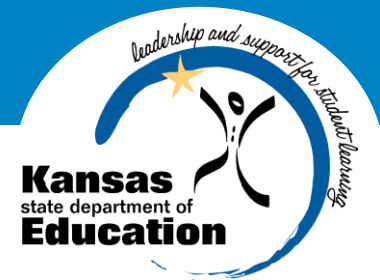


Summer Food Service Program 2014



The Big Issue

KSDE wants to **Think Bigger**

- More Sponsors
- More Sites
- More Children
- More Meals

Think



Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) – The Big Picture

- USDA Child Nutrition Program that provides meals to children (1-18) when school is not in session
- Meals served free to all children in areas that are identified with high need (eligible areas)



How does it operate?

KSDE administers the program in Kansas

- Sponsors determine the need
 - Begin and end dates
 - Numbers of meals
 - Food service times
 - Document meals prepared and served
- KSDE approves sponsors and sites, monitors and distributes reimbursement



Who can be a Sponsor?

- Schools
- Private non-profit organizations
- Government agencies
- Organizations that accept financial responsibility



What meals can be offered?

- Sponsors determine which meals to offer
 - Breakfast
 - A.M. Snack
 - Lunch
 - P.M. Snack
 - Supper
- Most sponsors offer 2 meals



Where are meals served?

- Wherever children gather – indoors, outdoors
 - Most sites do not require licensing but must meet basic safety and sanitation requirements
- Meals must meet meal pattern requirements



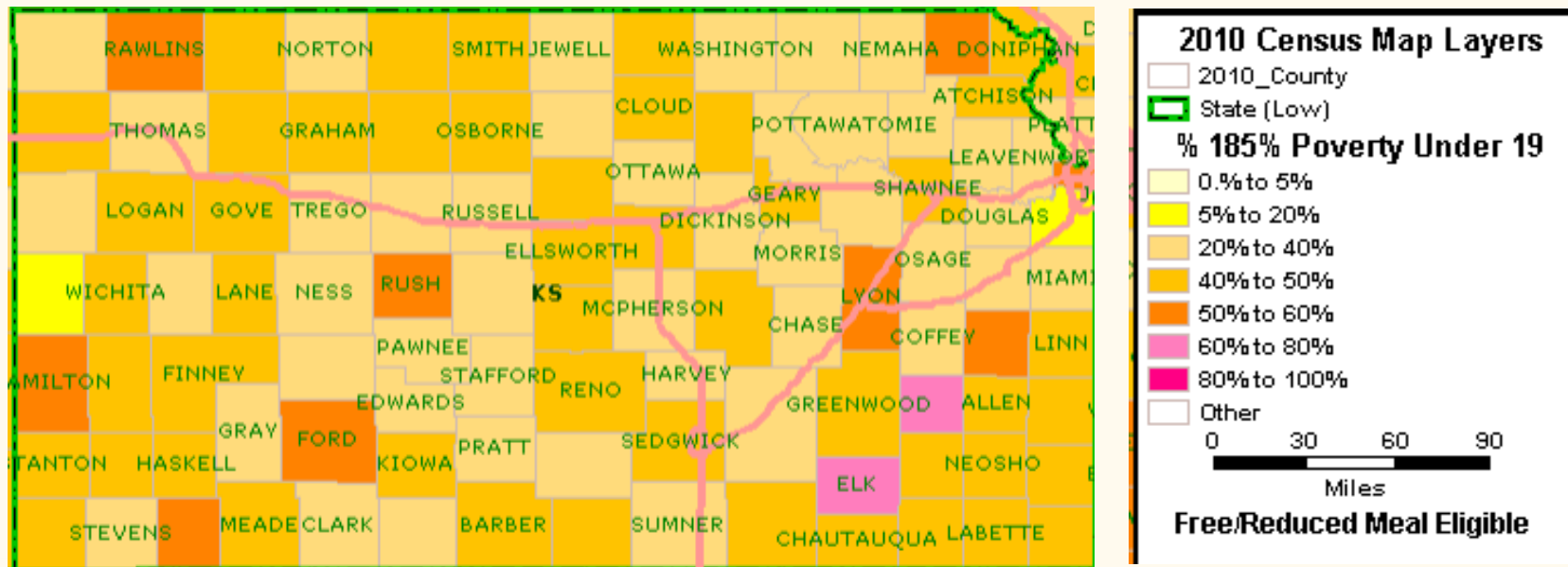
What are eligible areas?

- Document that a low-income population is served using school or 2010 census data.
- Serve all children (1-18).
- Serve children 1 or 2 meals.
- These are considered **Open Sites**. Talk to KSDE if you know of targeted areas that do not meet these criteria.



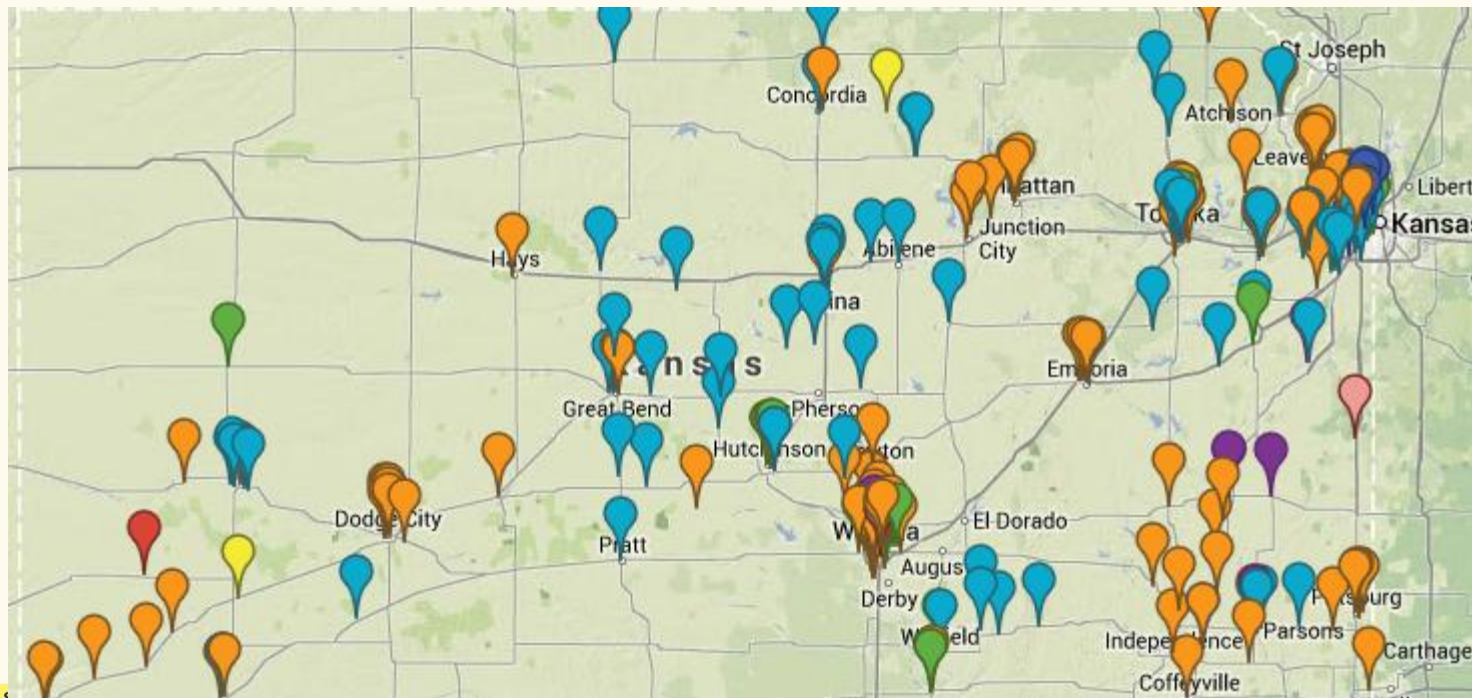
Census Eligible Areas

- <http://216.55.168.186/FairData/SummerFood/map.asp?command=scope&map=0>



2013 Sponsors

- Purple – breakfast only; Aqua - lunch only; Dark blue – supper only



School Eligibility


- www.kn-eat.org, School Nutrition Programs, Administration, Reports

you are here > School Nutrition Programs > Administration > Reports

Reports

Free and Reduced Price Eligibility & Meal Prices

The reports listed below are compiled by the KSDE School Finance Team using information submitted on the Principal's Building Report. Only Unified School District data is reported. The official count date for the Building Report is September 20.

 [Click this link to access any of the following reports in Excel format on the School Finance website.](#)

Free and Reduced Price Eligibility Enrollment Percentages:

- Elementary Schools - Used to determine tiering for family day care home providers in the Child & Adult Care Food Program.
- All School Buildings - Used to determine area eligibility for the After School Care Snack Program.
- USD Totals - Current Year
- USD Totals - 5-Year History



What are meal requirements?

- Breakfast
 - Grain/bread
 - ½ cup fruit, vegetable or full strength juice
 - 8 oz. milk
- Snack
 - 2 items representing different component groups
- Lunch/Supper
 - 2 oz. meat/meat alternate
 - ¾ cup fruit/vegetable from 2 different sources
 - 1 grain/bread
 - 8 oz. milk



Reimbursement

- Reimbursement rates are determined annually
- Maximum reimbursement for a lunch is \$3.56
- Rates vary by meal type
- Rates are lower for non-rural and vended meals
- Includes \$.015 per meal for cash-in-lieu of commodities
- Sponsors assume all responsibility for costs that exceed reimbursement rates



Sponsor's Responsibilities

- Site Determination & Oversight
- Meal Requirements
- Document Reimbursement Earned
- Civil Rights
- Outreach
- Renewal annually

All programs are monitored and audited by KSDE.

USDA Field Office Personnel will visit new Private Non-Profit Sponsors and may contact others.



SW Kansas Library System

- Sponsor- SW KS Library System
- Sites:
 - Kinsley
 - Ulysses
 - Elkhart
 - Bucklin
- Emily Sitz, Director, SW KS Library System



www.kn-eat.org

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Kansas Child Nutrition & Wellness portal. The browser's address bar shows the URL http://www.kn-eat.org/CNW/CNW_Menus/index.htm. The page header features the Kansas State Department of Education logo and the title "Child Nutrition & Wellness". A navigation menu includes "CNW Home", "Nutrition", and "Wellness". A left sidebar lists "Key Links" such as "Our Mission", "Contact Us", "Nondiscrimination Policy", "Security Policy", and "Obtain a DUNS Number". The main content area is titled "Building Healthy Kansas Kids" and includes a welcome message and a paragraph about the portal's purpose. It features a grid of program icons: "Child & Adult Care Food Program", "School Nutrition Programs", "Summer Food Service Program", "Kansas School Breakfast Challenge", "Eat Smart Play Hard", "Gardening", "Body Venture", "Healthy Kansas Schools", and "Team Nutrition". A right sidebar contains a "CNW Portal Home" section with icons for "MyPyramid", "Nutrition", "Wellness", and "Kansas State Department of Education", along with a "WE SUPPORT HEALTHY, ACTIVE KIDS" banner and an "Adobe Acrobat Reader" icon. The footer includes the text "© 2009 www.KNEAT.org - All Rights Reserved." and a zoom level of 100%.



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Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)

How To Apply

- > Application for Sponsors
- > Income Eligibility
- > Reimbursement Rates
- > Contact State Agency
- > State Agency Deadlines
- > How to Become a Site

Browse by Subject

- > Federal Register Notices
- > Legislation
- > Policy
- > Press Releases
- > Regulations
- > Resources for Sponsors
- > Resources for States
- > Seamless Summer Option
- > Summer Demonstration Projects
- > CN Labeling
- > Food Safety
- > School Meals
- > Grants
- > Disaster Assistance
- > Updates

Other Resources

- > SFSP Meal Patterns
- > Summer Handbooks
- > Frequently Asked Questions
- > Training Videos
- > Free ISAs
- > SFSP Innovative Strategies

Training Videos

Watch videos of SFSP sites, sponsors, state agencies, and volunteers talk about their experiences working with summer meals and their best practices.

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The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) was established to ensure that low-income children continue to receive nutritious meals when school is not in session. Free meals, that meet Federal nutrition guidelines, are provided to all children 18 years old and under at approved SFSP sites in areas with significant concentrations of low-income children.

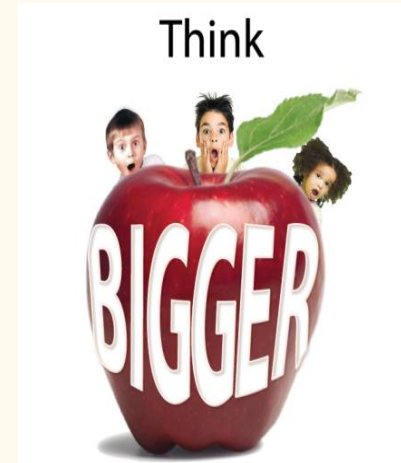
How to Get Involved

- Find Free Summer Meals for Children in Your Community**
Call 1-866-3-HUNGRY or 1-877-8-HAMBRE (for Spanish speakers) and a live operator will tell you where the closest sites serving free, nutritious summer meals are located. Or visit www.whyhunger.org/findfood to locate sites using an online map.
- Schools, Organizations, and Local Government Entities**
Learn how to become a SFSP site or sponsor and serve free summer meals to hungry children in your community. Current SFSP sponsors can visit our [Managing SFSP](#) page to learn how to improve program operation and get the latest policy memos.
- Raise Awareness in Your Community**
Learn how you can spread the word about free summer meals in your community. Our resources include customizable fliers and handouts, an [Innovative strategies](#) library, training videos, and radio PSAs. You don't need to be a site or sponsor to use these resources; anybody can help raise awareness of summer meals!
- Innovative Strategies**
Need a few ideas to kick-start a good summer program? Here are some suggestions, followed by examples of activities and initiatives that State agencies have undertaken to increase participation in the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) and the National School Lunch Program Seamless Summer Option (SSO).
- Contact Your State**
Contact your State agency to apply to become a sponsor, to become a summer feeding site, or to learn about the many ways you can get involved with summer meals. Although SFSP is a federally-funded program, your State is responsible for administering the program and will be able to answer all your questions.



Next Steps

- Complete sponsor and site applications
- Make plans for meals
- Communicate with KSDE at 785-296-2276
 - pmcadoo@ksde.org
 - kchanay@ksde.org
- Applications due May 1



**Thank you! You are
One in a MILLION!!**

