

**From:** Danny Varat <DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>  
**To:** Catherine McNicollCatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov  
**Date:** 8/15/2017 9:40:33 AM  
**Subject:** Re: QUESTION

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That makes perfect sense. Thanks

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**From:** Catherine McNicoll  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 15, 2017 9:40 AM  
**To:** Danny Varat  
**Subject:** RE: QUESTION

So the understanding that I have of CEP is based on this document from the USDA: <https://www.fns.usda.gov/sites/default/files/cn/CEPfactsheet.pdf>

Basically under CEP an entire school receives free breakfast and lunch because such a high percentage is eligible and this cuts down on tracking individual applications and stigma.

I am happy to further confirm this with SDE if you would like.

*Best Regards,*  
Catherine McNicoll  
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**From:** Danny Varat  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 15, 2017 9:25 AM  
**To:** Catherine McNicoll  
**Subject:** Re: QUESTION

Upon a little closer reading, it appears that the question is why all children are eligible if the school is designated. She said in a later mail that she received a letter that Calhoun has been designated. So, is it the whole population of a school?

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**From:** Catherine McNicoll  
**Sent:** Monday, August 14, 2017 12:53 PM  
**To:** Danny Varat  
**Subject:** RE: QUESTION

I didn't need to ask about eligible, it's on their website. All on Anderson CSD 5 is eligible; however of the 20 schools in the district only 9 are participating. I can ask is Calhoun Elementary is one of them.

<http://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/nutrition/meal-programs/community-eligibility-provision-cep/cep-school-eligibility-list/>

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**From:** Danny Varat

**Sent:** Monday, August 14, 2017 9:23 AM

**To:** Catherine McNicoll <[CatherineMcNicol@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:CatherineMcNicol@scstatehouse.gov)>

**Subject:** Fw: QUESTION

Please ask SDE if Calhoun Elemnetary in Anderson is eligible and/or participating in CEP.

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**From:** [rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com) <[rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com)>

**Sent:** Monday, August 14, 2017 8:06 AM

**To:** Danny Varat

**Subject:** Re: QUESTION

IT'S COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY PROVISION

-----Original Message-----

From: "Danny Varat" <[DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov)>

Sent: Sunday, August 13, 2017 9:43am

To: "[rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com)" <[rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com)>

Subject: Re: QUESTION

Sorry. What's CEP?

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**From:** [rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com) <[rxorders@bryantrx.com](mailto:rxorders@bryantrx.com)>

**Sent:** Saturday, August 12, 2017 2:44 PM

**To:** Danny Varat

**Subject:** QUESTION

<https://www.anderson5.net/calhoun>

How does the CEP apply to all children at Calhoun? This is a question Meghan has at the pharmacy.

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