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CCSD able to provide additional meals at no cost to students through USDA

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Charleston, SC – Charleston County School District's (CCSD) Nutrition Services Department is serving additional food and meals at no cost to students and their families through the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Child and Adult Care Food Program. Forty-three schools are providing dinner meals to students and 11 schools are serving mid-morning snacks.

The following 43 sites are offering free supper to students:

A.C. Corcoran Elementary
Angel Oak Elementary
Baptist Hill Middle High
Burke High
Charleston Development Academy
Charleston Progressive Academy
Chicora Elementary
E.B. Ellington Elementary
Edith L. Frierson Elementary
Haut Gap Middle
Hunley Park Elementary
James Simons Montessori
Jane Edwards Elementary
Jerry Zucker Middle
Julian Mitchell Elementary
Ladson Elementary
Lambs Elementary
Malcom C. Hursey Montessori
Mary Ford Early Learning and Family Center
Matilda F. Dunston Elementary
Meeting Street @Brentwood
Meeting Street @Burns
Memminger Elementary
Midland Park Primary
Military Magnet Academy
Minnie Hughes Elementary
Morningside Middle

Mount Zion Elementary
North Charleston Creative Arts Elementary
North Charleston Elementary
North Charleston High
Northwoods Middle
Oakland Elementary
Pepperhill Elementary
Pinehurst Elementary
R.B. Stall High
St. James-Santee Elementary-Middle
St. John's High
Sanders-Clyde Elementary
Springfield Elementary
Stono Park Elementary
W.B. Goodwin Elementary
West Ashley Head Start

The following 11 sites are providing mid-morning snacks for students (for Early Head Start/Head Start students only):

E.B. Ellington Elementary
James Island Elementary
Mary Ford Early Learning and Family Center
Midland Park Primary
Minnie Hughes Elementary
Mount Zion Elementary
Sanders-Clyde Elementary
St. James-Santee Elementary-Middle
R.B. Stall High
W.B. Goodwin Elementary
West Ashley Head Start

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Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339 or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish). The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

For more information, contact the Nutrition Services Department at (843) 566-8180.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is a nationally-accredited school district that is committed to providing equitable and quality educational opportunities for all of its students. CCSD is the second-largest school system in South Carolina and represents a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), Montessori, and charter schools. Options include programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military.