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Dear Parent / Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that Cornell School District once again will participate in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) during the 2019-2020 school year. CEP is a non-pricing meal service option that allows the district to serve breakfast and lunch at no cost to all enrolled students.

Schools that adopt CEP are reimbursed using a formula based on the percentage of students categorically eligible for free meals based on participation in specific programs such as Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).

What does this mean?

Students...

Everyone will have access to free meals with no stigma, and less time spent in cashier lines and more time to eat nutritious meals.

Parents...

No household application means less paperwork.

Cafeteria Staff...

Streamlined meal service operations and more time for students to consume their food.

This is great news for everyone involved!

Again, all enrolled students of Cornell School District are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch during school at no charge to families.

Sincerely,

Dr. Aaron Thomas
Superintendent

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