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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Covid-19 Relief Package recently passed by the United States Congress contained numerous benefits for families financially impacted by the pandemic. Some of these benefits are available to students who are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals.

The Berlin Brothersvalley School District is requesting free/reduced lunch applications from families who did not complete one for the current school year. The completed free/reduced lunch application will determine if you qualify for an emergency P-EBT card which the state will be issuing this spring for students to purchase food outside of the school district. If you already qualify for direct certification through the state, you do not need to complete a free/reduced lunch application at this time.

The applications are available in any of the school offices or on our school website, www.bbsd.com. Select "District", "Food Services", then "free/reduced lunch application" in the listing on the left. Complete the application, print, sign and return to Ms. Catherine Berkebile, BBSD, 1025 Main St., Berlin, PA 15530.

Please be aware that applying for free/reduced price meals will not impact the meals your children are currently receiving through the SSO Program for this school year.

Thank you for your continued support and assistance during these unprecedented times as we ensure that all families have access to as much assistance as possible.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Catherine Berkebile
Food Service Manager