

# STAND UP FOR MARYLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## Good News About **Maryland** Public Schools

### School Meals

**73+ Million**

Lunches provided by the National School Lunch Program served in Maryland's schools in 2016, 75% of which were served to students eligible for free or reduced-price meals.

**3,065,267**

Meals served by the Summer Food Service Program in 2016.



**45.5 Million**

Meals provided by the School Breakfast program in 2016 - an increase of over three million from the previous year. Of these meals, 74% were provided to students eligible for free or reduced-price meals.

**477**

Schools that participated in the Maryland Meals for Achievement (MMFA) program. The MMFA average daily participation was over 64%, whereas non-MMFA breakfast was less than 29%.

