



Kalkaska Public Schools

Jenny Patton, Food Service Director

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Please take a moment to complete the form and return it to your student's school. The Education Benefits Form collects information needed to ensure the school receives state and federal funding for education programs. **Without this information, Kalkaska Public School could lose important funding for education programs that our students need.**

Why is Kalkaska Public School requesting financial information? The Education Benefits Form determines eligibility of a student or household. The total count of eligible students is used to determine the funding amounts that will be made available to a school. The more forms returned the better.

What do I need to do? Please complete the attached form and return it to Your school your child is enrolled in

How will this information be protected? In keeping with current practices, Locked in file cabinet, locked in my office.

What else might my student or household be eligible for? Based on the information you provide on your Education Benefits Form, your child may qualify for other programs such as:

- Potential household support for cable and internet

You must complete the **Sharing Information with Other Programs form**, On school web page in the Food Service Department page, to grant permission for your eligibility information to be shared.

If you have any questions, please contact Jenny Patton at jpatton@kpschools.com.

Sincerely,

Jenny Patton
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