# Afterschool Snack (ASSP) Requirements

SY2023-2024





### **School Eligibility**

- The school must participate in the National School Lunch Program
- The school must provide care in an after-school settings AFTER the child's school day has ended
- The after-school program must include an education or enrichment activities
- Approved on the Application and Agreement for FY2024

Eligibility information is on page



# Afterschool Snack Program (ASSP)

Claimable ONLY on accredited days of school *under NSLP* (Not allowed in the summer)



### Reimbursement

### If the school site is OVER 50% Free & Reduced

All children are claimed at the FREE rate

### If the school site is UNDER 50% Free & Reduced

- The children are claimed based on their lunch status of Free, Reduced, or Paid
- The school can serve all snacks for free even though they are not all claimed as free
- Reduced children cannot be charged more than 15 cents, if students are being charged for the meal



# Monitoring

# The district must review each ASSP site 2 times per year

- One during the first four weeks of ASSP operations
- One additional time during the course of the year when ASSP is operating

### On-Site Review information is on page



# ASSP Monitoring Form

### AFTER-SCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM (ASSP) ON-SITE REVIEW

Area-Eligibility	/ Based on	Site
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SITE:	YES	NO	NA*
A. ATTENDANCE     1. Is an attendance list used in the meal count system?     2. Is attendance list updated as needed (at least daily)?     3. Is there an educational or enrichment component offered?			
B. MEAL COUNT RECORDING AND EDIT CHECKS  1. Are snacks served after the students' school day has ended? 2. Are all snacks consumed in their entirety on-site? 3. Does the site use proper procedures for counting and recording snacks? 4. For any day during the review month, does the number of snacks claimed exceed the daily allowance? 5. Does the site have proper procedures to manage and safeguard cash (reconciliation, extra item sales, adult meals, etc.)?			
C. MENU MEAL PATTERN REQUIREMENTS  1. Do all snacks served include the required components (two of the four)?  2. Do all snacks served meet the quantity requirements for the age groups served?  3. Do all students receive both the required components in the correct quantities before the snacks are claimed?  4. Are adequate food production records being maintained?  5. Is milk offered from the following?  - Unflavored or flavored fat-free - Unflavored lowfit (1%) - Acklitted milk lowfat (1%) or fat-free - Lactose-reduced lowfat (1%) or fat-free - Lactose-free lowfat (1%) or fat-free			
FOR SITES NOT MEETING 50 PERCENT ELIGIBILITY ONLY	YES	NO	NA*
D. APPLICATION APPROVAL  1. Are applications approved at the school? Responsible Party: 2. Are applications on file correctly approved? 3. Do names on the attendance list match approved applications on file?  4. Are snacks made available free or at a reduced price to all students who are determined by the school food authority (SFA) to be eligible for such benefits?			
E. MEAL COUNT SYSTEM  1. Does the meal count system produce an accurate count of reimbursable snacks (free, reduced-price, full-price) served to eligible children?  a. If students are charged for snacks, do the collection procedures in use match the approved collection procedures in the Policy Statement?  b. If the meal count is not taken at the time the snack is served, does the school have a system to account for reimbursable snacks?  2. Does the meal count system prevent overt identification?  a. Is the medium of exchange made available to all students at the same location?  b. Does the medium of exchange used prohibit codes for identifying students as free, reduced-price, or full-price?			

Comments (List any problems that need corrective action):

Signature of Reviewer:	Date:





### **Guidelines For Snack Service**

 Only children up to 18 years of age (or if they turn 19 during the school year) can be served snacks

The snack MUST be consumed on-site



# Guidelines For Snack Service (Cont.)

### No Adult Snacks can be claimed for reimbursement

If program adults eat a snack, the meal cost can be paid for by the district

### OR

The district can charge adults for their snack. The amount charged will be added in Schedule B in the online application



# **Guidelines for Snack (Cont.)**

Students are **REQUIRED** to be served **TWO** food components in the required amount

Children cannot decline an item

### **Good practice:**

If the student only wants 1 item that is being served:

- The student can throw the other item away
- The student can give it to a friend
- The student can put it on a share table for someone else

If a child only TAKES 1 food item, the snack is not reimbursable and cannot be claimed





# SERVING REQUIREMENTS



## **Preparation of Snacks**

The cafeteria staff purchases and preps the snacks

 At the end of the day, a person handles ASSP grabs and serves these snacks

### OR

 The person who handles ASSP purchases and serves the snacks



# **Snack Components**

### TWO out of the five components MUST be served

- Milk
- Grain
- Meat/Meat Alternate
- Fruit
- Vegetable



### **Snacks Limitations**

Sweet grains can be served up to twice per week

Listed on the Grains Chart

Juice and Milk cannot be the only two items served

Snack must include an edible item

Water is not a component. However, if 2 creditable items served meet requirements, water can be served as an extra.





# After-School Snack Program Meal Requirements

SNACK (Choose two of the following components)	Children Ages 1 Through 2 Years	Children Ages 3 Through 5 Years	Children Ages 6 Through 18 Years
Milk <sup>1</sup>			
Milk, fluid	1/2 cup	1/2 cup	1 cup
Vegetables and Fruits <sup>2</sup>	1	1	
Vegetable(s), fruit(s), full-strength juice9	1/2 cup	1/2 cup	3/4 cup
Bread and Bread Alternates <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-
Enriched or whole-grain bread	1/2 serving	1/2 serving	1 serving
Cereal (cold, dry)	1/4 cup or 1/3 oz4	1/3 cup or 1/2 oz4	3/4 cup or 1 oz4
Cooked pasta or noodle products	1/4 cup	1/4 cup	1/2 cup
Cooked cereal or cereal grains	1/4 cup	1/4 cup	1/2 cup
Nonsweet snack products <sup>11</sup>	1/2 serving	1/2 serving	1 serving
Meat and Meat Alternates <sup>5</sup>			
Lean meat, poultry, or fish <sup>6</sup>	1/2 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
Cheese	1/2 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
Eggs	1/2 egg	1/2 egg	1/2 egg
Cooked dry beans or peas <sup>7</sup>	1/8 cup	1/8 cup	1/4 cup
Peanut butter, soynut butter, or other nut or seed butters	1 Tbsp	1 Tbsp	2 Tbsp
Peanuts, soynuts, or tree nuts or seeds8	1/2 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
Yogurt, plain or flavored, unsweetened or sweetened10	2 oz or 1/4 cup	2 oz or 1/4 cup	4 oz or 1/2 cup

# **Snack Serving Size**

The school can feed all children the same amount using the 6-18 meal pattern

OR

The school can serve different portion sizes to 3-5 year-olds and 6-18 year-olds





# RECORDKEPING



# **Required Daily Documents**

### Attendance Records

Students who attended the after-school program

### Meal Counts

The number of children who received a reimbursable snack

### Food Production Records

- What food items were served
- The quantity of food items served
- The total weight or size of the items served
- Ages of children served a snack



### **Attendance Records**

### Attendance is *required* to be taken daily

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### Point of Service/Snack Counts

It is *required* to take a snack count at the point of service (when the child takes the snack).

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2	Sam Gov		X	X	X					2	1								Χ	X											X	X
3	Jennifer Jones		X	Χ	X	Χ				2	2	2	1				Χ	X	Х	X											X	X
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8	Sage Riley		X	Χ	X	Χ					2	2	2				Χ			X											X	X
9	Tate Jackson		X	X	X								1					X	Χ												X	X
10	Cade Michaels		X	X	X	Χ					2		2				Χ	X	Χ												X	X
11	Barbara Simon ents FY2024			X	X	Χ					2	2	2				Χ		X	X											X	

### Afterschool Snack Program (ASSP)

#### **Meal Count Worksheet**

ASSP School Site: Green Public School

# Meal(Snack) Counts

	November		Year:	20XX	
CAT	TEGORICAL CO	UNT SITES ON	LY	OVER 50% ELIGIBLE SITES	
FREE	REDUCED	FULL PRICE	TOTAL	ONLY ALL FREE	
			0	15	
			0	10	
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### **Snack Count Reminder**

- BOTH food items must be taken for it to be counted as a reimbursable snack
- A child must be marked as attended, but also indicated if one item or no items
- A child cannot be forced to take a snack





### **Food Production Records**

		Qty. Served:	Qty. Served:	Oty Served	Oty Served:	Qty. Served:	
Туре	Menu	Meat/Meat Alt	Grains	Fruit	Vegetable	Milk	Leftovers/ Sent Back
NACK							
1/4	Apples						
	String Cheese	15		15			
	Water	(1 oz each)		Apples			
15		String Cheese		(1 each)			
Adults:							
NACK							
1/5			10				
	Milk		Graham			10	
	Graham Crackers		Crackers			1/2 pint	
10			1lb.			white 1%	
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### **Procurement Procedures**

- This is a federal program, therefore, federal procurement is required
- All purchasing transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition
- Best practice is using Small Purchase procedures for ASSP
- Obtain quotes or CHECKING PRICES (by email, telephone, oral, in-person, catalogs, websites)
- Contact at least two sources
- Document price quotes and why you purchased from a certain supplier?

# Procurement: Local Store Form

	CHECKING PRICES FROM LOCAL STORES												
	Name of Site:		Green Pu	blic So	chool		Year:	20XX					
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	String Cheese, s		•			.19			.99				
3	Milk, 1% choco	late			\$3	.19		\$3	.29				
4	Kix berry, 32 oz	z box			\$4	.99		\$4.59					
5	Whole wheat b	read, Sarah I	Lee, 1.5lb		\$2	.79		\$2	.99				
6	Peanut butter,	skippy (16 oz	2)		\$2	.28		\$2	.99				
	Hot Dogs, Beef,					.79			.79				
	Apple Juice, Mo					.99			.94				
	cottage cheese,					.02			.99				
_	Graham Cracke					.79			.09				
	Saltine cracker	s, Zesty, 16o	z box			.59			.29				
	Hot Dog buns	/22\				.09			.99				
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			то	TALS	\$48	3.59		\$49	).72				
	Date	e Prices colle	cted from this	store:	2/18	/20XX		2/27/	/20XX				



# CREDITING INFORMATION



### **Grains Chart**

#### AFTER SCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM ONLY

GRAINS/BREADS REQUIREMENT (Bread/Bread Alternate)

Exhibit A—Grains/Breads for the Food-Based Menu-Planning Alternatives in the Child

Nutrition Programs<sup>1,2</sup>
Items listed below in red are considered sweet snacks and are limited to twice per week.

GROUP A	MINIMUM SERVING SIZE FOR GROUP A
<ul> <li>Bread-type coating</li> <li>Breadsticks (hard)</li> <li>Chow mein noodles</li> <li>Crackers (saltines and snack crackers)</li> <li>Croutons</li> <li>Pretzels (hard)</li> <li>Stuffing (dry)</li> <li>NOTE: Weights apply to bread in stuffing.</li> </ul>	1 serving = 20 gm or 0.7 oz 3/4 serving = 15 gm or 0.5 oz 1/2 serving = 10 gm or 0.4 oz 1/4 serving = 5 gm or 0.2 oz
GROUP B	MINIMUM SERVING SIZE FOR GROUP B
Bagels Batter-type coating Biscuits Breads (white, wheat, whole-wheat, French, Italian) Buns (hamburger and hot dog) Crackers (graham crackers—all shapes, animal crackers) Egg roll skins English muffins Pita bread (white, wheat, whole-wheat) Pizza crust Pretzels (soft) Rolls (white, wheat, whole-wheat, potato) Tortillas (wheat or corn) Tortilla chips (wheat or corn) Taco shells	1 serving = 25 gm or 0.9 oz 3/4 serving = 19 gm or 0.7 oz 1/2 serving = 13 gm or 0.5 oz 1/4 serving = 6 gm or 0.2 oz

### **Grains Chart**

# Items listed in red are considered sweet snacks

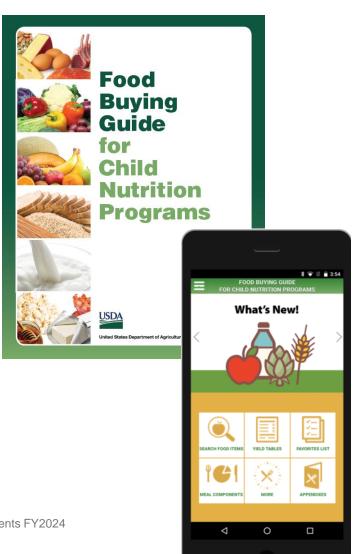
#### AFTER SCHOOL SNACK PROGRAM ONLY

#### GRAINS/BREADS REQUIREMENT (Bread/Bread Alternate) Exhibit A continued

Items listed below in red are considered sweet snacks and are limited to twice per week.

GROUP E	MINIMUM SERVING SIZE FOR GROUP E
<ul> <li>Cookies³ (with nuts, raisins, chocolate pieces, fruit purees)</li> <li>Doughnuts⁴ (cake and yeast-raised, frosted or glazed)</li> <li>French toast</li> <li>Grain fruit bars⁴</li> <li>Granola bars⁴ (with nuts, raisins, chocolate pieces, and/or fruit)</li> <li>Sweet rolls⁴ (frosted)</li> <li>Toaster pastry⁴ (frosted)</li> </ul>	1 serving = 63 gm or 2.2 oz 3/4 serving = 47 gm or 1.7 oz 1/2 serving = 31 gm or 1.1 oz 1/4 serving = 16 gm or 0.6 oz
GROUP F	MINIMUM SERVING SIZE FOR GROUP F
<ul> <li>Cake³ (plain, unfrosted)</li> <li>Coffee cake⁴</li> </ul>	1 serving = 75 gm or 2.7 oz 3/4 serving = 56 gm or 2 oz 1/2 serving = 38 gm or 1.3 oz 1/4 serving = 19 gm or 0.7 oz
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### **USDA Food Buying Guide (FBG)**



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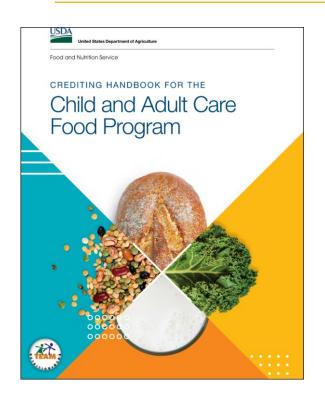
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### **CACFP Crediting Handbook**



This book can be used for schools. This is a good resource to know what can and cannot be served in Child Nutrition.

**Note**: This book is more restrictive than the school meal requirements.

### Schools (CARS)

Other Documents under Food Buying Guide Section (Info sheet regarding what does not pertain to NSLP or SBP)

Food	(	Creditable	e	Additional Information					
F00a	Yes	Maybe	No	Additional information					
Acorns			X	Acorns are not creditable due to their low protein content.					
Bacon and Imitation Bacon Products			X	Bacon is not creditable. These products contain little meat. See the Other Foods section in the <i>Food Buying Guide</i> for purchasing information.					
Bacon Rinds			X	Bacon Rinds are not creditable.					
Bacon, Turkey		X		Turkey bacon is creditable only if the product is (1) CN labeled or (2) has a Product Formulation Statement.					
Bean Flour		X		Bean flour is creditable toward the meats/meat alternates component when served with at least 0.25 oz eq of visible meat/meat alternate. Document meal pattern contribution with a Product Formulation Statement.					
Beans or Peas (Legumes), Canned or Dry	X			Cooked dry or canned beans or peas (kidney, garbanzo, black, lentils, etc.) may be credited as either a meat alternate or a vegetable, but not as both in the same meal. See the Vegetables section in the <i>Food Buying Guide</i> .					
Beans, Refried	Х			See the Meats/Meat Alternates section in the Food Buying Guide.					
Beef Jerky		X		Beef jerky is creditable toward the meats/meat alternates component if it is (1) CN labeled or (2) has a Product Formulation Statement (PFS). The PFS should identify the type of beef or pork used to make the product as listed in the <i>Food Buying Guide</i> . For example, "ground beef (not more than 30 percent fat)." Please note beef jerky may be a choking hazard for some populations.					
Bologna		X		Bologna is creditable toward the meats/meat alternates component. See the Meats/Meat Alternates section in the Food Buying Guide for creditable luncheon meats such as bologna. Bologna containing byproducts, cereals, or binders/extenders is only creditable if the product is (1) CN labeled or (2) has a Product Formulation Statement. Examples of binders/extenders are starch, cellulose, and nonfat dry milk. Examples of byproducts are glands, hearts, and other organ meats. As a best practice, it is recommended to serve low-fat versions of luncheon meats.					

# Page from the Crediting Handbook



### Beware!





Food	Creditable			Additional Information
	Yes	Maybe	No	Auditional illioilliation
Potato Chips (and Other Vegetable Chips), Fried			X	Potato chips and other vegetable chips contain many different variations in ingredients and are not creditable. These products are high in fat and sodium and should be served on a limited frequency. See the Other Foods section in the <i>Food Buying Guide</i> for purchasing information.

### **Serving Chips**

Chips can be served if the first ingredient is corn, flour, or cornmeal

- Examples:
  - Doritos
  - Cheetos
  - Corn Chips
  - Sun Chips
  - Tortilla Chips

ASSP does not require grains to be whole grain-rich (WGR). NSLP/SBP do require WGR. Therefore, the chips served during the day needs to be whole corn, whole flour, or whole cornmeal to meet requirements



### Fruit Crediting in Handbook





Average size Banana & Orange = ½ cup of fruit

Fruit	Serving Size and Yield	
Apples	1/4 raw, unpeeled medium apple = about 1/4 cup	
Bananas	1 medium banana = ½ cup	
Blueberries	1/4 cup measure	
Strawberries	1/4 cup measure	
Cantaloupe	1/10 medium melon = about 1/4 cup	
Cantaloupe	1/10 medium melon = about 1/4 cup	



### **Crediting Meat Alternates**

- Nuts & Seeds
  - Peanut butter2T = 1oz
- ▶ Dry beans & peas
  - $\frac{1}{4}$  cup = 1 oz
  - 1/2 cup = 2 oz

\*\*Beans can also be credited as vegetable but not both in the same meal (snack)

- **►**Eggs
  - •1 large = 2 oz
  - • $\frac{1}{2}$  large = 1 oz
- **►** Yogurt
  - 4 oz = 1 oz
- **► Natural Cheese** 
  - •1 oz = 1 oz



### Fruit & Vegetable Crediting

- 1 cup of raw leafy greens
- $= \frac{1}{2}$  cup vegetable



- 1/4 cup of dried fruit
- =  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of fruit





# Common Items Served: DO NOT SERVE LIST

### Common items served NOT MEETING REQUIREMENTS:

- Fruit Snacks
- 4 oz Juice = (6 oz needed)
- •1 banana =  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of fruit (3/4 cup needed)
- Chips served are from a vegetable and not a grain

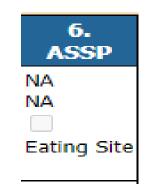
If an item(s) served does not meet requirements whether component or quantity, the ASSP can be assessed an overclaim



## How to Apply for ASSP

Login into CARS ——— Open the Checklist.

Click on Schedule A: List of Sites and go to #6 and select the site grade levels and click to check the box



Go to schedule D and insert the sites. Note: Make sure the low-income information that is auto-filled is accurate.

Save and Certify



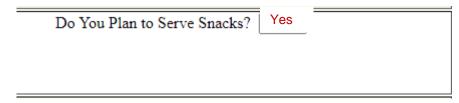
# How to Apply for ASSP (Cont.)

#### Click on NSLP After School Snack Agreement.



- Read the Agreement (click to open)
- Click on Agreement Button at the bottom (to certify)

#### \*Make sure on the Site Application #5 has YES on ASSP





### Who Do You Call??

- Your Program Specialist:
  - Page C-3 in the Compliance Section
    - Includes email, cell phone, and counties in their territory
      - They conduct your Administrative Review (AR)
      - Contact for technical assistance
      - Questions regarding the Child Nutrition (CN) Manual, USDA guidance, and day-to-day CN activities
- ☐ Call State Office with questions 405-521-3327
  - Claims
  - Application & Agreement and (IUE/Duns)





### **THANK YOU!**

OSDE, Child Nutrition Office number: 405-521-3327

