Fall River Public Schools USDA- NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM-CEP INFO FOR THE 2022-23 SCHOOL YEAR

The Fall River Public Schools will be participating in the USDA's Child Nutrition Programs National School Lunch Program for the 2022-23 School Year.. The Fall River Public Schools offers healthy meals (breakfast and lunch) at <u>NO COST</u> to students due the implementation of the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)(for the 22-23 school year. Students do not have to pay a fee nor fill out any lunch application forms.

Non-Discrimination Statement:

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.

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To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <u>https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/ad-3027.pdf</u>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

1. mail:

U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or

- 2. Fax: (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
- 3. Email: Program.Intake@usda.gov

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