

SCHOOL PROGRAMS					
MEAL, SNACK AND MILK PAYMENTS TO STATES AND SCHOOL FOOD AUTHORITIES					
<i>Expressed in Dollars or Fractions Thereof</i>					
<i>Effective from: July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022</i>					
NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM¹		LESS THAN 60%	LESS THAN 60% + 7 cents²	60% OR MORE	60% or MORE + 7 cents²
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID	0.35	0.42	0.37	0.44
	REDUCED	3.26	3.33	3.28	3.35
	PRICE FREE	3.66	3.73	3.68	3.75
SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM			NON-SEVERE	SEVERE NEED	
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID		0.33	0.33	
	REDUCED PRICE		1.67	2.05	
	FREE		1.97	2.35	
SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM	ALL MILK	PAID MILK		FREE MILK	
PRICING PROGRAMS WITHOUT FREE OPTION	0.22	N/A		N/A	
PRICING PROGRAMS WITH FREE OPTION	N/A	0.22		Average Cost Per 1/2 Pint of Milk	
NONPRICING PROGRAMS	0.22	N/A		N/A	
AFTERSCHOOL SNACKS SERVED IN AFTERSCHOOL CARE PROGRAMS					
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID			0.09	
	REDUCED PRICE			0.50	
	FREE			1.00	

¹ Payment listed for Free and Reduced-Price Lunches include both section 4 and section 11 funds.

² Performance-based cash reimbursement (adjusted annually for inflation).

USDA Donated Foods Value:

The national average minimum value of donated foods, or cash in lieu thereof, per lunch under the NSLP (7 CFR part 210) and per lunch and supper under the CACFP (7 CFR part 226) shall be **26.00 cents** for the period July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022.

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/07/16/2021-15107/national-school-lunch-special-milk-and-school-breakfast-programs-national-average-paymentsmaximum>

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2021/07/29/2021-16107/food-distribution-program-value-of-donated-foods-from-july-1-2021-through-june-30-2022>