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CCPS Establishes Bus Route Breakfast and Lunch Meal Delivery for Students

JONESBORO- Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) Nutrition Services Department and the Department of Transportation are teaming up to reduce hunger and provide nutritious meals to all students as the district begins the 2020-2021 school year virtually. Beginning Monday, August 10, 2020, CCPS and Utopian Academy students will be able to visit bus stops closest to their homes to pick up breakfast and lunch meals Monday through Friday. School bus meal delivery routes and times can be found on the CCPS Transportation website and accessible via the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/CCPSNutritionBusRoutes>.

Students may also visit their nearest school to pick up meals on Monday through Friday curbside from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Please note that parents/guardians may pick up meals on behalf of the students, however, Student ID numbers may be required to identify students.

“In our district, we understand that we must focus on meeting the needs of our students, and at times that goes beyond the instructional setting,” said Dr. Morcease J. Beasley, Superintendent/CEO of Clayton County Public Schools. “During these unprecedented times, now more than ever, we are focused on mitigating the challenges and obstacles our community faces in light of the pandemic where possible to ensure that each child has the tools they need. These tools also include meal services as we recognize that students who are hungry may experience a difficult time engaging in the learning process.”

As the district continues to provide meal services to students, Clayton County Public Schools asks that all stakeholders view the following video (<https://youtu.be/OBWiVoid--E>) designed to inform individuals of the proper way to social distance during meal pick up. Featuring Ms. Audrey Hamilton, CCPS Director of School Nutrition, the video also showcases members of the school nutrition staff and the work they do to prepare meals for students. In addition, it is asked that all stakeholders join the district in highlighting and promoting the efforts of the School Nutrition Department and various other departments to keep the community informed as we work together to navigate the COVID-19 pandemic.

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About Clayton County Public Schools

Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) is fully accredited through AdvancED – Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement. The district offers a focused world-class program based on a challenging curriculum which is taught from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Serving over 55,000 students, Clayton County Public Schools is ranked among the 100 largest school districts in the U.S. and is the fifth-largest school system in Georgia.

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