**WILSON SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**SCHOOL NUTRITION PROGRAM**

***e-Funds For Schools* Pre-Payment System**

The District provides an electronic payment service which is operated by a third-party service provider. The service provider has a nominal fee for their service. Lunch payments can be handled through an electronic transfer from your checking account or charged to a credit card. You also have the flexibility to make a payment at any time of the day through the school's website under ***SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS.***

**How Does *e-Funds For Schools* Work?** Families set up and maintain their own logins, passwords, and payment preferences. Your account information is retained in a password-protected file.You will need your child’s Student ID to set-up their account. Your child’s ID is his/her 6-digit number, which can be found on your child’s photo ID, report card, or student handbook label. You will also need to obtain a user ID from the school by contacting the building office.

***e-Funds For Schools*** will help to:

* Eliminate last minute check-writing hassles and improve efficiencies.
* Eliminate the worry that your child(ren) could lose or forget the money intended for school lunches or that it might be spent on other non-school related items.
* Payments from a credit card or checking account may easily be set up.
* Parents/guardians may establish a recurring payment or may opt to make a one-time payment. (Remember to deactivate a recurring payment at the end of each school year (or if your child is a graduating senior) to avoid unnecessary deposits to the account and then start it up again in August.
* Your payment history for the year is available with a click of the mouse.

Below is the website to access ***e-Funds for Schools***:

<https://eps.mvpbanking.com/cgi-bin/efs/login.pl?access=55553>

**Payments from checking accounts through ACH**. The processing fee is **$1.00**. There is no limit to the amount of money that you may place on the account in a single transaction and you can also apply money to multiple students at the same time within one transaction. For example, if you specify that $100.00 is to be deposited in your child’s lunch account, a total of $101.00 ($100.00 deposit + $1.00 fee) will be deducted from your checking account.  If you apply $50 to one child and $50 to another child your total will be still be $101. The system also carries a Non-Sufficient Funds (NSF) charge of $15.00 for returned checks. When you set up your account, please review your options carefully.

**Payments made by credit card.** The processing fee is **$2.65 per $100 per transaction**. For example, if you specify that $160.00 is to be deposited in your child’s lunch account, a total of $165.30 ($160.00 deposit + $5.30 fee) will be charged to your credit card. When you set up your account, please review your options carefully.

No portion of the fees benefits the District. The fees are charged in addition to the amount you specify to be posted on your child’s lunch account. You are in full control of your account and can make a payment at any time that is convenient for you. No payments will be allowed without your knowledge and your authorization in the secure point-of-sale software. By providing your home and/or work e-mail address, e-mail notifications informing you of the student’s name, purpose of the payment, and the amount of the item will be sent to you each time that a payment is processed. ***E-Funds For Schools*** is secure and uses industry standard data encryption.