

## News Release

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### Through grant program, more students, schools have access to fresh produce in Wisconsin than ever

MADISON – The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI) today announced that a grant program, encouraging students to live a healthy lifestyle by increasing access to fresh produce in schools across the state, reached a milestone during the 2019-2020 school year.

The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program, funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and administered by DPI, now serves the highest amount of students (71,516) and schools (202 public and private schools) since the program launched in Wisconsin during the 2008-09 school year. The program gives students access to various fresh fruits and vegetables by offering reimbursement for the items to eligible schools.

“Receiving proper nourishment throughout the day is essential to helping our students,” State Superintendent Carolyn Stanford Taylor said. “The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program gives students many nutritious options to help them be successful in school and improve their well-being.”

Schools eligible to participate in the grant program must have 50 percent or more of its students receiving subsidized school meals, or an equivalent rate for Community Eligibility Program sites. Guidelines state that applicant schools with the highest level of free and reduced-price enrollment receive priority in selection. About \$3.5 million is available in Wisconsin for reimbursement for the 2020 fiscal year.

The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program was introduced in four states in 2002 and has since expanded nationwide. Wisconsin adopted the program in 2008. For additional information on the program, visit [dpi.wi.gov/school-nutrition/programs/fresh-fruit-vegetable](https://dpi.wi.gov/school-nutrition/programs/fresh-fruit-vegetable).

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**NOTE:** A list of schools receiving grants through the 2019-2020 Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program follows. This news release is available electronically at <https://dpi.wi.gov/news/releases/2019/through-grant-program-more-students-schools-have-access-fresh-produce-wisconsin>.

# Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

2019-2020 Grant Recipients

**21st Century Preparatory School**  
21st Century Preparatory School, \$27,450

**Abbotsford School District**  
Abbotsford Elementary, \$18,450

**Adams-Friendship School District**  
Adams-Friendship Elementary, \$23,600  
Grand Marsh Elementary School, \$4,950

**Antigo Unified School District**  
East Elementary, \$3,400  
North Elementary, \$5,000  
West Elementary, \$7,050

**Appleton Area School District**  
Badger Elementary, \$18,800  
Columbus Elementary, \$8,200  
Highlands Elementary, \$32,800  
Horizons Elementary, \$17,850  
Jefferson Elementary, \$19,450  
Johnston Elementary, \$24,850  
Lincoln Elementary, \$21,250

**Ashland School District**  
Lake Superior Intermediate, \$15,850  
Lake Superior Learning Community, \$3,650  
Lake Superior Primary, \$19,500  
Marengo Valley Elementary, \$9,350

**Baraboo School District**  
Al Behrman Elementary, \$17,000

**Barron Area School District**  
Almena Elementary, \$3,200  
Woodland Elementary, \$14,450

**Bayfield School District**  
Bayfield School, \$8,450

**Beloit School District**  
Aldrich Intermediate, \$13,650  
Converse Elementary, \$19,800  
Cunningham Intermediate, \$17,500  
Fran Fruzen Intermediate, \$19,000

Gaston Elementary, \$16,700  
Hackett Elementary, \$19,100  
McNeel Intermediate, \$18,750  
Merrill Elementary, \$11,100  
Robinson Elementary, \$21,650  
Todd Elementary, \$24,150

**Bruce School District**  
Bruce Elementary, \$10,100

**City of Milwaukee (Charter)**  
Capitol West Academy, \$10,000  
Central City Cyberschool, \$20,800

**Clintonville School District**  
Longfellow Elementary, \$20,250

**Colby School District**  
Colby Elementary, \$19,350

**Cornell School District**  
Cornell Elementary, \$10,600

**Cudahy School District**  
Kosciuszko Elementary, \$11,050  
Park View Elementary, \$11,350

**Eau Claire Area School District**  
Longfellow Elementary, \$13,500  
Prairie Ridge Early Learning, \$16,750

**Flambeau School District**  
Flambeau Elementary, \$13,800

**Fond du Lac School District**  
Chegwin Elementary, \$16,950  
Parkside Elementary, \$13,100  
Riverside Elementary, \$15,850

**Green Bay Area Catholic Education Inc.**  
Saint Thomas More School, \$8,300

**Greenwood School District**  
Greenwood Elementary, \$9,300

**Gresham School District**  
Gresham Elementary, \$5,196

**Indian Community School**  
Indian Community School, \$18,650

**Janesville School District**  
Adams Elementary, \$16,100  
Jackson Elementary, \$17,250  
Jefferson Elementary, \$15,900  
Lincoln Elementary, \$17,500  
Madison Elementary, \$22,650  
Washington Elementary, \$17,700  
Wilson Elementary, \$12,900

**Kenosha Unified School District**  
Bose Elementary, \$16,650  
Brass Community Elementary, \$26,400  
Edward Bain School of Creative Arts, \$23,300  
Frank Elementary, \$17,800  
Grant Elementary, \$15,000  
Grewenow Elementary, \$19,950  
Jefferson Elementary, \$13,500  
McKinley Elementary, \$17,750  
Strange Elementary, \$27,400  
Vernon Elementary, \$16,400  
Wilson Elementary, \$8,350

**Lac du Flambeau School District**  
Lac du Flambeau Elementary, \$25,300

**Madison Metropolitan School District**  
Allis Elementary, \$23,900  
Emerson Elementary, \$21,350  
Falk Elementary, \$20,050  
Glendale Elementary, \$24,900  
Hawthorne Elementary, \$18,750  
Lake View Elementary, \$13,200  
Leopold Elementary, \$35,300  
Lindbergh Elementary, \$9,550  
Mendota Elementary, \$16,600  
Orchard Ridge Elementary, \$13,550  
Sandburg Elementary, \$24,600  
Schenk Elementary, \$20,500

**Manitowoc School District**  
Franklin Elementary, \$23,600  
Jefferson Elementary, \$22,900

**Menasha School District**  
Banta School, \$11,450

Butte des Morts Elementary, \$20,800  
Gegan Elementary, \$13,950  
Jefferson Elementary, \$7,700

**Menominee Indian Schools District**  
Keshena Primary School, \$24,200

**Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin**  
Menominee Tribal School, \$10,050

**Menomonie School District**  
River Heights Elementary, \$21,550

**Milwaukee (Private Schools)**  
Achieving Educational Excellence Inc.  
St. Augustine Prep. Academy, \$18,250  
Atonement Lutheran School, \$18,450  
Believers in Christ, \$8,450  
Blessed Sacrament, \$9,200  
Blessed Savior Catholic School, \$9,050  
Blessed Savior Catholic School East, \$11,550  
Blessed Savior Catholic School South, \$6,250  
Christ-St. Peter Lutheran School, \$11,850  
Messmer St. Mary, \$22,900  
Messmer St. Rose, \$20,100  
Northwest Catholic-Lower, \$10,000  
Our Lady Queen of Peace, \$8,250  
St. Adalbert Grade School, \$20,750  
St Joseph Academy, \$23,400  
St. Marcus Lutheran School, \$30,450  
St. Marcus North Campus (ECC), \$9,500

**Milwaukee Academy of Science**  
Milwaukee Academy of Science, \$30,050

**Milwaukee Public Schools**  
ALBA, \$25,600  
Allen-Field Elementary, \$30,250  
Auer Avenue Elementary, \$14,150  
Barbee Elementary, \$16,750  
Barton Elementary, \$13,550  
Bethune Academy, \$30,250  
Brown Street Academy, \$16,300  
Bruce Elementary, \$13,050  
Bryant Elementary, \$11,500  
Clarke Street Elementary, \$15,750  
Craig Montessori School, \$18,200  
Doerfler Elementary, \$31,200  
Elm Creative Arts Elementary, \$19,000  
Emerson Elementary, \$12,900  
Engleburg Elementary, \$15,400  
Fifty-Third Street Elementary, \$21,350  
Forest Home Elementary, \$36,200  
Franklin Elementary, \$19,500  
Gaenslen Elementary, \$37,450  
Grant Elementary, \$33,650  
Grantosa Drive Elementary, \$30,700

Greenfield Bilingual, \$32,050  
Hampton Elementary, \$11,750  
Hartford Avenue Elementary, \$32,800  
Hawley Environmental School, \$19,200  
Holmes Elementary, \$15,500  
Honey Creek Elementary, \$20,850  
Hopkins Lloyd Elementary, \$12,350  
IDEAL, \$15,200  
Keefe Avenue Elementary, \$9,250  
Kilbourn Elementary, \$16,050  
La Causa Charter School, \$39,100  
LaFollette Elementary, \$13,650  
Longfellow Elementary, \$43,600  
Lowell Elementary, \$12,500  
Maple Tree Elementary, \$15,550  
Metcalfe Elementary, \$14,600  
Milwaukee French Immersion, \$31,850  
Milwaukee Parkside School, \$40,750  
Milwaukee Spanish Immersion, \$36,450  
Morgandale Elementary, \$29,350  
Ninety-Fifth Street Elementary, \$20,600  
Obama SCTE, \$11,600  
Parkview Elementary, \$19,900  
Rogers Street Academy, \$33,200  
Sherman Elementary, \$18,950  
Siefert Elementary, \$17,250  
Starms Discovery School, \$16,200  
Starms Early Childhood, \$14,550  
Story Elementary, \$23,500  
Stuart Elementary, \$16,150  
Townsend Street Elementary, \$16,350  
Westside Academy, \$11,400  
Whitman Elementary, \$20,800  
WI Conserv. of Lifelong Learning, \$7,250

**North Crawford School District**  
North Crawford Elementary, \$15,800

**Northwoods School District**  
Northwoods School, \$8,650

**Oneida Nation School System**  
Oneida Nation Elementary, \$14,950

**Oshkosh Area School District**  
Jefferson Elementary, \$7,750  
Merrill Elementary, \$12,500  
Webster Stanley Elementary, \$13,700

**Racine Unified School District**  
Dr. Jones Elementary, \$17,550  
Fratt Elementary, \$21,950  
Johnson elementary, \$26,050  
Mitchell Elementary, \$20,750  
Red Apple Elementary, \$15,750  
Roosevelt Elementary, \$17,700

**Richland School District**  
Jefferson Elementary, \$8,650

**School District of Ladysmith**  
Ladysmith Elementary, \$18,700

**Sheboygan Area School District**  
Grant Elementary, \$18,700  
Jefferson Elementary, \$18,050  
Longfellow Elementary, \$15,600  
Sheridan Elementary, \$13,550

**Tigerton School District**  
Tigerton Elementary, \$6,750

**Tomah Area School District**  
Tigerton Elementary, \$6,750

**Tri-County Area School District**  
Tri-County Elementary, \$13,600

**Two Rivers School District**  
Koenig Elementary, \$12,950

**Unity School District**  
Unity Elementary, \$19,600

**Waukesha School District**  
Hadfield Elementary, \$16,000  
Whittier Elementary School, \$12,450

**Wausau School District**  
Franklin Elementary School, \$13,900

**Wausaukee School District**  
Wausaukee Elementary, \$11,650

**Webster School District**  
Webster Elementary, \$13,200

**West Allis School District**  
Franklin Elementary, \$16,200  
Horace Mann Elementary, \$24,450  
Jefferson Elementary, \$25,000  
Longfellow Elementary, \$12,250  
Pershing Elementary, \$12,050

**Wisconsin Rapids School District**  
Grove Elementary, \$12,600  
Howe Elementary, \$15,400  
Mead Elementary Charter, \$18,650