

NOTIFICATION LETTER FOR SCHOOL MEALS

Dear Parent/Guardian,

This letter is a notification of meal benefits for your child(ren). Your child has been:

Approved

Denied

- () Approved for free meals
- () Approved for reduced-price meals at _____ cents for lunch and _____

- () Income over the allowable amount
- () *SNAP/CA/FDPIR case # invalid
- () Incomplete application. The following is missing:

- () Other: _____



If you do not agree with the decision you may discuss it with the school official. You also have the right to a fair hearing. This can be done by contacting the following official:

Name	Address	Phone
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You may reapply for benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now but have a decrease in household income, become unemployed, or have an increase in household size, you may fill out another application at that time.

This notification may qualify your child for other benefits such as educational scholarships, fee waivers and specific educational programs. Take this letter to the district office for more information on these benefits.

Non-discrimination Statement: This explains what to do if you believe you have been treated unfairly. In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. To file a complaint of discrimination, write *USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington DC 20250-9410* or call (800)795-3272 or (202)720-6382 (voice and TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.
Sincerely,

Name	Title	Date
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*SNAP: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly Food Stamps)