



WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!

Jourdanton ISD participates in the National School Lunch Program. If you think your household qualifies for meal or reduced priced meals, please submit a lunch application. Since the new 2021—2022 school year will begin with universal free meals for ALL students, does a lunch application still need to be submitted? **YES**, as there is a chance the universal free meals program for all students could end during the school year. Please submit your free and reduced lunch application online: www.jourdantonisd.net > *Parent Quick Links* > *Lunch Application*. Lunch Application packets are also available upon request.

UNIVERSAL FREE MEALS FOR ALL STUDENTS DUE TO COVID PANDEMIC and what this means:

If the covid pandemic universal free meals program for all students should end during the school year:

- If your child qualifies for the free or reduced price program based on income and a lunch application **HAS** been submitted: free or reduced status will automatically begin immediately based on the lunch application results. **Qualifying for free or reduced price lunches may increase more EBT funding in your household.**
- If your child qualifies for the free or reduced price program based on income and a lunch application was **NOT** submitted: your child will be switched to full priced meals until an application has been submitted. Any charges incurred during this time will **NEED TO BE PAID**. **Failure to submit an application for free or reduced price lunches may result in limited to no funding for EBT benefits in your household.**

If your child left the previous 2020—2021 school year with charges on the account, these charges **MUST STILL BE PAID!** Failure to pay charges will prevent your child being allowed to purchase any extra ala carte items. You can pay with cash, check, or money order. Credit cards are only accepted with online payments through My School Bucks: www.jourdantonisd.net > *My School Bucks* > *sign up free* > *create an account*. Call the JISD Food Service Department if you have any questions: (830) 769-2144 or (830) 769-3548 x2145.