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Letter to Households in Schools/Districts Participating in Community Eligibility Provision

TIPTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that *TIPTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT* will be implementing a new option available to schools participating in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs called the Community Eligibility Provision for 2025-2026 School Year.

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 TIPTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at **no charge** to your household each day of the 2025-2026 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 an application.

If we can be of any further assistance, please contact us at 559-752-4213 ext.1712

Sincerely,

Food Service Department

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