ALL NEW STUDENTS TO ESSEX COUNTY SCHOOLS OF TECHNOLOGY

Once we receive your child's 2025-2026 lunch application, we will determine if they qualify for free or reduced-price lunch. Until then, the parent or guardian is responsible for paying for their child's lunch starting September 3, 2025, until you are notified of your eligibility.

RETURNING STUDENTS TO ESSEX COUNTY SCHOOLS OF TECHNOLOGY

Your child's status from last year will stay the same until October 15, 2025. If a 2025-2026 lunch application isn't submitted before that date, your child's status will change to full-pay, and you will need to pay for lunch until an application is received.