



STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
LINAPUNI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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Dear Parent and Guardian:

Linapuni Elementary School has been offering breakfast and lunch at no charge to all of our students through a non-pricing meal service option called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP).

This letter is to notify you that Linapuni Elementary School's CEP status will **remain the same** for the School Year 2020-2021. This means that your child's breakfast and lunch meals will continue to be offered free of charge.

Through CEP, schools that predominantly serve low-income children are allowed to offer free meals to all students through the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs without collecting school meal applications, but we will be sending home a survey when school starts.

Please continue to encourage your child to eat breakfast and lunch in our school cafeteria. Studies have shown that students who eat nutritious meals can concentrate better, earn better grades and are generally healthier. They also have a better temperament and less behavior problems in the classroom and at home. By teaching students how to eat well-balanced meals, they are more likely to make better food choices when they become adults.

If you have any questions about the CEP program, please contact our school office at 808-305-2150.

Sincerely,

Tami Marie Halli
Principal