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There is great news regarding school meals for next school year 2021/2022. The USDA along with DESE has extended free school meals to all children and teens. This means that next year's food program will look similar since returning in April 2021. We will continue to offer free breakfast and lunch next year!

*"Yesterday, Tuesday, April 20th, the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) released several flexibilities to allow school meal programs to serve meals safely and efficiently during School Year 2021-2022. These meal service flexibilities, available through June 30, 2022, are in response to the continued economic impact of COVID-19 and the need to adhere to strict food safety protocols.*

*Specifically, for School Year 2021-2022:*

*All schools across the Commonwealth will be allowed to serve meals through the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) Seamless Summer Option (SSO), which is typically only available during the summer months.*

*Area eligibility will continue to be suspended allowing all schools across the Commonwealth to continue serving free meals to all children and teens."*

Please feel free to contact the Food Services Office with questions.

Thank You, Sean Riley  
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