



SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents or Guardians:

Great news for you and your students! We are pleased to inform you that Southampton County Public Schools will be operating under the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) again this year. This means ALL students that are enrolled in Southampton County Public Schools are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at no charge to your household each day of the 2024-2025 school year.

No further action is required of you. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in the National School Breakfast and National School Lunch Programs without having to pay a fee or submit a meal application.

If you have questions or need help, please contact us at 757-653-2692

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