



United States
Department of
Agriculture

Food and
Nutrition
Service

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SUBJECT: Equity in School Lunch Pricing Fact Sheet

TO: Regional Directors
Special Nutrition Programs
All Regions

State Directors
Child Nutrition Programs
All States

This memorandum provides information relating to section 205 of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (Public Law 111-296). This provision requires school food authorities (SFAs) participating in the National School Lunch Program to ensure that schools are providing the same level of support for lunches served to students who are not eligible for free or reduced price lunches (i.e., paid lunches) as they are for lunches served to students eligible for free lunches. This provision is effective July 1, 2011.

An implementation memorandum will not be issued for this provision; the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) expects to publish an interim rule by the provision's effective date. The public will have an opportunity to comment on the rule, and we anticipate issuing further guidance in conjunction with publication of the rule. The attached Equity in School Lunch Pricing Fact Sheet is meant to provide information to States and SFAs as they await the publication of the rule. We request that State agencies (SAs) provide the fact sheet to all SFAs as soon as possible.

SAs should direct any questions concerning this information to the appropriate FNS Regional Office. Regional Offices with questions should contact the Child Nutrition Division.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Cynthia Long", is positioned above the typed name.

Cynthia Long
Director
Child Nutrition Division

Attachment

USDA Specs for Price Increases			Current Price Comparisons																	
			Paid Rate	Amount to Adjust	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj	Paid Rate	% Adj
2011 Fed Rmbmnt Rate - Free	\$2.72		\$0.50	\$0.0157	\$0.82	\$0.0257	\$1.14	\$0.0358	\$1.46	\$0.0458	\$1.78	\$0.0559	\$2.10	\$0.0659	\$2.42	\$0.0760	\$2.74	\$0.0860		
2011 Fed Rmbmnt Rate - Paid	\$0.26		\$0.51	\$0.0160	\$0.83	\$0.0261	\$1.15	\$0.0361	\$1.47	\$0.0462	\$1.79	\$0.0562	\$2.11	\$0.0663	\$2.43	\$0.0763	\$2.75	\$0.0863		
Difference			\$2.46		\$0.52	\$0.0163	\$1.16	\$0.0364	\$1.48	\$0.0465	\$1.80	\$0.0565	\$2.12	\$0.0666	\$2.44	\$0.0766	\$2.76	\$0.0867		
					\$0.53	\$0.0166	\$1.17	\$0.0367	\$1.49	\$0.0468	\$1.81	\$0.0568	\$2.13	\$0.0669	\$2.45	\$0.0769	\$2.77	\$0.0870		
CPI Percent	1.14%		\$0.54	\$0.0170	\$0.86	\$0.0270	\$1.18	\$0.0371	\$1.50	\$0.0471	\$1.82	\$0.0571	\$2.14	\$0.0672	\$2.46	\$0.0772	\$2.78	\$0.0873		
USDA Percent	2.00%		\$0.55	\$0.0173	\$0.87	\$0.0273	\$1.19	\$0.0374	\$1.51	\$0.0474	\$1.83	\$0.0575	\$2.15	\$0.0675	\$2.47	\$0.0776	\$2.79	\$0.0876		
Total % Increase for 2012	3.14%		\$0.56	\$0.0176	\$0.88	\$0.0276	\$1.20	\$0.0377	\$1.52	\$0.0477	\$1.84	\$0.0578	\$2.16	\$0.0678	\$2.48	\$0.0779	\$2.80	\$0.0879		
			\$0.57	\$0.0179	\$0.89	\$0.0279	\$1.21	\$0.0380	\$1.53	\$0.0480	\$1.85	\$0.0581	\$2.17	\$0.0681	\$2.49	\$0.0782	\$2.81	\$0.0882		
			\$0.58	\$0.0182	\$0.90	\$0.0283	\$1.22	\$0.0383	\$1.54	\$0.0484	\$1.86	\$0.0584	\$2.18	\$0.0685	\$2.50	\$0.0785	\$2.82	\$0.0885		
			\$0.59	\$0.0185	\$0.91	\$0.0286	\$1.23	\$0.0386	\$1.55	\$0.0487	\$1.87	\$0.0587	\$2.19	\$0.0688	\$2.51	\$0.0788	\$2.83	\$0.0889		
			\$0.60	\$0.0188	\$0.92	\$0.0289	\$1.24	\$0.0389	\$1.56	\$0.0490	\$1.88	\$0.0590	\$2.20	\$0.0691	\$2.52	\$0.0791	\$2.84	\$0.0892		
			\$0.61	\$0.0192	\$0.93	\$0.0292	\$1.25	\$0.0393	\$1.57	\$0.0493	\$1.89	\$0.0593	\$2.21	\$0.0694	\$2.53	\$0.0794	\$2.85	\$0.0895		
			\$0.62	\$0.0195	\$0.94	\$0.0295	\$1.26	\$0.0396	\$1.58	\$0.0496	\$1.90	\$0.0597	\$2.22	\$0.0697	\$2.54	\$0.0798	\$2.86	\$0.0898		
			\$0.63	\$0.0198	\$0.95	\$0.0298	\$1.27	\$0.0399	\$1.59	\$0.0499	\$1.91	\$0.0600	\$2.23	\$0.0700	\$2.55	\$0.0801	\$2.87	\$0.0901		
			\$0.64	\$0.0201	\$0.96	\$0.0301	\$1.28	\$0.0402	\$1.60	\$0.0502	\$1.92	\$0.0603	\$2.24	\$0.0703	\$2.56	\$0.0804	\$2.88	\$0.0904		
			\$0.65	\$0.0204	\$0.97	\$0.0305	\$1.29	\$0.0405	\$1.61	\$0.0506	\$1.93	\$0.0606	\$2.25	\$0.0706	\$2.57	\$0.0807	\$2.89	\$0.0907		
			\$0.66	\$0.0207	\$0.98	\$0.0308	\$1.30	\$0.0408	\$1.62	\$0.0509	\$1.94	\$0.0609	\$2.26	\$0.0710	\$2.58	\$0.0810	\$2.90	\$0.0911		
			\$0.67	\$0.0210	\$0.99	\$0.0311	\$1.31	\$0.0411	\$1.63	\$0.0512	\$1.95	\$0.0612	\$2.27	\$0.0713	\$2.59	\$0.0813	\$2.91	\$0.0914		
			\$0.68	\$0.0214	\$1.00	\$0.0314	\$1.32	\$0.0414	\$1.64	\$0.0515	\$1.96	\$0.0615	\$2.28	\$0.0716	\$2.60	\$0.0816	\$2.92	\$0.0917		
			\$0.69	\$0.0217	\$1.01	\$0.0317	\$1.33	\$0.0418	\$1.65	\$0.0518	\$1.97	\$0.0619	\$2.29	\$0.0719	\$2.61	\$0.0820	\$2.93	\$0.0920		
			\$0.70	\$0.0220	\$1.02	\$0.0320	\$1.34	\$0.0421	\$1.66	\$0.0521	\$1.98	\$0.0622	\$2.30	\$0.0722	\$2.62	\$0.0823	\$2.94	\$0.0923		
			\$0.71	\$0.0223	\$1.03	\$0.0323	\$1.35	\$0.0424	\$1.67	\$0.0524	\$1.99	\$0.0625	\$2.31	\$0.0725	\$2.63	\$0.0826	\$2.95	\$0.0926		
			\$0.72	\$0.0226	\$1.04	\$0.0327	\$1.36	\$0.0427	\$1.68	\$0.0528	\$2.00	\$0.0628	\$2.32	\$0.0728	\$2.64	\$0.0829	\$2.96	\$0.0929		
			\$0.73	\$0.0229	\$1.05	\$0.0330	\$1.37	\$0.0430	\$1.69	\$0.0531	\$2.01	\$0.0631	\$2.33	\$0.0732	\$2.65	\$0.0832	\$2.97	\$0.0933		
			\$0.74	\$0.0232	\$1.06	\$0.0333	\$1.38	\$0.0433	\$1.70	\$0.0534	\$2.02	\$0.0634	\$2.34	\$0.0735	\$2.66	\$0.0835	\$2.98	\$0.0936		
			\$0.75	\$0.0236	\$1.07	\$0.0336	\$1.39	\$0.0436	\$1.71	\$0.0537	\$2.03	\$0.0637	\$2.35	\$0.0738	\$2.67	\$0.0838	\$2.99	\$0.0939		
			\$0.76	\$0.0239	\$1.08	\$0.0339	\$1.40	\$0.0440	\$1.72	\$0.0540	\$2.04	\$0.0641	\$2.36	\$0.0741	\$2.68	\$0.0842	\$3.00	\$0.0942		
			\$0.77	\$0.0242	\$1.09	\$0.0342	\$1.41	\$0.0443	\$1.73	\$0.0543	\$2.05	\$0.0644	\$2.37	\$0.0744	\$2.69	\$0.0845	\$3.01	\$0.0945		
			\$0.78	\$0.0245	\$1.10	\$0.0345	\$1.42	\$0.0446	\$1.74	\$0.0546	\$2.06	\$0.0647	\$2.38	\$0.0747	\$2.70	\$0.0848	\$3.02	\$0.0948		
			\$0.79	\$0.0248	\$1.11	\$0.0349	\$1.43	\$0.0449	\$1.75	\$0.0550	\$2.07	\$0.0650	\$2.39	\$0.0750	\$2.71	\$0.0851	\$3.03	\$0.0951		
			\$0.80	\$0.0251	\$1.12	\$0.0352	\$1.44	\$0.0452	\$1.76	\$0.0553	\$2.08	\$0.0653	\$2.40	\$0.0754	\$2.72	\$0.0854	\$3.04	\$0.0955		
			\$0.81	\$0.0254	\$1.13	\$0.0355	\$1.45	\$0.0455	\$1.77	\$0.0556	\$2.09	\$0.0656	\$2.41	\$0.0757	\$2.73	\$0.0857	\$3.05	\$0.0958		

Changes below \$0.0499 do not require an adjustment.
Changes from \$0.0500 to \$0.0999 require at least a \$0.05 increase.
Changes above \$0.1000 require an adjustment of no more than \$0.10.

2010-11 DISTRICT MEAL PRICING SURVEY (REGION 16)	
Amarillo ISD	Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 Reduced Lunch \$0.40 Full Pay Breakfast (Elementary) \$0.90 Full Pay Breakfast (Secondary) \$1.00 Full Pay Lunch (Elementary)\$1.80 Full Pay Lunch (Secondary) \$ 2.05 Full Pay Lunch (High School) \$2.00 Adult Paid Lunch \$2.55
* Amarillo ISD will not change these lunch prices for the 2011-12 school year per Brent Hoover, Food Service Director	
Borger ISD	Elementary School \$.85 (Breakfast) \$1.75 (Lunch) \$.30(Reduced Breakfast) \$.40(Reduced Lunch) \$1.75 Adult Breakfast \$3.00 Adult Lunch Middle School \$1.10 (Breakfast) \$2.00(Lunch) \$2.00(Lunch) \$.40(Reduced Lunch) \$1.75 Adult Breakfast \$3.00 Adult Lunch High School \$1.15 (Breakfast) \$2.00 (Lunch) \$.30(Reduced Breakfast) \$.40(Reduced Lunch) \$1.75 Adult Breakfast \$3.00 Adult Lunch
Bovina ISD	ELEM. LUNCH K-5 FULL .90 RED. .40 MS-HS: 6-12 FULL 1.00 RED. -.40 BREAKFAST FULL .50 RED. .30 OPEN STUDENT LUNCH .90 BREAKFAST .50 ADULT LUNCH (FACULTY) 3.00 BREAKFAST 1.35 OPEN ADULT LUNCH 3.00 BREAKFAST 1.35
Boys Ranch	We do not charge.
Bushland ISD	Breakfast = 1.10 Adult = 1.50 Lunch = 2.20 Adult = 3.00
Canadian ISD	pk-5 pays \$1.25 for lunches \$. 75 for breakfast 6-12 pays \$1.50 for lunches \$.75 for breakfast Teachers pay \$2.00 Guests pay \$3.00
Canyon ISD	Breakfast:\$1.00 Adult \$1.20 Elem. Lunch \$1.70 Secondary Lunch \$1.85 Staff Adult Lunch \$2.35 Guest Adult Lunch \$2.65
Channing ISD	Our regular meals are \$.80 for breakfast, and \$1.25 for lunch (K-4) \$1.50 for lunch (grades 5-12) Our reduced meals are \$.25 for breakfast and \$.40 for lunch Staff lunches are \$2.40 Guest lunches are \$3.50
Childress ISD	\$1.00 for Breakfast at all 3 campuses Elementary Lunch\$1.50 Junior High Lunch \$1.75 High School Lunch \$2.00
Dalhart ISD	High School Lunch \$2.00 Jr High Lunch \$1.85 Middle School & Elementary Lunch \$1.75 Breakfast \$1.10 Reduced Lunch .40 cents Reduced Breakfast .30 cents Free Breakfast PK -5
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Dimmitt ISD	If we were not participating in Provision II, our meal prices would be: Student Breakfast \$1.00 Adult Breakfast \$1.50 Guest Breakfast \$2.00 Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 Reduced Lunch \$0.40 Student Lunch \$2.45 Adult Lunch \$3.00 Guest Lunch \$3.50
Dumas ISD	Elementary Lunch-1.75 Elementary Breakfast 1.25 Jr.High and High School Lunch-2.00 Jr.High and High School Breakfast-1.25 Reduced for Breakfast is .30 Reduced for Lunch is .40

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Gruver ISD	Breakfast \$1.00 for all students Pk-12th Breakfast for adults & visitors \$1.50 Lunch Pk-4th \$1.50 Lunch 5th-12th \$2.00 Staff \$2.50 Visitors \$3.00
Follett ISD	BREAKFAST: PreK - 12 \$1.00 Teachers \$1.50 LUNCH: PreK - 5 \$1.50 6 - 12 \$2.00 Teachers \$2.50
Fort Elliott CISD	Reduced is 10 cents for breakfast and 10 cents for lunch. Regular Breakfast is 40 cents and Lunch is 75 cents. Our teachers are the same as students and guest breakfast is \$1.00 and guest lunch is \$2.00.
Grandview-Hopkins	Student Price: Breakfast \$.10 Lunch \$.35 Adult Price: Breakfast \$.30 Lunch \$.85
Hart ISD	reduced \$.45 full pay \$1.00 staff \$2.50 visitors \$3.50
Hartley ISD	paid Lunch Pr-6 1.75 Breakfast 1.00 lunch 7-12 1.95 breakfast 1.00 reduced pk-6 .40 lunch breakfast .30 7-12 lunch .40 breakfast .30 adults 2.60 lunch
Hereford ISD	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Elementary (Pre-K thru 5th)</u></p> <p><u>Breakfast</u> Regular \$.50 Reduced \$.30 School Personnel: regular adult price 1.00 Non-School Adult 1.25 Regular <u>Lunch</u> Regular \$1.00 Reduced \$.40 School Personnel: regular adult price 1.75 Non-School Adult 2.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Secondary (6th thru 12th)</u></p> <p><u>Breakfast</u> Regular \$.75 Reduced \$.30 School Personnel: regular adult price 1.00 Non-School Adult 1.25 Regular <u>Lunch</u> Regular (Jr. High & High School) \$1.25 Reduced \$.40 School Personnel: regular adult price \$1.75 Non-School Adult \$2.00</p>
Higgins ISD	Full price = Breakfast \$.50 Lunch \$1.00 Adults \$2.00 Reduced price = Breakfast \$.20 Lunch \$.40 Adults \$1.00
Kress ISD	Lunch 1.50 Breakfast .75 Reduced lunch .40 Reduced breakfast .30
Lazbuddie ISD	Lunch PK-5 \$2.00, 6-12-\$2.20, Faculty-\$2.50
	BREAKFAST Kindergarten thru 5th Grade--\$.75 6th Grade thru 12th Grade----\$1.00 Teachers-----\$1.00

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Lefors ISD	Visitors-----\$1.25 LUNCH Kindergarten thru 5th Grade--\$1.25 6th Grade thru 12th Grade----\$1.50 Teachers-----\$2.00 Visitors-----\$3.50
McLean Isd	BREAKFAST PRE-K -12TH .50 STAFF & VISITORS 1.00 LUNCH PRE-K-5TH 1.75 6TH-12TH 2.00 STAFF 2.25 VISITORS 2.50
Memphis ISD	Regular Priced Breakfast PK - 2 Free ; 3-5 Free ; 6-8 Free; 9-12 Free; Staff \$1.75; Guess \$2.00 Reduced Breakfast: P thru 12 - Free Regular Priced Lunch: PK thru 8th grade \$1.75 ; 9 thru 12: \$2.25 Staff Lunch \$2.75 Guest Lunch: \$3.50 Reduced Lunch: PK thru 12th grade \$0.40
Nazareth ISD	K thru 12 Breakfast--\$1.75 K thru 12 Lunch-----\$2.50 Staff breakfast \$2.25 Staff Lunch \$3.00 Guest breakfast \$2.50 Guest Lunch \$3.50
Pampa ISD	Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 Reduced Lunch \$0.40 Full Pay Breakfast (Elementary) \$1.50 Full Pay Breakfast (Secondary) \$1.50 Adult Breakfast \$1.75 Full Pay Lunch (Elementary) \$2.00 Full Pay Lunch (Middle School & High School) \$2.50 Adult Lunch (Staff) \$3.25 Adult Lunch (Visitor) \$3.50
Panhandle ISD	Elementary----1.80 lunch----1.25 breakfast JH/HS-----2.00 lunch----1.50 breakfast adult employee---2.50 lunch----1.50 breakfast adult guest----5.00 lunch---3.00 breakfast
Pampa ISD	Breakfast: \$1.00 (PK-12) \$2.00 (Adults) Lunch: \$1.75 (PK-5) \$2.00 (JH/HS) Adult Lunch \$2.85 Guest Lunch \$3.00
Perryton ISD	breakfast--- all students 1.50 Elementary 1.75 Junior High 2.00 High School 2.25
Pringle-Morse	Student Regular lunch \$1.50 Reduced lunch \$.40 Regular breakfast \$.75 Reduced breakfast \$.30 Staff Members Lunch \$3.00 Breakfast \$1.75 Visitors Lunch \$4.00 Breakfast \$1.75
River Road ISD	<u>Elementary:</u> Brk \$1.30 Lunch \$2.15 <u>Intermediate:</u> Brk \$1.30 Lunch \$2.45 <u>Middle School:</u> Brk \$1.50 Lunch \$2.55 <u>High School:</u> Brk \$1.55 Lunch \$2.70

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Sanford-Fritch ISD	Elementary Breakfast \$1.00 Students \$1.25 Adults Elementary Lunch \$2.00 Students \$2.75 Adults Jr High & High School Breakfast \$1.10 Students \$1.25 Adults Lunch \$2.25 Students \$2.75 Adults Red. Breakfast \$.30 Red. Lunches \$.40
Shamrock ISD	PK -12 Breakfast \$1.00 Lunch \$2.00 Adult \$2.75
St. Josephs	Full Meals: \$2.75 for M-5 \$3.00 for 6-12 \$3.50 adults and visitors Reduce is .40 across the board Free is free \$1.00 extra entree \$.50 for extra sides \$.35 for extra milk

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Stratford ISD	Breakfast \$1.00 Lunch: PK-4 \$1.25 5 - 8 \$1.50 9-12 \$1.75 Staff: \$3.00 Guest \$3.50
Sunray ISD	<u>Students in Grades PK-4</u> Regular Breakfast \$1.00 Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 Regular Lunch \$1.75 Reduced Lunch \$0.40 <u>Students in Grades 5-12</u> Regular Breakfast \$1.00 Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 Regular Lunch \$2.00 Reduced Lunch \$0.40 <u>Adult Rates</u> Breakfast \$1.50 Lunch \$2.50
Texhoma	Breakfast \$.50 Adults \$1.00 Lunch \$1.25 Adults \$2.00
Texline ISD	<u>Breakfast</u> PK-12 - \$1.00 Reduced \$.30 Adults - \$1.25 Visitors - \$1.50 <u>Lunch</u> PK - 4 - \$1.25 5-12 - \$1.50 Reduced 0 \$.40 Teachers - \$2.50 Visitors - \$3.00
Tulia	grades PK thru 5 lunch \$2.00 grades 6 thru 12 lunch \$2.25 staff lunch \$2.75 guest lunch \$3.75 no charge for breakfast for students staff breakfast \$2.00 guest breakfast \$3.00
Wellington ISD	Breakfast All Students \$1.25 Elementary Lunch \$1.50 Jr. High Lunch \$1.75 High Lunch \$2.00 School Employees Breakfast \$1.50 School Employees Lunch \$2.50 Visitor Breakfast \$2.00 Visitor Lunch \$3.50
Wheeler	Breakfast Pre K - 5 th \$.60 6 th - 12th \$.75 Adult \$1.25 Lunch Pre K - 5th \$1.05 6th - 12 \$1.25 Adults \$2.00
White Deer	LUNCH PRE K THUR 4TH \$1.25 5TH THUR 12TH \$1.50 THEACHERS \$2.00 VISTORS \$2.25 REDUCED .40 BREADFAST STUDENTS \$.65 REDUCED \$.30 ADULTS \$.85

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Wildorado	Reduced Breakfast \$0.30 / Paid \$1.50 / Adult \$2.00
	Reduced Lunch \$0.40/ Paid \$2.25 / Adult \$3.50