



APS FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICES 2024-2025 PUBLIC RELEASE FOR COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY PROVISION (CEP)

07/01/2024 – ALBUQUERQUE – APS Food and Nutrition Services is slated to implement the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) for Free Meal Reimbursement in School Year 2024-2025. Through CEP, a school district, a group of schools or a single school may offer meals at no charge to all students. This eliminates the procedure of distributing and processing meal applications.

The Healthy, Hunger Free Kids Act of 2010 includes the implementation of CEP to insure that every student in low-income neighborhoods and/or districts can participate in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and School Breakfast Program (SBP). To qualify, a district or school must have 40 percent or more of its students eligible for free meals based on direct certification.

By participating in CEP and eliminating the need for meal applications, APS Food and Nutrition Services will reduce administrative and printing costs. Families also benefit from the elimination of completing and submitting meal applications.

A. Montoya ES, Adobe Acres ES, Alameda ES, Alamosa ES, Albuquerque HS, Alvarado ES, Apache ES, Armijo ES, Arroyo Del Oso ES, Atrisco ES, Atrisco Heritage HS, Barcelona ES, Bandelier ES, Bel Air ES, Bellehaven ES, Career Enrichment Center, Carlos Rey ES, Chamiza ES, Chaparral ES, Chelwood ES, Cibola HS, Cleveland MS, Cochiti ES, College and Career, Collet Park ES, Comanche ES, Coronado ES, Corrales ES, Coyote Willow Family Magnet, Del Norte HS, Dennis Chavez ES, Desert Ridge MS, Desert Willow Family Magnet, Dolores Gonzales ES, Double Eagle ES, E. Gonzales ES, E.G. Ross ES, Early College Academy Magnet, East San Jose ES, eCademy Magnet HS, eCademy K8 Online Magnet School, Eisenhower MS, Eldorado HS, Emerson ES, Ernie Pyle MS, Eugene Field ES, Freedom HS, G.O'Keeffe ES, Garfield MS, George I. Sanchez Collaborative Community School, Governor Bent ES, Grant MS, Griegos ES, Harrison MS, Hawthorne ES, Hayes MS, Helen Cordero ES, Highland HS, Hodgkin ES, Hoover MS, Hubert Humphrey ES, Inez ES, Jackson MS, James Monroe MS, Janet Kahn ES, Jefferson MS, Jimmy Carter MS, John Adams MS, John Baker ES, Kennedy MS, Kirtland ES, Kit Carson ES, L.B. Johnson MS, La Cueva HS, La Mesa ES, Lavaland ES, Lew Wallace ES, Longfellow ES, Los Padillas ES, Los Ranchos ES, Lowell ES, MacArthur ES, Madison MS, Manzano HS, Manzano Mesa ES, Marie Hughes ES, Mark Twain ES, Mary A. Binford ES, Matheson Park ES, McCollum ES, McKinley MS, Mission Avenue ES, Mitchell ES, Monte Vista ES, Montezuma ES, Mountain View ES, Navajo ES, New Futures HS, NexGen HS, North Star ES, Oate ES, Osuna ES, Painted Sky ES, Pajarito ES, Petroglyph ES, Polk MS, Reginald Chavez ES, Rio Grande HS, Roosevelt MS, Rudolfo Anaya ES, San Antonito ES, Sandia HS, Sandia Base ES, School On Wheels HS, S.R. Marmon ES, S.Y. Jackson ES, Seven Bar ES, Sierra Vista ES, Sombra del Monte ES, Stephen Moody Complex, Sunset View ES, Taft MS, Taylor MS, Tierra Antigua ES, Tomasita ES, Tony Hillerman MS, Transition Services, Tres Volcanes (K-8), Truman MS, Valle Vista ES, Valley HS, Van Buren MS, Ventana Ranch ES, Volcano Vista HS, Washington MS, West Mesa HS, Wherry ES, Whittier ES, Wilson MS, Zia ES and Zuni ES, are participating in a Universal Breakfast and Lunch Program for the current school year 2024-2025. If your children attend any of the schools listed, breakfast/lunch will be available to them at no charge. All students enrolled at this school may participate in the breakfast/lunch program at no charge to them.

Studies have shown that children who are not hungry perform better in school. By providing breakfast/lunch to all children at no charge, we are hoping to create a better learning environment for our students.

The school breakfast and lunch that we serve follows U.S. Department of Agriculture guidelines for healthy school meals. The Universal Meals Program cannot succeed without your support; please encourage your children to participate in school meal programs.

If you have, any questions about the program please feel free to contact us at 505-345-5661.

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