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## CCPS Continues Seamless Summer Option Program through May 24, 2022

**JONESBORO** - Clayton County Public Schools (CCPS) will continue to implement the Seamless Summer Option Program in School Year 2022. Through SSO, all children under the age of 18 years and younger, and those up to 21 years of age with physical and mental disabilities will be offered meals at no cost until May 24, 2022.

- ➤ Children attending school face-to-face will consume their breakfast and lunch meals Monday through Friday while on school campus.
- ➤ Virtual Learning Program children can pick up their meals during the times breakfast is being served and lunch is being served Monday through Friday. Signage will direct traffic to specific pick up locations on school campuses. <u>Pick up meals are not intended for children currently attending face--to-face classes.</u>
- ➤ Children between the ages of 18 years and younger, and up to 21 years of age with a physical and mental disability who are not enrolled in school can pick up meals Monday through Friday during the time breakfast is served and lunch is being served. Select a convenient school campus location closest to home.

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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.