



Maryland Hunger Solutions

Ending hunger and promoting well-being

Community Eligibility Can Create Hunger-Free Schools in Baltimore City

Poverty and Food Insecurity in Baltimore City

- Of the 620,843 people living in Baltimore City, 150,730 are living below the **poverty** line.
- **36.5% of children** in Baltimore City live below the poverty line.
- Households that are food insecure don't have adequate access to the food they need. Food insecurity is linked with poor health and development in children as well as academic and behavioral problems. The **food insecurity** rate in Baltimore City is 22.6%.
- Over **84%** of children qualify for Free and Reduced Price Meals (FARMS) in Baltimore City.

The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)

- CEP, introduced in the *Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010*, allows schools to combat hunger and food insecurity by providing a free breakfast and lunch for **all** students.
- The stigma that low-income students often experience when accessing school meals is eliminated.
- By removing the need to collect fees from students and forms from families, CEP also increases efficiency, reduces paperwork, and simplifies administrative processes.

Which Schools are Qualified to use CEP?

- During the 2014-2015 school year, over **three hundred** schools in Maryland are eligible to elect CEP and become a "**Hunger-Free School**," including the nearly 200 schools in the Baltimore City.
- The **entire Baltimore City Public School District** is eligible to elect the Community Eligibility Provision.
- In addition, the following individual Baltimore City Public Schools are also eligible to elect CEP. (Schools listed here have an "Identified Student Percentage," or ISP, >40%. Schools in bold have an ISP >60%. Since federal reimbursements at the free meal rate are determined by multiplying 1.6 by ISP, schools with over 60% ISP will be reimbursed at the highest free meal rate for over 96% of meals served.)
- For more information about school meals, please contact Baltimore City Public Schools, Department of Food & Nutrition Services at 410-396-8755.



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ABBOTTSTOWN ELEM
ACCE ACADEMY
ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMY @ HARBOR CITY HIGH
AFYA PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL
ALEXANDER HAMILTON ELEMENTARY
ALTERNATIVE ELEM SCHOOL
ARLINGTON ELEMENTARY
ARMISTEAD GARDENS ELEMENTARY
ARUNDEL ELEMENTARY
AUGUSTA FELLS SAVAGE INST
BALTIMORE ANTIOCH DIPLOMAS PLUS HS
BALTIMORE CIVITAS MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL
BALTIMORE COMMUNITY SCHOOL
BALTIMORE DESIGN SCHOOL
BALTIMORE IT ACADEMY
BALTIMORE LEADERSHIP SCHOOL FOR YOUNG WN
BALTIMORE LIBERATION DIPLOMA P
BALTIMORE TALENT DEVELOPMENT HIGH
BARCLAY ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
BAY BROOK ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE
BEECHFIELD ELEMENTARY
BELMONT ELEMENTARY
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN MIDDLE
BLUFORD DREW JEMISON
BLUFORD DREW JEMISON STEM ACAD
BOOKER T WASHINGTON MIDDLE
BREHMS LANE ELEMENTARY
CALLAWAY ELEMENTARY
CALVERTON MIDDLE
CALVIN RODWELL ELEMENTARY
CAREER ACADEMY
CARVER VOC TECH HIGH
CECIL ELEMENTARY
CHARLES CARROLL BARRISTER ELEM
CHERRY HILL ELEM MIDDLE
CITY NEIGHBORS HIGH
CITY SPRINGS ELEMENTARY
CLAREMONT SCHOOL
COLDSTREAM PARK ELEMENTARY
COLLINGTON SQUARE ELEMENTARY
COMMODORE JOHN ROGERS ELEM
CONNEXIONS COMMUNITY
COPPIN ACADEMY
CREATIVE CITY PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL
CROSS COUNTRY ELEMENTARY
CURTIS BAY ELEMENTARY
DALLAS F NICHOLAS SR ELEM
DICKEY HILL ELEMENTARY MIDDLE

DIGITAL HARBOR HIGH SCHOOL
DR BERNARD HARRIS ELEMENTARY
DR CARTER G WOODSON ELEMENTARY
DR MARTIN LUTHER KING JR ELEM
DR NATHAN A PITTS ASHBURTON
DR RAYNER BROWNE ELEMENTARY
EDGEcombe CIRCLE ELEMENTARY
EDGEWOOD ELEMENTARY
EDMONDSON/WESTSIDE SR HIGH
ELMER A. HENDERSON: A JOHNS HOPKINS
PARTNERSHIP
EMPOWERMENT ACADEMY
EUTAW MARSHBURN ELEMENTARY
EXCEL ACADEMY @ FRANCIS M WOODS
FALLSTAFF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
FEDERAL HILL ELEMENTARY
FOREST PARK HIGH
FORT WORTHINGTON ELEMENTARY
FRANCIS SCOTT KEY ELEM/MIDDLE
FRANKLIN SQUARE ELEMENTARY
FREDERICK DOUGLASS HIGH
FREDERICK ELEMENTARY
FRIENDSHIP ACADEMY ENGINEERING
FRIENDSHIP ACADEMY OF SCIENCE
FURLEY ELEMENTARY
FURMAN L TEMPLETON ELEMENTARY
GARDENVILLE ELEMENTARY
GARRETT HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY
GENERAL WOLFE ELEMENTARY
GEORGE WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY
GILMOR ELEMENTARY
GLENMOUNT ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
GOVANS ELEMENTARY
GRACELAND PARK O'DONNELL
GREEN STREET ACADEMY
GROVE PARK ELEMENTARY
GUILFORD ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
GWYNNS FALLS ELEMENTARY
HAMILTON ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
HAMPDEN ELEMENTARY
HAMPSTEAD HILL ELEMENTARY
HARFORD HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY
HARLEM PARK ELEMENTARY
HAZELWOOD ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
HERITAGE HIGH SCHOOL LAKE CLIF
HIGHLANDTOWN ELEMENTARY
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HILTON ELEMENTARY



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HOLABIRD ELEMENTARY
INDEPENDENCE SCHOOL LOCAL 1
INNER HARBOR E ACADEMY
JAMES MCHENRY ELEMENTARY
JAMES MOSHER ELEMENTARY
JOHN EAGER HOWARD ELEMENTARY
JOHN RUHRAH ELEMENTARY
JOHNSTON SQUARE ELEMENTARY
KASA MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL
KIPP HARMONY
KIPP UJIMA VILLAGE ACADEMY
LAKELAND ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
LAKEWOOD ELEMENTARY
LANGSTON HUGHES ELEMENTARY
LEITH WALK ELEMENTARY
LIBERTY ELEMENTARY
LOCKERMAN BUNDY ELEMENTARY
LOIS T MURRAY ELEMENTARY
LYNDHURST ELEMENTARY
MAREE GARNETT FARRING ELEM
MARGARET BRENT ELEMENTARY
MARITIME ACADEMY
MARY ANN WINTERLING ELEM @ BENTALOU
MARY E RODMAN ELEMENTARY
MATH CHARTER SCHOOL
MATTHEW A HENSON ELEMENTARY
MERGENTHALER VOC TECH HIGH
MIDDLE ALTERNATIVE PGM LOMBARD
MONARCH ACADEMY PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL
MONTEBELLO ELEMENTARY
MORAVIA PARK PRIMARY
MORRELL PARK ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
MT ROYAL ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
NACA FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY
NATIONAL ACADEMY FOUNDATION
NEW ERA ACADEMY
NEW HOPE ACADEMY
NEW SONG ACADEMY
NORTH BEND ELEMENTARY
NORTHEAST MIDDLE
NORTHWESTERN HIGH

NORTHWOOD COMM ACADEMY
NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY
PATTERSON HIGH
PATTERSON PARK PUBLIC CHARTER
PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR HIGH
PIMLICO ELEMENTARY
REACH MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL
REGINALD F LEWIS HIGH SCHOOL
RENAISSANCE ACADEMY
ROBERT W COLEMAN ELEMENTARY
ROGNEL HEIGHTS ELEMENTARYMID
ROOTS AND BRANCHES SCHOOL
ROSEMONT ELEMENTARY
SAMUEL C TAYLOR ELEMENTARY
SAMUEL F B MORSE ELEMENTARY
SARAH M ROACH ELEMENTARY
SHARP LEADENHALL ELEMENTARY
SINCLAIR LANE ELEMENTARY
SOUTHWEST BALTO CHARTER SCHOOL
STADIUM SCHOOL
STEUART HILL ELEMENTARY
SUCCESS ACADEMY
TENCH TILGHMAN ELEMENTARY
THE CROSSROADS SCHOOL
THOMAS JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY
VANGUARD COLLIGIATE MIDDLE
VIOLETVILLE ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
VIVIEN T THOMAS MEDICAL ARTS
WALTER P CARTER ELEMENTARY
WAVERLY ELEMENTARY
WEB DUBOIS HIGH SCHOOL
WESTERN HIGH
WESTPORT ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
WESTSIDE ELEMENTARY
WILLIAM PACA ELEMENTARY
WILLIAM PINDERHUGHES ELEM
WILLIAM S BAER SCHOOL
WINDSOR HILLS ELEMENTARY
WOODHOME ELEMENTARY MIDDLE
YORKWOOD ELEMENTARY
YOUTH OPPORTUNITY