

Allowable / Unallowable Items – Farm to School Procurement Grant

ALLOWABLE:

- Produced (**grown, raised, or caught**) in the State of Oregon:
 - Oregon-grown fruits and vegetables
 - Oregon-raised meat
 - Oregon-caught seafood
 - Grains grown in Oregon
- **Processed in Oregon (*i.e. more than minimally processed*)**
 - Items grown, caught or raised OUTSIDE of Oregon, but processed in Oregon.
 - (ex: Pendleton Flour; restaurant/processor that makes tamales, noodles, United Salad Co. Salsa.)
 - For processed items, at least SOME of the product has to be Oregon product
 - Example: Norpac foods uses 100% Willamette valley produce during the summer; but maybe as low as 0% during the winter
 - Example: Zac Omega foods uses approx. 30% of their ingredients for their bars, including glory bee honey and flour from Oregon mills.
- **Produced AND Processed in Oregon**
 - Items grown, caught or raised in Oregon **and** processed in Oregon. (etc: Norpac Veggies, Willamette valley Pies, Lochmead sour cream and cottage cheese)

UNALLOWABLE:

Intent is not to supplant purchases; some items are exclusively local and are “already on the tray” – we don’t want to reimburse those items:

- Milk in half pints or bulk milk for drinking
- Bread, buns, rolls
- Fruits/veg grown outside of Oregon but only minimally processed here (cut/chopped/sliced, dried, washed or just repackaged).
 - Ex: Duck delivery chopped jicama, carrot coins. (fully processed is ok!)
- Oil, pan spray, butter/margarine, salad dressings.

Reminder:

You must use at least 75% of your award for food purchases. You MAY use up to 25% of your award for “other” reasonable costs incurred for growing, harvesting, processing,

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packaging, sourcing, transporting and education and promotion of Oregon foods. Including but not limited to labor, mileage, supplies and equipment.

You don't have to spend on anything other than food, you can use 100% of your award on food purchases. If you choose to spend funds on the "other" category, you must use at least 75% on food.