HOPE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

CHILD NUTRITION SERVICES

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that \_HOPE PUBLIC SCHOOLS will be implementing THE option available to schools participating in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) for School Year 2018-2019.

**What does this mean for you and your children attending the school(s) identified above?**

Great news for you and your students! All enrolled students of \_\_HOPE PUBLIC SCHOOLS are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at **no charge** to your household each day of the 2018-2019 school year. No further action is required of you. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without having to pay a fee or submit a meal application.

If we can be of any further assistance, please contact us at \_870-777-3231 DEANNA GILBERT DIRECTOR. THANK YOU

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