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Attention Parents or Guardians of East Derry, LES, IV Elementary (Grades K-3), Strodes Mills and LIS students:

We are pleased to inform you that the following schools will be participating in a program known as the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) in the 2026-2027 school year.

East Derry Elementary School

Lewistown Elementary School

Indian Valley Elementary School (Grades K-3)

Strodes Mills Elementary School

Lewistown Intermediate School

This program is available to schools and districts that are participating in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs.

All enrolled students of East Derry Elementary, Lewistown Elementary, Indian Valley **Elementary** (Grades K-3), Strodes Mills Elementary and Lewistown Intermediate are eligible to receive a nutritional **breakfast and lunch** each school day at **no charge** to your household.

No further action is required of you. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without paying a fee or submitting an application.

If you have any questions, please contact the Food Service Office at (717)248-0148, ext. 2516 or email hrb41@mcsdk12.org.

Sincerely,
MCSD Food Service

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW

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ATTENTION: If you speak Spanish, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Contact your child's school.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Comuníquese con la escuela de su niño.