

Provisional Programs

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VISION

To create a world-class educational system that gives students the knowledge and skills to be successful in college and the workforce, and to flourish as parents and citizens

MISSION

To provide leadership through the development of policy and accountability systems so that all students are prepared to compete in the global community

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

1

All Students Proficient and Showing Growth in All Assessed Areas



2

Every Student Graduates from High School and is Ready for College and Career



3

Every Child Has Access to a High-Quality Early Childhood Program



4

Every School Has Effective Teachers and Leaders



5

Every Community Effectively Uses a World-Class Data System to Improve Student Outcomes



6

Every School and District is Rated "C" or Higher



CEP Deadlines in the NSLP & SBP- Waiver

- Memo #6
- Applies to NSLP, SBP
- Issued 3/25/2020; Expires 8/31/2020
- Waives statutory and regulatory deadlines related to CEP reporting and election.

DATA for SY 2020-2021

- Website: <https://mdek12.org/MBE/SBPI>
- What are we seeing?
 - Increase in ISP compare to last year

Compared data

SY 18-19

1	2	3	6	8	9	10	11
LEA ID	LEA name	District-wide Identified Student Percentage (ISP)	Currently Participating in CEP	Total Number of Schools in Participating, Eligible, and Near-Eligible LEAs	Total Student Enrollment in Participating and Eligible LEAs	Total Number of CEP Schools in the LEA	Total Student Enrollment at CEP Schools
00001	School A	53.45%	X	3	1,173	3	1,173
00189	School B	45.48%		4	1,051		
00197	School C	54.38%	X	8	3,387	6	2,150

SY 19-20

1	2	3	6	8	9	10	11
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00001	School A	66.58%	X	3	1,092	3	1,092
00189	School B	56.82%	X	4	1,056	1	279
00197	School C	66.53%	X	8	3,298	6	2,143

DIST ISP
ISP Change
[2019SY -
2018SY] = +/-
% change)

COL 9 TOT
Enrollment
change
[2019SY -
2018SY] = +/-
change)

13.12% -81

11.34% 279

12.14% -7

Compare Data from 18-19 to 19-20

		School Year 2018-2019		School Year 2019-2020	
Currently Participating in CEP	LEA Name	District-wide Identified Student Percentage (ISP)	Multiplier 1.6	District-wide Identified Student Percentage (ISP)	Multiplier 1.6
Yes	School A	53.45%	85.52%	66.58%	100.00%
No	School B	45.48%	72.77%	56.82%	90.91%
Yes	School C	54.38%	87.00%	66.53%	100.00%

Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)

Community Eligibility Provision

- Must provide both **Breakfast** and **Lunch** to students at no cost.
- Reimbursements are made at the free and paid levels only.
- Must **not** take household applications.
- Establish ISP through DC matching and other sources.

CEP cont'd...

- May establish groups of sites or select entire district.
- Conduct DC matching at least once annually.
- PLE and Charge policy is **not** required.
- Lessens administration workload (ie..applications & verification).
- May combine with Provision 2 to offer free meals to all students.

Why you are not participating?

- “All schools or no schools”
- ISP is not high enough
- Not enough information

Establishing Identified Student Percentage (ISP)

NAME OF INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL SITE	IDENTIFIED STUDENTS	ENROLLMENT	ISP	EST. FREE %
	# of Students	Total number of students eligible to participate in school lunch program	Identified Student Percentage	Estimated Percent of Total Meals Served Reimbursed at the Federal Free Rate
Washington School	388	585	66.32%	106.12%
Jefferson School	303	461	65.73%	105.16%
Armstrong School	237	394	60.15%	96.24%
Roosevelt School	232	479	48.43%	77.49%
Jackson School	149	524	28.44%	45.50%
Marshall School	189	408	46.32%	74.12%
Total Aggregate	1498	2851	52.54%	84.07%



Maximizing your ISP

Most favorable in yellow

GROUP NUMBER (ex. 1,2,3)	NAME OF GROUP SITES	IDENTIFIED STUDENTS	ENROLLMENT	ISP	EST. FREE %
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	Group 1 Aggregate	1160	1919	60.45%	96.72%

Less favorable in orange

2	Jackson School	149	524	28.44%	45.50%
2	Marshall School	189	408	46.32%	74.12%
	Group 2 Aggregate	338	932	36.27%	58.03%



What is a “grace year”?

- When an LEA, group of schools, or individual school in Year 4 of a CEP cycle with an ISP of $< 40\%$ but at least 30% as of April 1.
- Grace year (fifth year) gives an LEA the opportunity to restore their eligibility status without immediately resuming standard counting and claiming procedures or disrupting the CEP meal service.
- Reimbursement for schools participating in a grace year is based on the ISP as of April 1 in Year 4 of the current four-year cycle.

Grace year cont'd...

Claiming percentages for participating schools in a grace year:

- Year 4 ISP as of April 1, 2018: **35%**
- ISP x 1.6 multiplier (35% x 1.6): **56%**
- Free claiming percentage: **56%**
- Paid claiming percentage: **44%**

Grace year cont'd...

- If the ISP of 40 % threshold (as of April 1 of the grace year) is regained, the State Agency may approve a new four-year cycle beginning the following school year.

Remember the Goal

Provide Meals to Students at No Cost

So What about The Jackson & Marshall Schools ?

Can the goal be achieved in another way?

YES !

By participating in Provision 2 or 3

Provision 2 or 3

Provision 2

- Year 1 – Base Year
 - Make eligibility determinations using applications, DC matching etc.
 - Offer meals to students at no cost.
 - Submit claim for reimbursement of free, reduced & paid meals served.
 - Actual served percentages are developed each month of the base year.

Provision 2

- Year 1 – Base Year
 - State agencies are required to conduct a review of base year certification and benefit issuance documentation.
 - OCN must review base year eligibility determination prior to final approval of claiming percentages.

Provision 2 cont'd...

- Years 2-4
 - May not make any eligibility determinations.
 - Offer meals to students at no cost.
 - Submit claim for reimbursement of total meals served to students.
 - Reimbursement calculated from base year developed percentages.

Provision 2 cont'd...

- Year 5
 - Request a 4 year extension.
 - Re-establish base year by making new application determinations.
 - Return to pricing program.

Provision 2 cont'd...

Other considerations

- May provide **Breakfast only**, **Lunch only**, or combination of both Breakfast & Lunch to students at no cost.
- Issue benefits in accordance with Eligibility Manual.
- Verify applications in first year only.
- Conduct DC matching at least once annually.

Provision 2 cont'd...

- What is current participation rate of free approved students?
- What is prior years “plate” cost?
- What if participation “tanks” during base year? Other Years?

Submitting Document- Pro-2

- Due each year by **June 30, 2020** for the upcoming school year.

Amendment to the policy statement?

What must we include in the amendment to the policy statement?

- The name of the school;
- The program(s) (NSLP, SBP or both) operating under the Provision;
- The initial year and month of implementation.

Amendment to the policy statement?

What must we include in the amendment to the policy statement?

- The years the cycle is expected to remain in effect;
- The year the Provision must be reconsidered;
- The socioeconomic data that will be used to support any extension of Provision 2; and
- Certification that the school(s) meet the criteria outlined in 7 CFR 245.9(b).

Amendment Pro 2

July 2009

Amendment to the Free and Reduced Price Policy Statement Provision 2

District Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

School Food Service Administrator: _____

The following schools are Provision 2:

School Name	Base Year	Cycle Remains in Effect Until	Year of Reconsideration

Provision 2.

The _____ (hereafter referred to as School Food Authority) will certify children for free and reduced price meals for up to 4 consecutive school years in the schools which serve meals at no charge to all enrolled children; we will make public notification and eligibility determinations in accordance with § 245.5 and § 245.3, respectively, during the base year. The provision 2 base year is the first year applications are taken, and is included in the 4-year cycle. The following requirements apply:

Amendment Pro 2 Sample

July 2009

Amendment to the Free and Reduced Price Policy Statement Provision 2

District Name: Any Where District MS
Address: 2021 Success Street
Breakfast & Lunch - Pro 2
Phone Number: 601-999-9999
School Food Service Administrator: Hattie Wonderful

The following schools are Provision 2:

School Name	Base Year	Cycle Remains in Effect Until	Year of Reconsideration
Brand Elementary	2020-2021	2023-2024	2024-2025

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Retention

- Retain specified base year records for the entire period that the school operates, for both the base year and for non-base years.
- Under Provision 2 (base year plus all extensions), plus three years, or longer if;
- There are audit findings and until resolution of the findings.

Resources

<https://www.fns.usda.gov/nsfp/community-eligibility-provision-resource-center>

Non- Discrimination Statement

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Full Statement

<http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/docs/child-nutrition/usda-nondiscrimination-statement-2016.pdf?sfvrsn=2>



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