

Food Service Board Report

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During the month of March 2017, we fed 17,167 children breakfast and 21,850 children lunch.

The child nutrition program is currently understaffed, we are advertising for full time, part time and substitute cook positions.

We are planning to serve after school supper at one school, this has a high reimbursement cost and assures our students have a chance to eat dinner. We plan to roll out, a continental style breakfast at the high school.

Our no kid hungry and food corps americorps members are working with a group of high school students to promote fight childhood week (April 17 - 23).

We have had great success in the participation rates of students eating at BES and Napi which both rolled out breakfast in the classroom alternative breakfast models. We plan to showcase the successes of breakfast participation in an upcoming board meeting.

We are still working towards the future of children's health by making sure they are offered 7 fresh fruits, 7 fresh vegetables and a healthy scratch cooked entree each day.