



# Reimbursement Rates for School Nutrition Programs

Effective July 1, 2024- June 30, 2025

School Breakfast Program (SBP)	Non-Severe Need	Severe Need <sup>1</sup>
To students paying full price for meals	\$0.39	\$0.39
To students eligible for reduced priced meals <sup>2</sup>	\$2.07	\$2.54
To students eligible for free meals	\$2.37	\$2.84
Annual State Breakfast Aid for SY 2023-24 <sup>3</sup>	\$0.076	\$0.076

<sup>1</sup> A school is eligible for severe need reimbursement if 40 percent or more of the student lunches served at the school in the second preceding school year were served free or at a reduced price. Severe need payment is made on an individual school basis. Documentation of eligibility must be kept on file by the SFA for periodic review. Severe need breakfast eligibility determination is part of the annual DPI School Nutrition Team online contract renewal.

<sup>2</sup> USDA regulations require that the reduced price charge to students does not exceed 30 cents for breakfast.

<sup>3</sup> For additional information about these funds, please reference the [State Aid Payments Received in May 2024](#) memos. Independent Charter schools, Residential Childcare Institutions (RCCIs), Wisconsin Technical College System schools, and the two State-run schools are not eligible for the State breakfast payment.

National School Lunch Program (NSLP)	Less than 60% <sup>1</sup>	60% or more <sup>1</sup>	Less than 60% <sup>1</sup> without PBR <sup>2</sup>	60% or more <sup>1</sup> without PBR <sup>2</sup>
To students paying full priced meals	\$0.51	\$0.53	\$0.42	\$0.44
To students eligible for reduced priced meals <sup>3</sup>	\$4.12	\$4.14	\$4.03	\$4.05
To students eligible for free meals	\$4.52	\$4.54	\$4.43	\$4.45
USDA Foods Value	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
Annual <u>State</u> Lunch Aid for SY 2023-24 <sup>4</sup>	\$0.054	\$0.054	\$0.054	\$0.054

<sup>1</sup> If 60 percent or more of the student lunches served in the second preceding school year were served free or at a reduced price, the reimbursement is an additional two cents per lunch.

<sup>2</sup> In Wisconsin, following initial [Menu Certification](#), all SFAs receive Performance Based Reimbursement (PBR), an additional \$0.09 per meal. However, PBR may be disabled due to noncompliance with regulations.

<sup>3</sup> USDA regulations require that the reduced price charge to students does not exceed 40 cents for lunch.

<sup>4</sup> Residential Child Care Institutions (RCCIs) and Wisconsin Technical College System schools are not eligible for the State lunch aid payment.

<b>Afterschool Snacks Served in Afterschool Care Programs</b> <sup>1</sup>	<i>For each snack served</i>
To students paying full price for meals	\$0.11
To students eligible for reduced priced meals <sup>2</sup>	\$0.60
To students eligible for free meals	\$1.21

<sup>1</sup>An afterschool care program site is “area eligible” if it is located at a school or in the attendance area of a school where at least 50 percent of the enrolled children are eligible for free or reduced price meals. All snacks served in afterschool care programs that are “area eligible” are reimbursed at the free rate.

Snacks served in afterschool care programs that are not area eligible are reimbursed at the free, reduced price, and paid rates, depending on each students’ individual eligibility for free or reduced price meals.

<sup>2</sup>USDA regulations require that the reduced price charge to students does not exceed 15 cents for afterschool snacks.

<b>Special Milk Program (SMP)</b> <sup>1</sup>	<b>All Milk</b>	<b>Paid Milk</b>	<b>Free Milk</b>
<b>Pricing Program Option 1:</b> Students eligible for free meals receive free milk; all other students pay the established half-pint charge.	N/A	\$0.27	Average Cost Per ½ Pint of Milk
<b>Pricing Program Option 2:</b> Students pay established half-pint charge (no free milk).	\$0.27	N/A	N/A
<b>Non-Pricing Program:</b> The school provides milk free of charge to all students.	\$0.27	N/A	N/A

<sup>1</sup>Schools may elect to operate the program as either pricing or non-pricing.