



WARE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

There is still time, yes you may apply for Ware's free and reduced breakfast and lunch program at anytime. We realize the weak economy has caused changes in some of our families incomes. If needed, please take advantage of this opportunity for your child.

Participation in this program is based on family income. Children in foster care and those experiencing homelessness are automatically eligible; however, all families must complete an application form. All information submitted is confidential. There is absolutely no identification of students participating in the program (no tokens, no special colored cards, and no separate list) only the "accountability" monitors are aware. Besides your child getting a nutritional breakfast or lunch at a reduced or free rate, participation in this program has broader benefits for Ware Public Schools.

The amount of Title I dollars, which provides extra math and reading teachers, is based on the number of students that participate in the program. High rates of participation also make Ware Public Schools a priority for additional books, special dental programs, summer programming and additional funding from the state and federal government.

If you have the need, this is a win, win for your child and our school system. Applications and income eligibly information are available on our web site. www.warepublicschools.com then click PROGRAMS and click Food Services or call your child's school for an application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "ME Beach".

Mary-Elizabeth Beach