

P-EBT Update

We just received some great news from the State that the benefits for P-EBT have been extended for the whole year!

Massachusetts is the first state to receive approval. If families call regarding their benefits, here are a few key things to share:

- **Dates of when benefits will be provided have not been determined, but BPS will notify families once benefits have been released.**
- Instructions for BPS families:
 - If you do not have a card (lost or never received) - please request one at DTAConnect.com/pebt or call 800-997-2555 (the website is faster)
 - If you have your card, please keep it. Your child's benefits will be updated/loaded automatically.
- Having additional benefits does not replace the meal pick-ups at our supersites. Families can continue to pick up meals.
- If you **do not want the benefits**, please feel free to contact a local food bank or church to ask what food donations they are willing to accept and purchase with the funds.

Please reach out to our school social worker with any questions!

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