

NSLP Afterschool Snack Program (ASP) *In a Nutshell*

- Organized, structured, and supervised environment with educational or enrichment activities must be provided.
- Reimbursable snack should be served every day the educational or enrichment program is offered.
- Snack must be served after the school day has ended.



Reimbursement rates

- Area Eligible ASP (greater than 50% free and reduced eligible students): each snack is claimed at the free reimbursement rate.
- Non-area Eligible ASP (less than 50% free and reduced eligible students): each snack is claimed free, reduced, or paid based on the student's classification.

Onsite Monitoring

- Required twice per school year (once during the first four weeks of the program plus one additional time during the program year).

Meal Pattern

- **Age groups:** 1-2 years, 3-5 years, 6-12 years, 13-18 years.
- Larger portions recommended for children 13-18 years based on greater food energy requirements.
- Offer versus serve does **not** apply in the ASP.
- Only one of the two components may be a beverage.
- Water must be available.
- All snacks **MUST** include two full components from those listed in the table on the second page (choices may be offered within the component).
- Components must meet the minimum serving size requirement for the age group being served to be claimed.

Components

	Information	Ages 1-5	Ages 6-18
Fruit/ Vegetable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May be a fruit and/or vegetable combination • Pasteurized, 100% full-strength juice may be used • Juice may not be served when milk is the only other component 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ½ cup 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ¾ cup
Grain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breakfast cereals must contain no more than 6 grams of sugar per dry ounce • Refer to Exhibit A¹ to credit grains • Whole grain-rich, enriched, or fortified ready-to-eat cereal (dry, cold) • Whole grain-rich or enriched grain products 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ⅛ cup granola • ¼ cup whole grain-rich, enriched or fortified cooked breakfast cereal, cereal grain, and/or pasta. • ½ cup flakes or rounds • ¾ cup puffed cereal • ½ slice of bread • ½ serving biscuit, roll, or muffin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ¼ cup granola • ½ cup whole grain-rich, enriched or fortified cooked breakfast cereal, cereal grain, and/or pasta. • 1 cup flakes or rounds • 1 ¼ cup puffed cereal • 1 slice of bread • 1 serving biscuit, roll, or muffin
Meat/ Meat Alternate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All ages may be offered ½ of one large egg per serving • Alternative protein products must meet the requirements in Appendix A to Part 226² • Yogurt must contain no more than 23 grams of total sugar per 6 ounce serving 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ½ ounce lean meat, poultry, fish, or cheese • ½ ounce tofu, soy product, or alternative protein products • ½ ounce peanuts, soy nuts, tree nuts, or seeds • ⅛ cup cooked dry beans or peas • ¼ cup or 2 ounces yogurt, plain or flavored, unsweetened or sweetened • 1 tablespoon peanut butter or soy nut butter or other nut or seed butters 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 ounce lean meat, poultry, fish, or cheese • 1 ounce tofu, soy product, or alternative protein products • 1 ounce peanuts, soy nuts, tree nuts, or seeds • ¼ cup cooked dry beans or peas • ½ cup or 4 ounces yogurt, plain or flavored, unsweetened or sweetened • 2 tablespoons peanut, soy, other nut or seed butters
Fluid Milk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Variety not required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 fl. oz. <p>Ages 1-2: whole (unflavored) Ages 3-5: low-fat or fat-free (unflavored)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 fl. oz. <p>Low-fat or fat-free (flavored or unflavored)</p>

For Afterschool Snack Program resources, including a Production Record template, Point of Service Record, and Onsite Monitoring Form, visit the [Afterschool Snack Program webpage](#)³

¹ <https://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/imce/school-nutrition/pdf/exhibit-a.pdf>

² https://www.law.cornell.edu/cfr/text/7/appendix-A_to_part_226

³ <https://dpi.wi.gov/school-nutrition/programs/afterschool-snack>