




STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
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To: Parents and Guardians
From: Troy T. Tamura, Principal 
Subject: Lunch Loans

According to the Department of Education "lunch loan" practice, the school will no longer make unlimited "lunch loans" (whether for breakfast or lunch) to students who do not have funds in their meal accounts.

The maximum loan amount will be as follows:

| | <u>Maximum loan</u> |
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| For students eligible for free meals | No loans |
| For students eligible for reduced price meals | \$2 maximum |
| For students who pay the regular student price for meals | \$12.50 maximum |

If there are no funds in your child's meal account, and the "lunch loan" maximum amount has been reached, you should send your child to school with a home lunch.

If you had a "lunch loan" balance outstanding at the end of last school year (even if your child attended a different school), that lunch loan balance will carry forward to the new school year. If the loan balance at the beginning of School Year 2015-16 is greater than the loan limits set forth above, your child will be served a meal on the first day of school but not thereafter until you pay off the lunch loan.

We also want to take this opportunity to remind you that meal prices for School Year 2015-16 will be:

Breakfast

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| Student price | \$1.10 |
| Reduced student price | 0.30 |
| Student price – second meal | 2.40 |
| Adult price | 2.40 |

Lunch

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|-----------------------------|--------|
| Student price | \$2.50 |
| Reduced student price | 0.40 |
| Student price – second meal | 5.50 |
| Adult price | 5.50 |

We look forward to your assistance in providing nutritious meals to your child.