

► PIONEER SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Families.

Pandemic EBT (P-EBT) benefits are now available to **all K-8 students** enrolled in our school district. P-EBT is money for food for meals students missed at school during the school day because of the pandemic.

There is no need to apply to receive these benefits. Each eligible student will receive a P-EBT card in the mail. However, in order to ensure you receive these benefits, you will need to confirm your address on file with our district is up to date. The first payment date for these benefits has not yet been published, but the date will be prior to September 30, 2023.

Keep your P-EBT Card! More benefits may be added throughout the school year to students' EBT cards if:

- Schools remain closed OR
- If students continue to miss meals served during the school day due to reduced school hours.

Students can continue to take part in free grab-and-go meal programs in our community and still get P-EBT. To learn more about summer food service programs, visit the USDA Meals For Kids webpage here: https://www.fns.usda.gov/meals4kids

Do you have any questions about P-EBT? If so, call the P-EBT Contact Center at 1-833-518-0282 or visit www.dshs.wa.gov/pebt.

Sincerely, Chris Bishop

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