

PORT WASHINGTON-SAUKVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
100 WEST MONROE STREET
PORT WASHINGTON, WI 53074
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The Port Washington-Saukville School District continues to use the electronic banking program, *e-Funds for Schools*. This program offers various options for parents/guardians who *choose* to make payments online. Not only will you have the ability to pay school fees, you may have lunch payments electronically withdrawn from your checking account or charged to your debit/credit card, you also have the flexibility to make a payment at any time through the school's website. The *e-Funds for Schools* service is offered to you by a third-party service provider. They charge for processing your payment(s), similar to other online banking services. The district does not keep records of family checking or credit card account information.

The "*e-Funds for Schools*" program has a nominal fee for their service. Payments may be made from a checking account (called Direct Debit) or with a debit/credit card. For payments made by check, a \$1.00 transaction fee will be assessed. For payments made by credit/debit card, there is a fee of \$2.65/100. Example: If you use a credit/debit card to pay a \$125.00 bill, e-Funds will assess a \$5.30 fee. The system also carries a Non-Sufficient Funds (NSF) charge of \$15. When you setup your account, please review your options carefully. The maximum amount a parent can pay on e-Funds is \$750.00 per day. Any amount over that will be declined.

You are in full control of your account and can make a payment at any time that is convenient for you. **No payments will be allowed without your knowledge or authorization through this secure payment system.** By providing your home and/or work email address, an email notification informing you of the student's name, purpose of the payment, and the amount of the item will be sent to you each time that a payment is to be processed. The *e-Funds for School* site is secure and uses industry standard data encryption.



How does e-Funds for Schools work?

- Families set up and maintain their own logins, passwords, and payment preferences. Your account information is retained in a password-protected file.
- *e-Funds For Schools* will help eliminate last minute check writing hassles, improve efficiencies, and help cut costs for both you and the school district.
- On-line payments will help eliminate the worry that your children could lose or forget the money intended for school items or that it might be spent on other non-school related items.
- Payments from a credit/debit card or checking account may easily be set up.
- Parents/guardians may establish a recurring payment or may opt to make a one-time payment.
- Your payment history for the year is available with a click of the mouse.
- Parents may set-up a preference to view student's lunch transaction histories.