

**Reimbursement Rates  
 Effective July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021**

National School Lunch	Fewer than 60% Free-eligible <sup>1</sup>	60% or more Free-eligible <sup>2</sup>
Paid <sup>3</sup>	0.33	0.35
Reduced-Price <sup>3</sup>	3.11	3.13
Free <sup>3</sup>	3.51	3.53

1. The reimbursement rate for School Food Authorities which served fewer than 60 percent free and reduced price lunches in 2018-2019 school year, district wide.
2. The reimbursement rate for School Food Authorities which served 60 percent or more free and reduced price lunches in 2018-2019 school year, district wide.  
*This percentage is calculated at the State Agency when the Claim for Reimbursement is paid.*
3. \$.07 is added to the rate when Sponsor's menus are certified.

Afterschool Care Program Snacks	Fewer than 50% Free-eligible <sup>4</sup>	50% or More Free-eligible <sup>5</sup>
Paid	0.08	0.96
Reduced-Price	0.48	
Free	0.96	

4. The reimbursement rate for snacks served in afterschool care programs in schools where fewer than 50% of enrolled students, as of most recent October, are Free or Reduced Price-eligible.
5. The reimbursement rate for snacks served in afterschool care programs in schools where 50% or more of enrolled students, as of most recent October, are Free or Reduced Price-eligible.

School Breakfast Program	Non-Severe Need	Severe Need <sup>6</sup>
Paid	0.32	0.32
Reduced-Price	1.59	1.96
Free	1.89	2.26

6. Additional payments for schools determined to be *severe need* because they serve a high percentage of needy children and meet the following eligibility criteria:
  - a. The established reimbursement rate per meal is insufficient to cover the costs of the school's breakfast program;
  - b. 40% or more of lunches served in 2018-2019 were served to Free or Reduced Price-eligible students by site.

Special Milk Program	All Milk	Paid Milk	Free Milk
No Applications <sup>7</sup>	0.2025	N/A	N/A
Free Milk With Applications <sup>8</sup>	N/A	0.2025	Average Cost ½ Pint Milk

7. No Applications: No applications are distributed to Parents/Guardians. The school has a policy to *sell* milk to all students or *offer milk at no cost* to all students. Schools that choose this option receive the *All Milk* reimbursement for each half-pint of milk served to students.
8. Free Milk With Applications: Eligibility for Free milk is determined by confidential applications or direct certification from Adult and Family Services. Schools offering this option receive the *Free Milk* reimbursement (the average price the school pays for each half-pint of milk) served to Free-eligible students and the *Paid Milk* reimbursement for students who must pay for their milk.

The commodity entitlement rate for school year 2020-2021 is \$0.37 per lunch meal served. This includes the base rate of \$.2450 per lunch meal served plus the annual 12% adjustment.