

School Lunch Program
Free Breakfast, Lunch, and Snack for All Students

In accordance with the Healthy Schools Act, all students at DC Scholars PCS receive a breakfast at no cost. Additionally, lunch and snack are provided to all students at no cost because DC Scholars PCS participates in the “Community Eligibility Provision” program. DC Scholars PCS participates in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and adheres to the guidelines established the USDA. For more information contact kjjones@dcscholars.org.

USDA Nondiscrimination Statement

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To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the [USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form](#), (AD-3027) found online at: [How to File a Complaint](#), and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by:

- (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;
- (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or
- (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Also, the District of Columbia Human Rights Act, approved December 13, 1977 (DC Law 2-38; DC Official Code §2-1402.11(2006), as amended) states the following:

Pertinent section of DC Code § 2-1402.11: It shall be an unlawful discriminatory practice to do any of the following acts, wholly or partially for a discriminatory reason based upon the actual or perceived: race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, personal appearance, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, family responsibilities, genetic information, disability, matriculation, or political affiliation of any individual.

To file a complaint alleging discrimination on one of these bases, please contact the District of Columbia’s Office of Human Rights at (202)727-4559 or ohr@dc.gov.