Supporting Continued Access to School Meals

MONTANA
SCHOOL NUTRITION PROGRAMS

School Year 2020-21

Photo courtesy of Sun River Valley Schools
A look at the changes to school nutrition program access and participation

MONTANA SCHOOLS SERVED OVER

19.4 MILLION

TOTAL MEALS IN 2021

$70.5 MILLION

REIMBURSEMENT TO MONTANA DISTRICTS IN 2021
The Montana Office of Public Instruction (OPI) School Nutrition Programs (SNP) administers nine U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Child Nutrition Programs:

- National School Lunch Program (NSLP)
- School Breakfast Program (SBP)
- Afterschool Snack Program (ASP)
- Special Milk Program (SMP)
- Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)
- Seamless Summer Option (SSO)
- USDA Food Distribution Program (USDA Foods)
- Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP)
- Montana Team Nutrition Program, including Farm to School

School Nutrition Programs reimburses schools, distributes USDA Foods for meals served to children, teaches workshops for school personnel, ensures that schools implement federal regulations, and provides nutrition education for students.

**VISION**

Local school nutrition program professionals are empowered as community leaders to provide equitable access to healthy food and environments that support the success of Montana’s children.

**MISSION**

OPI’s School Nutrition Programs collaborate with the child nutrition community to provide high-quality training, support, and resources to ensure program integrity and access to nourishing meals.

**GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

- We develop and maintain strong partnerships to collaborate on realistic, community driven solutions.
- We value self-efficacy as a desired outcome of all training and technical assistance activities.
- We empower and recognize the vital role of Montana's child nutrition professionals in ensuring children’s health and academic success.
- We are committed to ensuring all communities have the resources they need to succeed.
- We are committed to creating a strong and inclusive culture of school wellness to support academic success and wellbeing.
- We are invested in promoting local and sustainable food sources, procurement, and practices.
- We are dedicated to providing exceptional customer service to schools, sponsors, and community partners.
- We are responsive and adaptable to changing circumstances.
- We value continuous learning and invest in ongoing professional development.
- We use data and evidence-based practices in decision making and operations management.
- We operate transparently and effectively as stewards of public resources.

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Many Montana districts provided instruction virtually or through a hybrid model during the 2020-21 school year. This change created challenges for schools to provide meals.

- School nutrition staff showed their creativity and resilience when preparing and providing meals. Waiver flexibilities allowed them to provide meals in ways to react to changing community conditions and continue to ensure that all students have the nutrition they need to learn, thrive, and grow.
- USDA waiver flexibilities made it possible for meals to be taken home, for parents to pick up, and for multiple days worth to be provided at one time.
- Meals were provided at no charge to all children through the Summer Food Service Program. There was no need for schools to collect free and reduced-price income information or meal money from parents. This reduced stigma for children and eased administrative burden on school staff.
- Supply chain disruptions added challenges for schools to provide meals that comply with meal pattern requirements when food items were not available and added expense to tight budgets with increased food prices.
- Schools received the higher Summer Food Service Program reimbursement. Those in rural areas or those that prepared their own meals were reimbursed at a higher rate.

**Through December 31, 2020:**

- $2.38 for rural or self-prep breakfasts and $2.33 for vended breakfasts
- $4.15 for rural or self-prep lunches and $4.09 for vended lunches

**January 1, 2021 through the end of the 2020–21 school year:**

- $2.46 for rural or self-prep breakfasts and $2.42 for vended breakfasts
- $4.32 for rural or self-prep lunches and $4.25 for vended lunches
Grants

EQUIPMENT ASSISTANCE GRANTS

$69,622

22 capital equipment grants were awarded to local schools by the OPI.

ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW AND TRAINING (ART) GRANT

$1,549,279

School Nutrition Programs continues to support the integrity of programs by upgrading, integrating, and enhancing the comprehensive Child Nutrition system, in addition to existing usage and functionality.

Training

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

66 hours of continuing education provided by OPI School Nutrition Programs

97 hours of continuing education provided by MT Team Nutrition Program

REGIONAL OPI AND TEAM NUTRITION STAFF

OPI School Nutrition Programs and Team Nutrition have staff located around the state to better serve Montana’s rural areas.
## PROGRAMS

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The Summer Food Service Program provides free meals to all kids, age 18 and under, during the summer months, however to increase flexibility options, a USDA waiver allowed the program to operate during school year 2020-21.

16,871,992 Meals Served

69,626 MEALS SERVED DAILY

215 Sponsors at 416 Sites

Including schools, home deliveries via bus routes, weekend and holiday meals, and drive-thru pick-up.
SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM

The School Breakfast Program provides reimbursement for breakfasts served to students during the school day.

813,846 BREAKFASTS SERVED

SBP Total Meals by Year

82% DECREASE

TOTAL BREAKFASTS DECREASED BY 82% FROM SY 2019-20 TO SY 2020-21. This difference represents schools who operated the Summer Food Service Program.
The National School Lunch Program provides reimbursement for lunches served to students during the school day.

1,499,359 LUNCHES SERVED

NSLP Total Meals By Year

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83% DECREASE

TOTAL LUNCHES DECREASED BY 83% FROM SY 2019-20 TO SY 2020-21. This difference represents schools who operated the Summer Food Service Program.
The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) provides funds to elementary schools for fresh fruit and vegetable snacks during the school day.

**$2.3 MILLION**

**TOTAL FUNDS**

**$51.62**

**ALLOTMENT PER STUDENT**

**106**

**Schools Participated in FFVP**

**FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLE PROGRAM**

**FFVP Allocation by Year**

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**43,775**

**STUDENTS HAD ACCESS TO FFVP**
AFTERSCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM

The Afterschool Snack Program provides snacks to students in education and enrichment activities after school.

241,047
AFTERSCHOOL SNACKS SERVED

2017
534,833
485,686
478,458
2021
320,788
241,047

Total Snacks Served

1,175
STUDENTS EAT A SNACK AFTER SCHOOL EACH DAY
SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

The Special Milk Program provides reimbursement for milk served at schools that do not offer the National School Lunch Program or Summer Food Service Program.

21,652
PINTS OF MILK SERVED

The Special Milk Program operates at 12 small schools/summer camps that do NOT offer breakfast or lunch to students.

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112
STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM EACH DAY
The USDA provides schools with USDA Foods and Department of Defense (DOD) Fresh Fruits and Vegetables for use in preparing school meals.

**Did You Know...**

On an average day, USDA Foods make up between 15 and 20 percent of the total products.

**100% of foods offered through USDA Foods/DOD Fresh are AMERICAN GROWN**

**$3.5 MILLION**

**ASSISTANCE TO SCHOOLS**

**Schools Received $741,000 in fresh produce through USDA DoD Fresh.**

**2021 Breakdown of USDA FOODS**

- **Grains** 2%
- **Chicken/Beef Fish** 43%
- **Beans/ Peanut Butter** 7%
- **Eggs/ Cheese/ Yogurt** 14%
- **Fruit** 23%
- **Vegetables** 7%

Total Value of USDA Foods: **$3,538,387.44**
Annual Report for FY2021

The COVID-19 pandemic shifted the way that schools served meals all across the country. In Montana, school nutrition professionals rose to the occasion and continued to provide healthy, delicious meals to students despite challenges in staffing, supplies, and school closures. Montana Team Nutrition, with support from the Montana Office of Public Instruction School Nutrition Programs and Montana State University, is proud to have leveraged technology, creativity, and timely trainings to continue to support school nutrition professionals during this time.

MONTANA TEAM NUTRITION OUTREACH OUTCOMES

97 259 86 51%

Hours of training offered to school nutrition professionals  Number of unique participants reached  Number of training opportunities offered  Percent of School Food Authorities in Montana reached

Adapting to the New Normal

As part of the 2019 USDA Team Nutrition Training Grant for Innovative State Training Programs, Montana Team Nutrition virtually offered a two-week Montana Cook Fresh Leadership Institute focused on culinary skills and school nutrition program management. Team Nutrition also conducted all staff trainings on whole grain baking and meal pattern and portion sizes, developed culinary instructional videos on demand and lead five OPI School Nutrition Program (SNP) Webinar Wednesdays and 16 SNP monthly chats. This was in addition to many hours of technical assistance offered directly to schools via phone call or video conferencing on topics such as emergency preparedness, bulk meal planning, school meal quality, school wellness, farm to school, and more.

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The Montana Team Nutrition Program works in close collaboration with the Office of Public Instruction School Nutrition Programs and is funded by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). Team Nutrition Training Grant Program. This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.
Montana Team Nutrition also received a No Kid Hungry/Share Our Strength grant that allowed for the distribution of 9 mini-grants of approximately $1000 each for nine school districts to support equipment purchases for scratch cooking and professional development for staff. Read more about the mini grants here.

Harvesting Montana Recipes Contest

As part of the 2021 USDA Team Nutrition Grant, Montana Team Nutrition hosted a statewide recipe contest, Harvesting Montana Recipes, to collect recipes featuring local and indigenous Montana ingredients. These ingredients included barley, beets, bison, sweet cherries, and lentils. Six winning recipes were selected. Students and school staff are actively engaged in the recipe development and testing through a subgrant program to support nutrition education, student taste-testing, and meal service. Once the winning recipes have been fully standardized, these Montana Recipes will be featured at the state and national level for other schools to serve and enjoy. Read more about this project on our website.

Montana Farm to School

Montana Team Nutrition and the Office of Public Instruction have collaborated to provide farm to school leadership in Montana since 2008. Farm to school is a growing component of school nutrition and nutrition education programming. Office of Public Instruction sponsors the Montana Farm to School Leadership Team, which is facilitated by the Montana Farm to School Coordinator at Montana Team Nutrition. The team works through partnerships across the state to build farm to school initiatives that help kids eat healthy, connect with agriculture and nutrition through education, support Montana farms and food producers, enhance local economies and strengthen communities. To learn more about Montana Farm to School, check out the 2021-2021 Montana Farm to School Annual Report.

Stronger Together

We want thank all of the partners and community members that we worked with this year and especially thank each and every school nutrition professional in Montana for their hard work and dedication over the last year. Montana Team Nutrition is proud to be part of this incredible community.

Pictured from left to right: Robin Vogler from Somers, Anna Blackburn from Belgrade, Tura Gruel and Olinda Jones from Belfry, and Cheryl Gertge from Choteau.
Montana Farm to School Annual Report
Academic Year 2020 - 2021

WHAT

Farm to School Participation Rates

20% SCOGHODGESS Creating and sending school gardens

51% PROCUREMENT Serving local products in school meals

23% EDUCATION Conducting educational activities

2020-2021 58.6%
2019-2020 57.1%
2018-2019 54.8%

OVERALL PARTICIPATION Sites participating in at least one F2S activity

What is farm to school?

Farm to school enriches the connection between communities and schools, helping students to learn about healthy, local food and its impact on their health and well-being. Farm to school programs provide opportunities for students to learn about agriculture, nutrition, and healthy eating. Students gain access to healthy, local foods as well as education opportunities through such avenues as school gardening, cooking lessons, and farm field trips. Through community-driven approaches, farm to school implementation differs by location but always includes one or more of the following core elements: procurement, education, and school gardens.

WHY

Why does farm to school matter?

Farm to school not only connects kids with locally grown food and food and nutrition education, but it helps foster more resilient food systems. COVID-19 has highlighted the need for farm to school to solve food supply issues and support the local economy.

Agriculture remains the leading industry sector in Montana’s economy, with a value of $4.6 billion in 2020. By connecting children with agriculture and exposing them to agricultural careers, farm to school initiatives are helping to prepare the next generation of farmers.

Montana Farm to School Leadership Team

The Montana Farm to School Leadership Team works through partnerships across the state to build farm to school initiatives that help kids eat healthy, connect with agriculture and nutrition through education, support Montana farmers and food producers, enhance local economies, and strengthen communities.

The Leadership Team consists of 14 member organizations with statewide focus and influence that are key to the success of farm to school in Montana. In 2020, the Leadership Team embarked on a yearlong strategic planning process to identify priorities and activities for the future. Check out the Montana Farm to School Leadership Team Strategic Plan Summary. The team has 7 working groups, which are open to the public. To get involved, contact the working group chair listed on the Leadership Team webpage.

The Office of Public Instruction sponsors the Montana Farm to School Leadership Team. The team is facilitated by the Montana Farm to School Coordinator at Montana Team Nutrition Program.

2020 Member Organizations

AERO
Montana Department of Agriculture
Montana Department of Livestock
Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services
Montana Farmers’ Union
Montana No Kid Hungry
Montana Office of Public Instruction
Montana School Nutrition Association
Montana State University Extension
Montana Team Nutrition Program, Montana State University National Center for Appropriate Technology
Northern Plains Resource Council
USDA Office of Community Food Systems, Mountain Plains Region

The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.
Montana Harvest of the Month

Each month participating sites focus on promoting one locally grown item (e.g., lentils) by serving it in at least one meal or snack, offering taste tests, conducting educational activities, and displaying or distributing Harvest of the Month materials.

Many sites reported barriers in HOM participation due to changes in school nutrition program operation, such as staffing shortages, changes to meal service, and overall uncertainty in program operation. Other challenges included changes in overall school district operation, such as in delivery of K-12 curriculum instruction.

In school year 2020-2021

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$376,567

Training + Resources

There are many ways to learn about farm to school and access resources! Montana Farm to School hosts farm to school webinars and in-person trainings as well as an archive of previous webinars on the Montana Farm to School website.

13 Trainings in 2020-2021

39 Hours of events

196 Individuals reached

Celebrating Farm to School Month

Montana Crunch Time is a statewide event to celebrate National Farm to School Month and ‘buy local’ initiatives in Montana by crunching into locally and regionally grown apples on a designated day in October.

13,745 people participated in Montana Crunch Time 2020

Social Media Outreach

@montanafarmtoschool 1,382 likes during the 2020-21 school year

@mtfarmtoschool 1,459 engagements during the 2020-21 school year

MT Team Nutrition and Montana Harvest of the Month 4,243 views during the 2020-21 school year

GET INVOLVED + CONTACT

Website

Find resources and information at: www.montana.edu/mtfarmtoschool

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2021 Montana Youth Risk Behavior Survey, Montana Office of Public Instruction
Map the Meal Gap: Child Food Insecurity 2019, Feeding America
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Montana Crunch Time Participation 2020, Montana Team Nutrition
Montana Farm to School Professional Development and Technical Assistance Tracker 2019-21, Montana Team Nutrition
Montana Agriculture Statistics, 2021
# Revenue

**MONTANA SCHOOL NUTRITION PROGRAMS**

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Dollars by the Program:

- **FFVP** $1.4 mil
- **SBP** $1.5 mil
- **Total NSLP** $7.2 mil
- **State Match** $660K
- **SFSP** $59.6 mil

$70.5 million in total funds
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   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.
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