

Sisters School District

525 E. Cascades Ave, Sisters, Oregon 97759

Nutrition Services



Sisters School District Community Eligibility Provision Program

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that Sisters School District will implement a new option available to schools participating in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) for school year 2024 / 2025.

What does this mean for you and your children? Great news for you and your children!

All enrolled students of Sisters School District are eligible to receive a healthy complete breakfast and lunch at school, at **no charge** to your household each school day of the 2024 / 2025 school year. No further action is required of you. Your children will be able to participate in this meal program without having to pay for meals or having to submit an application.

Due to the guidelines of the program, one meal per serving session, only complete meals will be at no charge to your household. Milk, juice, salad bar only, and other A La Carte items will be charged at standard pricing. Funds must be available in the students account (or cash) for these items. No charging will be allowed.

If you have questions, or if we can be of any further assistance, please contact Terri Rood at (541) 549-4057 or terri.rood@ssd6.org.

Sincerely,

Terri Rood
Sisters School District Nutrition Services
Lead Coordinator & Eligibility Official

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U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. **fax:**
(833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
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