

# Congratulations!

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Congratulations! **7 schools** have been selected to participate in Connecticut's 2023 - 2024 Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP).

Each **school** has been awarded its own grant and funds which must not be moved from one participating school to another. You have been awarded the following grant allocations:

	School Food Authority	School	Oct 2023 - Jun '24 Funds
1	Bristol School District	Bristol Arts and Innovation Magnet School	\$15,447
2	Bristol School District	Chippens Hill Middle School	\$37,164
3	Bristol School District	Ellen P. Hubbell School	\$21,147
4	Bristol School District	Greene-Hills School	\$52,497
5	Bristol School District	South Side School	\$28,215
6	Bristol School District	Stafford School	\$21,831
7	Bristol School District	West Bristol School	\$48,051

You must adhere to the FFVP Handbook and the following guidelines regarding these funds:

- Implement your application plan
- Serve the number of days per week as allocated and requested
- Expend all funds by June 30, 2024. Any funds not expended will be returned to USDA
- Set and follow a budget
- Must contact CSDE as early in the year as possible if unable to expend funds
- Properly procure your produce - you may not purchase from the DOD supplier without checking additional price options.

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights  
1400 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;*
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