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Media Release

Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)

We are please to announce both breakfast and lunch is free for all students at all school sites thanks to California Universal meals program. Ventura Unified School District is participating in the National School Lunch and Breakfast Programs for the 2025-2026 school year. The school sites listed below are approved for the Community Eligibility Provision(CEP) which allows all enrolled students to receive lunch and breakfast every school day at NO CHARGE.

- Pacific High School
- Anacapa Middle School
- Data Middle School
- E.P. Foster Elementary
- Elmhurst Elementary
- Lemon Grove K-8
- Lincoln Elementary
- Portola Elementary
- Sheridan Way Elementary

Please remember to complete the 2025-2026 Educational Benefits Form (LCFF) so that the district can continue receiving the proper funds for educational purposes. The form is located on the districts online registration platform during the annual update at the beginning of the year.

The Student Nutrition Department follows all US Department of Agriculture Meal Pattern guidelines for healthy school meals. Please encourage your child(ren) to participate in the lunch and breakfast programs by dining in and enjoying our meals at any of the school cafes.

For additional information please contact the Food & Nutrition Services Department at (805)641-5000 x 1306.

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