

Hot Lunch Program 2019

Organization/Prices

Parents will begin the school year making one total payment for all of their children that participate in the hot lunch program. The total amount will be computed in a family account. For the rest of the school year, when the family's account becomes low, one bill will be sent home asking for another payment.

Regular priced lunches (figured in 20 lunch increments of \$3/meal) = \$60
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Free and Reduced Lunches

Deshler Lutheran School participates in the federal hot lunch program. We offer free or reduced lunches, so please read the enclosed forms to see if your family qualifies. I encourage everyone to fill out the *Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application*. It greatly helps our school and hot lunch program. Even if you are sure you do not qualify, please fill out the application. I also have self-employment forms, if you need help figuring out your self-employment income. Confidentiality will be maintained for all lunch and milk accounts.

Reduced priced lunches (figured in 20 lunch increments of \$.40/meal) = \$8

Ordering Milk

Milk is included with the meal price; however, children in grades K-4 have an afternoon milk break as well. Those students will need to begin the year with at least a forty-milk purchase. Upper grades (5th-8th) only need to purchase forty milks if they want more than one carton with their noon meal.

Milk (figured in increments of 40 at \$.45/carton) = \$18

Initial Order

Enclosed is a Hot Lunch & Milk Order Form. Please fill it out and send it to school with your payment made out to DLS Hot Lunch by **August 12, 2019**. (Use separate checks for hot lunch and tuition/registration.) If you are applying for free or reduced price lunches, the forms need to be in ASAP. If you have any questions, please contact the Hot Lunch Coordinator, Jean Schardt at 402-984-7602.