

House Bill 1082 – Covering the Cost of Reduced Price School Meals

HB 1082 – Effective July 1, 2026

- Covers the cost that families would pay for reduced price breakfasts and lunches at participating public schools
- Effective July 1, 2026
- Public school districts are no longer allowed to charge

How should I handle this?

- Maintain processes that you've followed in prior years
 - Families still must apply for free or reduced-price meals and qualify
 - You still count and claim the students as reduced price

How do I account for this in I my iCAN Application?

- Fill out everything as you have in the past
- Site applications – charges for meals #16
 - Select “pricing”
 - Enter in your paid lunch and breakfast prices, enter in \$0.00 for reduced price

Parent Packet Updates

Also within your iCAN application

If utilizing the template, leave the text as is

Enter \$0.00 for reduced price breakfast (if offered) and lunch

How do I determine and document eligibility status?

- Families still submit a free and reduced application as normal
- Determine them as free, reduced, or denied
- Maintain that reduced price eligibility status and document them as such in your point of sale and in Infinite Campus

How do I count these students?

- Count the students just as you would have in the past
- Ensure that the charge within your point of sale system for reduced meals is \$0.00

How should I claim these students?

- List these students as reduced in your enrollment in your claim
- Claim them in the reduced price section, as you normally would

How will I get reimbursed for these meals?

- Claim the students as normal (F/R/P)
- Working with our system vendor to implement state claiming rates – your process to submit a claim will not change
- You will be paid with your regular claim for reimbursement

Questions??

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