

## **CEP FAQs**

- **What is the [Community Eligibility Provision \(CEP\)](#)?**
  - The schools were selected based on the percentage of students at the school who are participating in one or more of a variety of public assistance programs, such as Head Start, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families or the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.
  
- **Do I need to fill out a Free & Reduced Application if my child or all of my children attend a school participating in CEP?**
  - NO – you do not need to fill out an application for Free & Reduced Price Meals.
  
- **If I have children attending non-CEP schools outside of West Carrollton School District, do I need to fill out a Free & Reduced Application?**
  - YES - you need to fill out an application for any children that are not attending a CEP school. Be sure to include the students that DO attend CEP schools on the application since the application is a Household/Family Application.
  
- **If my child transfers from a school participating in the CEP program to a non-CEP school are they still free?**
  - No. The student will be able to receive meals at no charge for 10 days after transferring to give the family an opportunity to fill out a Free and Reduced Price Meal Application, but after the 10 days, the student will then need to pay full price for lunch until an application is processed and approved.