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## Completion of Students Eligible for Free/Reduce Meals Report

- 1. Free and Reduced count is November 15.
- 2. Download from student system a demographic file November 15th or request Technology Department to do so.
- 3. Use only the following codes to calculate Free and Reduced:
  - Yes
    - Direct Certification
    - o Eligible Free (APPL)
    - Eligible Free (FIA)
    - o Eligible Reduced
    - o TANF Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
    - Homeless
    - o Foster Child Program
  - No
- o Denied
- Expired Approval
- o Blank

(Double check that no additional codes have been added.).

- 4. Data needed to complete report "Student Meeting the Free/Reduce Meals Criteria"
  - Number of students grades K-12 by school
  - Number of students meeting the Free/Reduce Meals Criteria (Yes or No)
- 5. Insert numbers into Excel formula sheet and always double check numbers. There are multiple worksheets within this one document. "L:" Drive/ Free and Reduced. Use last year's document to copy and create this year's new report. (ex: "Free-Reduced 2016-2017")
- 6. To collect Free and Reduced information for Non-Public schools, please refer to the Process and Procedures Non-Public Schools Document.