

2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

Trigg County School District

We are thrilled to announce that the Trigg County School District will once again offer free meals to students for the 2026-27 school year under the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). This fantastic news ensures that all students in Trigg County School District can receive nutritious breakfasts and lunches at no cost, helping to support their health and academic success.

What is the Community Eligibility Provision?

The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) is a federal program that allows schools in high-poverty areas to provide free meals to all students. By participating in CEP, Trigg County School District can ensure that no child goes hungry, reducing food insecurity and alleviating the financial burden on families.

Benefits of the CEP

- **Improved Nutrition:** Students have access to balanced meals that are essential for their physical and mental development.
- **Academic Success:** Studies show that well-nourished students perform better academically. Free meals help students stay focused and energized throughout the day.
- **Reduced Stigma:** By providing free meals to all students, we eliminate the stigma associated with receiving free or reduced-price lunches.
- **Support families** in managing their household food budgets.