

**Simple.  
Convenient.  
Cost-effective.**

PaySchools<sup>SM</sup> provides schools with an easy and efficient method to collect fees and receive payments by electronic check or credit card for school lunches, field trips, registration, prom tickets, T-shirts and anything else school-related. PaySchools makes it possible for all schools to offer the convenience of online purchasing without incurring the costs of setting up and maintaining their own merchant account.



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PaySchools has provided Western Dubuque schools with an easy and efficient method of collection for all of our fees and fundraisers. Our goal is to get all cash and checks out of the school offices, and PaySchools is providing us an excellent tool to accomplish this goal. Best of all, parents and office secretaries think it is great.

David Wegmann, Business Manager  
Western Dubuque Community School District

## How It Works

Parents access PaySchools through a link on the home page of their school district's Web site. They select the items they want to purchase and then pay for them using credit cards or electronic checks. The payments are automatically processed, and the money is transferred to the school's bank account.

## PaySchools' Features

- One merchant account for all school districts.
- Clearinghouse for payments.
- Transfer of funds into each school's designated account.
- Fees based on percentage of sales.
- Multiple report generation.
- Integration with other software programs.

## Benefits for Schools

- No up-front costs or monthly minimums.
- Increases traffic to the school's Web site.
- Sets up opportunities for more timely sales, as well as increasing the volume of sales.
- Creates office efficiency through less manual check processing, less handling of cash and fewer bounced checks.
- Improves cash flow.
- Utilizes the convenience of technology.

## Benefits for Parents

- **Convenient:** Make purchases 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- **Control:** Eliminate lost checks or cash.
- **Timely:** Credits payments immediately to a student's account.
- **User-friendly:** Processes both credit cards and electronic checks.
- **Secure:** Ensures private and secure transmissions.
- **Accessible:** View purchases and payments online.

## Getting Started

Initial setup of PaySchools can be accomplished in less than one business day. The service is available to all state school board associations and their members. To get started or for more information, contact PaySchools toll-free at 1-866-PAY-5353 or send an e-mail to [info@payschools.com](mailto:info@payschools.com).



PaySchools is all about helping us serve our customers better! Our parents love the convenience and flexibility.

Craig Hansel, Business Manager  
Cedar Falls Community School District