



# Polk County Schools Board of Education Info Brief

## Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)

On May 4, 2023 the Superintendent, Finance Officer, and Foodservice Director met to discuss CEP information for each school, and to formulate a recommendation on participation for the Polk County Board of Education. The CEP program is designed to streamline free and reduced meal reimbursement for public schools to ensure all students have access to breakfast and lunch during the school day. Due to recent changes in the thresholds for CEP participation, Polk Schools Administration is working to clarify projections for the May 8 Board of Education meeting. The Superintendent and Child Nutrition Director will have more accurate figures available for discussion at the time of the meeting. The Board must make a decision on participation before Jun 8, 2023 .

Respectfully,  
Aaron Greene  
Superintendent  
Polk County Schools