То:	St. Gerard Majella Parents, Students, Faculty, Staff &
Community	
From:	Food Service Consultants
Subject:	New Meal Card System
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The new meal card system is called The Heartland Mosaic Cloud based Point of Sale, which also features the <u>MySchoolBucks</u> online prepayment features. This new program has several improvements over the current system we are using, and includes some that parents have been asking us for. It operates with a cloud based environment, which will ensure that the information is not only safe, but is updated constantly and will not be lost or have a system failure. Here are just a few of the benefits;

- Parents will be able to go to a single website at, <u>www.myschoolbucks.com</u> and set up their child's own account. The website is very user friendly and we believe you will come to enjoy the convenience that it offers. You will select the state, and then click on Food Service Consultants.
- Once you have an account, please click your name at top right. In the menu under your name, select "My Students." Click "Add Student," then "Select School>121 St. Gerard Majella." Your child's meal card number (Student ID) will remain the same, but will have the prefix 121 added to it, in order to identify the school. Please see the original paper in the packet you picked up over the weekend for your student's number.
- Parents will be able to view a detailed history of their child's account activity for the past 90 days, view account balances, set up low balance reminders, which will be emailed to you, make arrangements for automatic payments, and even use the mobile app. You can still send in cash or a check as in the past, if this is more convenient for you. The system will be available to parents 24 hours, 7 days a week.

We will no longer be using Pay Pal.

We are confident that you will find the program much more convenient and helpful for you as you watch your child's meal card balance. You can contact the cafeteria manager at <u>fsc.sgm@gmail.com</u> if you have any questions.

Thank You!

STUDENT ACCOUNT NUMBER:_121_