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School Food and Nutrition Services of New Orleans, Inc.

To: All School Principals

From: Janet S. Sanderson  
Chief Operating Officer

Date: November 8, 2018

Subject: No Longer Accepting Cash Effective January 1, 2019

School Food and Nutrition Services' banking partner, Capital One, has informed us that charges will increase significantly for cash deposits. Since federal regulations require School Food and Nutrition Services (SFNS) to make daily deposits, this would be a substantial cost increase that SFNS would have to incur. Unfortunately, these increases would be passed on to the students.

After serious deliberation with Dr. RaeNell Houston, Superintendent of Catholic Schools, and Jeff Entwisle, Chief Financial Officer, we have determined that effective January 1, 2019, SFNS will no longer accept any forms of cash. Parents/guardians will be required to make payments with a check or with an online payment.

SFNS hopes this will not cause any significant problems for our parents/guardians, but we felt that they would prefer this than the alternative.

SFNS would like to thank you in advance for your anticipated support. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Janet Sanderson at (504)596-3450.

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