# Educational Catering, Inc. Hot Lunch Program

We are honored to serve you in the 2024-2025 School Year! We continue our pledge of providing you with quality food and caring service in clean and safe environments. With everything that you must be concerned about during the school year, we work to make sure that there is one less concern…lunch! ECI provides valuable nutrition and education that aids schools and students in recognizing and understanding the essential benefits of healthy eating.

## Can my child order lunch from school?

Yes, all students, PK-8th grade, may purchase a lunch from Educational Catering Inc. (ECI) or bring a lunch from home. Pre-K and K Students meals are typically ordered via classroom. 1st grade and up Students who purchase lunch will go through the line in the Dining Hall and select what food options they would like to have. Each Student has an Educational Catering Inc. (ECI) account created using their student ID number. Parents should pre-load their student's ECI account with money. Student accounts will be debited each time the student goes through the lunch line and purchases food.

## What are the ECI lunch options?

Parents and students can choose to order one or more of the following options (Pre-K options may be limited by the School for A La Carte Items):

- Hot lunch Entree
- Sandwich
- Loaded Baked Potato
- Entree Salad
- A La Carte Items (i.e. desserts and sides)

## How much does an ECI lunch cost?

Depending upon what is ordered (i.e. multiple items/helpings), the price may vary. The price and lunch size is based on Grade Level. There are three pricing scales which range from:

PK – 1st $6.75 per meal
2nd – 4th $7.20 per meal
5th – 8th $7.85 per meal

All meals include Entrée, Side, Fruit, and Drink.

## How do I load money into my Lower or Middle School child's ECI account?

Adding funds to your child's ECI Account can be accomplished by MasterCard or Visa (fee), at www.diningpay.com or you can complete the attached form and return it with payment to the Receptionist (Make checks payable to ECI).

An online tutorial for www.diningpay.com can be found at https://ecimg.net/diningpay

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## ECI Student Debit Account Form

Student's Name _____ Grade _____ Debit Card Number (PIN #) _____ (*if known*)

Parent Name _____ Parent Email _____

Please find attached a check for the following: Check # _____

Total Enclosed $_____