

Wisconsin BENTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

2015 Farm to School Census Responses

The responses for this district are shown below. Please note this is self-reported data and may conflict with other data sources.

Participation

Did your district or any schools in your district participate in farm to school activities during the 2013-2014 school year?

- Yes, doing farm to school in 2013-2014 school year

All possible answers

- Yes, doing farm to school in 2013-2014 school year
- No, but started farm to school in 2014-2015 school year
- No, but plan to start farm to school in the future
- No farm to school activities currently and no plans for the future.

During the 2013-2014 school year, what age groups participated in farm to school activities?

- Other: N/A

All possible answers

- Pre-K participated in farm to school activities.
- Grades K-5 participated in farm to school activities.
- Grades 6-8 participated in farm to school activities.
- Grades 9-12 participated in farm to school activities.

Are you participating in the Child and Adult Care food program (CACFP)?

- No

All possible answers

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

Benefits

Which of the following benefits have you enjoyed as result of participating in farm to school activities?

- Other: We don't participate in the Farm to School program, however we do purchase through Sysco who does purchase locally

All possible answers

- Enjoying reduced food waste as a benefit of farm to school
- Enjoying lower school meal program costs as a benefit of farm to school
- Enjoying greater acceptance of the new meal pattern as a benefit of farm to school
- Enjoying increased participation in school meals as a benefit of farm to school
- Enjoying greater community support for school meals as a benefit of farm to school

Local

How does your district define "local" as it relates to your food procurement?

- Other definition of "local": We purchased this year from Sysco and they said it's within the US.

All possible answers

- Same city/county
- Produced within a 50 mile radius
- Produced within a 100 mile radius
- Produced within a 200 mile radius
- Produced within a day's drive
- Produced within the state
- Produced within the region
- Geographic along with other restrictions

Please indicate if your district or any schools in your district purchased any of the following foods - IN ANY FORM - from local growers/producers/processors/manufacturers during the 2013-2014 school year or would like to in the future?

- Fruit: Yes
- Vegetables: Yes
- Fluid milk: Yes
- Other dairy: Yes
- Meat/poultry: Yes
- Eggs: Yes
- Seafood: Yes
- Grains and flour: Yes
- Bakery products: Yes

All possible answers

- Yes
- No
- Not now, but would like to in the future
- I don't know

Please list the top 5 SPECIFIC food items (e.g. apples, chicken drumsticks) your school district purchased locally in the 2013-2014 school year based on VALUE.

- APPLES
- ORANGES
- CARROTS
- BROCCOLLI
- LETTUCE

On average, about how frequently do your district's meals or snacks include at least one locally sourced food item from the categories below?

- Other food frequency: I don't know. They all come from our Distributor

All possible answers

- Daily
- More than weekly
- Weekly
- More than monthly
- Monthly
- Occasionally
- Never

For the 2013-2014 school year, please indicate whether your district obtained local foods from any of the following intermediary sources.

- Obtains local food from distributors
- Other: We used Sysco this year and they said they claim that all Fruits and Vegetables came from US.

All possible answers

- Obtains local food from distributors
- Obtains local food from food buying cooperative
- Obtains local food from food hub
- Obtains local food from food service management companies
- Obtains local food from DoD Fresh Program vendors
- Obtains local food from USDA foods
- Obtains local food from State Farm to School program office

Activities

To the best of your knowledge, approximately how many schools had salad bars during the 2013-2014 school year?

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Can't find your district?

It's because USDA does not have a record for your school district.