



# Randolph Central School Corporation

103 N. East Street, Winchester, Indiana 47394

## 2023-2024 Lunch Program Update

Dear Parents/Guardians,

### **BAKER, DEERFIELD, & WILLARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**

We have exciting news for parents of students in grades preK-5. Randolph Central has qualified for the USDA's Community Eligibility Program (CEP). That means **breakfast and lunch for students in preschool through 5th grade will be free.**

The USDA CEP program only applies to qualified meals. So a student has to take a full meal for it to be free. Unfortunately, this does not apply to buying a single milk and we are aware that some students bring their own lunch and want just a milk. But, if a student takes milk, a fruit, and a vegetable then it is a qualified meal and is free. Also, if a student takes milk, a fruit or vegetable, and one other item then it is a qualified meal and is free. These stipulations are from the USDA not our food service provider.

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### **WCHS & DMS**

The high school and middle school did NOT qualify for the USDA Community Eligibility Program (CEP). Program eligibility is determined by the percentage of students that qualify for some type of government assistance and those percentages are considerably lower for our middle and high school student populations. **In grades 6-12 breakfast will remain \$1.75 and lunch will increase ten cents to \$2.55.**

Parents of 6-12 students please click the link below for information on Free & Reduced Price Meals. The link contains an income eligibility chart for your reference. If you are not sure PLEASE apply.

<https://www.rc.k12.in.us/page/free-and-reduced-price-meals>

Thank you!  
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Superintendent

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