzca su información de contacto
- 4. Añada niños a su cuenta

Mantenga una copia para su referencia

USER NAME (Nombre de usuario)

PASSWORD (Contraseña)

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- Confirmación de pago: Cuando un pago es procesado, un numero de confirmación será desplegado y un correo electrónico le será enviado verificando que el pago ha sido procesado. Si un numero de confirmación no es desplegado, el pago no fue procesado.
- Pagos Asentados: Toma de uno a dos días para que un pago sea incluido en su cuenta de estudiante de la cafetería escolar. Su saldo en el sitio de Web de PayPAMS reflejará su pago mas reciente cuando la cafetería confirme recibo de pago.
- 3. **Pagos Declinados:** Si su pago es declinado, verifique que toda la información de facturacaión es correcta. Si la información esta correcta y el pago aun es rechazado contacte a la compañía emisora de su tarjeta de crédito para más información.
- 4. Pagos Automáticos y activación de notificaciones por correo electrónico: PAMS le recomienda activar notificaciones de pagos automáticos y de saldo bajo cuando el saldo de cuenta del estudiante este por debajo de \$10.00. Teniendo un "saldo mínimo" bajo al establecer recordatorios por correo electrónico o Pagos Automáticos no le dará tiempo suficiente a reponer la cuenta de su niño.
- Pagos Automáticos: Si se suscribe a pagos automáticos recibirá un correo electrónico de confirmación de pago incluyendo saldo actual.
- Notificaciones electrónicas: Asegúrese que su cuenta de correo no bloquee mensajes de customerservice@paypams.com.

- Tipos de Tarjeta de Crédito: PAMS solo acepta tarjetas Visa, MasterCard y Discover. También aceptamos tarjetas de debito con el logo de Visa o MasterCard.
- Tarjeta de Crédito/ Estado de Banco: Pagos de Tarjeta de Crédito son procesados por 'First Horizon'. Los pagos PAMS son descritos en su estado de cuenta de Tarjeta de Crédito o del Banco como pagos de 'PayPAMS.com', 'First Horizon', o 'PAMS-<su distrito escolar> CO'.
- Información de Tarjeta de Crédito: PAMS nunca pedirá información de tarjeta de crédito por correo electrónico. No responda si recibe tal mensaje.
- 10. **Transferencia de Dinero de un Año a Otro:** Saldo restante de la cuenta del estudiante será automáticamente transferido al siguiente año escolar.
- 11. **Reembolsos:** PAMS procesa reembolsos solo por la cantidad exacta de pago. Si el estudiante utilizó algo del dinero por favor contacte al distrito escolar.
- 12. **Pagos en la Cafetería de la Escuela:** Para preguntas relacionadas con pagos por cheque o en efectivo hechos directamente en la cafetería de la escuela, favor de contactar la cafetería de la escuela.
- Navegador de Internet: PAMS se integra fácilmente con los navegadores de Internet estándar, incluyendo Microsoft Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox y Netscape. Para computadoras MAC recomendamos usar el navegador Safari.
- 14. **Servicios Gratis:** No existen costos por checar saldos de cuentas o por registrarse para recibir notificaciones por correo electrónico.
- 15. **Cuota de Servicio:** Una cuota nominal por servicio, si va a ser cobrada, será desplegada antes de procesar pago. Para checar si hay una cuota por servicio, haga clic en 'Registrar' en la página de inicio de PAMS, después seleccione su estado y distrito escolar.



Si no cuenta con acceso a Internet, puede hacer pagos y monitorear su saldo a través de nuestro número de teléfono gratuito. **1-888-994-5100.** Siga las instrucciones para ingresar el **número de teléfono de su casa** (10 Dígitos), contraseña y código postal. Si lo usa por primera vez le preguntará por las cuatro letras de su distrito escolar.



¿Más Preguntas? Haga clic en **'<u>Help'</u>** en la página inicial de **PayPAMS.com**