

BERING STRAIT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that Bering Strait School District will be implementing a new option available to schools participating in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) for School Year 2017-2018.

What does this mean for you and your children attending the school(s) identified above?

Great news for you and your students! All enrolled students of Bering Strait School District are eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at **no charge** to your household each day of the 2017-2018 school year. No further action is required of you. Your child(ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without having to pay a fee or submit a meal application.

If we can be of any further assistance, please contact me at:

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Yannita Ivanoff" followed by the date "8/9/17".

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