



Café Enterprise, the **Server-based Point-of-Sale and Meal Application Software Solution** designed for K-12 School Food Service. The unique College Mode also makes Café Enterprise perfect for Colleges with Meal Plans. Café Enterprise automates your sales activity, meal and eligibility counts, State Claim form preparation, and Meal Application entry. If you're looking for a powerful and affordable state-of-the-art system, it just doesn't get any better than this!

Homeroom Photo Search

Homeroom
HARRIS

Use the arrow keys to highlight the desired patron thumbnail. Press Enter to select that patron for sales. Press F2 to return to name search. Press F3 to select a different Homeroom.

ABBOT MELISSA	ANDERSON JOSEPH	ANDERSON KYLE	ARTERS JEFFERY	ARTHUR ANDREA	BALLIET CHRISTOPHER	BARBER GREGORY	BARNETT BOBBY

F2...Name Search
F3...Set Homeroom

Enter Items

Lunch

ESC	F12 SnapShot	ROA
F9 St Milk	F10 Ad Milk	No ID Breakfast
F5 PPB	F6 PPL	No ID Lunch
Student A la Carte	Adult A la Carte	Beverage
Snacks	Entrees	Premium Meals
PLU	↑ Scroll	Del
SubTotal	↓ Scroll	F4 Info
Meal	Cash	Qty

ABBOT MELISSA

Other Note -
Dietary Note -
Home Room - HARRIS
Grade - 4
Account Balance - \$2.50
PPB - 5 PPL - 10

Café Enterprise Point-Of-Sale (POS) software processes your cafeteria sales quickly, tracks

all meals and á la carte items sold, generates a variety of reports, and provides a file for automatic payroll/account deductions of charged activity.

Café Enterprise features include:

- **Customizable Sales Screen** - With categories, items, and "hot keys" for frequently sold items. **Touchscreen Layouts** can be further customized for each user/cashier.
- **Free and Reduced Meal Applications** can be scanned and entered using the unique "**key from image**" feature, or entered manually. Eligibility is determined automatically, and patron statuses are updated immediately. The system also performs Verification selection and prints all the required letters.
- **Sales Reports** - Users may print Sales Activity Reports for individual facilities, or create Facility Groups, and view/print combined reports. Combined district reports can also be printed.
- **SQL database** stored and accessed from a central server. A Terminal Services server may also be used.
- **SIF 2.0 Compliance (Schools Inter-operability Framework)** - SIF is an industry-supported technical blueprint for primary and secondary (K-12) school software which enables diverse software applications to interact and share data seamlessly. The Comalex SIF agent shares student data with your SIF-Compliant Student Management System, which eliminates duplication of data entry.
- **CaféPrepay.com Integration.** CafePrepay.com is the online payment site for school meals where parents can monitor what their children are eating by viewing their participation reports, and replenish their meal account funds using their **Visa, MasterCard** or **American Express** credit card. The **Café Prepay Desktop Widget** (shown below) may also be downloaded by parents from the Café Prepay website. The widget shows each child's current meal account balance, and allows parents to quickly and easily connect to Café Prepay to view reports and make payments.



Patron Account Access

The Café Enterprise system utilizes patron accounts for flexibility in processing account debit sales, cash sales, and charged sales. When a patron purchases a standard meal, Café Enterprise automatically prices the meal according to the patron's eligibility status and meal price. The procedure is performed in a manner that ensures eligibility confidentiality.

Café Enterprise quickly processes both ID (Patron account) and No ID sales. To process an ID transaction, users access the patron's account through **PIN number entry**. Entry can be accomplished in several ways. Patrons may enter their PIN on a keypad, scan their ID card, or place their finger on a **fingerprint reader**. Users may also key in a PIN or Search by the patron's name or display **thumbnail photos** for a selected homeroom, and touch the patron's photo to access the account. **Barcoded Roster Sheets** may also be used. Café Enterprise software produces low-cost, high quality, barcoded, **photo ID cards** which

are scanned in the lunch line to access accounts for processing transactions.

**Note that ID cards are not required to operate the Café Enterprise system.*

Processing Sales

During a sales transaction, the patron's name and photo appear on the screen following the entry of his or her unique PIN. This feature prevents fraudulent use of patron accounts. To add items to the sale, cashiers simply touch the keys that correspond to the items being purchased. Café Enterprise supports electronic scales for items sold by weight. The sale can be completed with cash, account debit, or credit card swipe. Café Enterprise prints sales receipts in those systems that incorporate a receipt printer. A receipt printer is required to accept credit card payments.

SQL Database Stored Securely On The Server

The SQL database is stored securely on your server, which is accessed by POS client terminals through IP-based Networking or Terminal Services. Café Enterprise's patron/student account data includes all of the information necessary for processing sales and meal applications, printing account status letters, notification of eligibility letters, and patron participation (purchase activity) reports, and hundreds of other detailed reports. Café Enterprise also maintains an item table in the database. Items are added and edited from the Enter/Edit Items screen. Multiple Touchscreen Layouts or Keyboard Layouts allow you to maintain different menus for individual users. A user table monitors user security access rights, which can be customized for each user. This user-based access allows for floating cash drawer activity.

Free and Reduced Meal Applications

Free and Reduced Meal Applications may either be scanned, or entered manually in the Meal Applications section of Café Enterprise. The **Meal Application Scanning with "Key from Image" feature** makes entering Meal Applications in Café Enterprise both fast and simple. Full compliance with current USDA Regulations and Income Limits means less work for you.

Application Scanning can be a joint effort, with one or more people scanning the applications, while others simultaneously display the scanned application images and key in the application information. Café Enterprise automatically, and securely, stores the scanned Meal Application image and data together on the server, and calculates the correct meal status for students.



For ease in entering multi-child (family) applications, users simply press Copy To, then select one or more students from a list to add to the family application. When the application is approved, Café Enterprise immediately updates the meal eligibility status of all the students listed on the family application so the student(s) can begin receiving benefits immediately.

Full Reporting Capabilities

Sales Transaction data is stored in user journals. Café Enterprise accesses these journals to generate Sales Activity Reports, which include income received, items sold, and other accounting data. Users may generate reports for a single site, a group of sites (called a Facility Group), or create district-wide reports. Various patron account reports and à la carte item reports help you monitor accounts and track items sold. Café Enterprise reports provide the documentation necessary to substantiate reimbursement claims. Reports can be viewed on the terminal screen and printed at any terminal where a printer is attached or to a network printer. Available Reports include:

- Sales Activity Reports
- Sales Journal Reports (all transactions)
- Patron Lists
- Item Lists
- Participation for a Patron (these detailed account activity reports may be printed or emailed to parents, or parents can view the report online at www.cafeprepay.com)

Account Status Letters

Café Enterprise generates letters, which can be printed or sent via email, for patrons whose account balances fall within certain limits that you specify. This feature includes editing capability, which allows you compose letters that meets your needs. The letters may also include a school logo or a logo from your paid sponsors.

Hardware Options

Available for Windows 2000/XP, the Café Enterprise system integrates affordable, PC-compatible hardware with the features necessary to fulfill all of your POS requirements. The Café Enterprise system is designed to meet your facility's needs and budget restrictions. Your district may elect to purchase a complete package consisting of all of the necessary software and hardware, or may elect to purchase only the software and one or more PIN entry devices. We offer the following items and services to enhance your system:

- **Scanner for Meal Application Scanning** (Hopper-fed, high speed scanner)
- **USB Biometric Fingerprint Reader**
- **Barcode Readers**
- **ID Card Printers**
- **Patron Pinpads / Scanners**
- **Electronic Cash Drawers**
- **Electronic Scales**
- **Receipt Printers and Report Printers**
- **Digital Video Cameras**
- **Touch Screen Monitors or Full Touch Screen Systems**
- **Uninterruptible Power Supplies**
- **Database Servers**
- **Network-Based Data Storage/Backup**
- **Integrated Credit Card Software**

Additional Benefits

- Significantly less time spent in processing sales, processing free and reduced meal applications, storing and retrieving accounting data, and completing reports.
- Parents appreciate the convenience of accounts, which eliminates the need to send money to school with their children each day.
- \$99 Enrollment Fee for the district at www.CafePrepay.com. This service allows parents to pay for school meals, and other school fees, with their Visa, MasterCard, Discover Card, or American Express credit card. Parents can also log in to the web site to view their child's Participation Report, a detailed report of their cafeteria purchases.
- Reporting capabilities of Café Enterprise provide accurate documentation of patron account activity.
- Automatic generation of monthly count and cash receipts forms.
- Meal status confidentiality, which leads to increased participation and can result in increased government reimbursement.
- Faster moving lines since parents can prepay for the students meals and à la carte purchases on the [Café Prepay website](http://www.CafePrepay.com).
- Assistance in compliance with *Dietary Guidelines for America*.

Installation and Support

Your Café Enterprise system will be installed by trained technicians, and terminal operators receive training following the installation. The system is simple to operate and training time is minimal, making it easy to train any new operators.

In addition, one year's technical support and free updates as they are developed within that year are included in the purchase price. Technical support/update agreements are renewed on a yearly basis for a minimal charge.

The use of Café Enterprise increases the efficiency of your food service facility, increases meal program participation, and ensures compliance with government regulations. Café Enterprise eliminates much of the paperwork and extra hours required to manage your food service program. With Café Enterprise, you now have a powerful, organized, and user-friendly means of minding the store.

Click to [visit CafePrepay.com](http://www.CafePrepay.com) and enroll your school district today!