



Parents, Guardians & Students,

Beginning Monday October 12, 2009, New Foundations Charter School's Food Services will no longer accept cash for your student's meals. In order to accommodate your needs we have installed Mealpay Plus system. If you choose not to use the Mealpay Plus prepay system, only money orders will be accepted. **No cash or personal checks will be accepted after Thursday, October 8, 2009.**

New Foundations Charter School offers MealpayPlus (www.mealpayplus.com), a state-of-the-art online service that provides you the convenience and information you need to manage your student's meal account. This system speeds up serving lines in the cafeteria, eliminates the need to send checks to school or worry about lost or forgotten lunch money, and ensures that your child will receive a nutritious meal.

At no cost, MealpayPlus allows any family to:

- Create a free, secured account to manage all of your student's accounts
- Check your student's current account balance
- Monitor the items your student has been purchasing in the cafeteria
- Create settings to receive email notifications when the account reaches a low balance

For a small program fee, MealpayPlus allows any family to:

- Make a prepayment into your student's meal account using a check, credit card, or debit card at www.mealpayplus.com or by calling 800-308-7166. Funds deposited through MealpayPlus are usually available for student use within a matter of minutes.
- Create settings to automatically replenish your student's account when it reaches a low balance

For the 2009-2010 school year, we strongly encourage all parents (even if you do not prepay for your student's meal account) to create an account at no cost through www.mealpayplus.com. To create a new account, follow the onscreen directions and register your student using their Student ID number. Student ID numbers can be obtained by contacting your school's office.

For those who do wish to prepay into their student's meal account, MealpayPlus offers several convenient ways to do so by visiting www.mealpayplus.com or calling 800-308-7166 from anywhere, at anytime.

For those that do not use the MealpayPlus prepayment system, only money orders will be accepted for your student's meals. All money orders need to be made payable to New Foundations Charter School.

We consistently strive to find new and better ways to serve our students and our families, and I thank you for partnering with us in this effort.

Sincerely,


Mr. Stadelberger