

SCHOOL PROGRAMS MEAL, SNACK AND MILK PAYMENTS TO STATES AND SCHOOL FOOD AUTHORITIES Expressed in Dollars or Fractions Thereof Effective from July 1, 2003 - June 30, 2004				
NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM *		LESS THAN 60%	60% OR MORE	MAXIMUM RATE
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID	.21	.23	.29
	REDUCED PRICE	1.79	1.81	1.96
	FREE	2.19	2.21	2.36
ALASKA	PAID	.34	.36	.45
	REDUCED PRICE	3.15	3.17	3.41
	FREE	3.55	3.57	3.81
HAWAII	PAID	.24	.26	.33
	REDUCED PRICE	2.15	2.17	2.35
	FREE	2.55	2.57	2.75
SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM		NON-SEVERE NEED		SEVERE NEED
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID	.22		.22
	REDUCED PRICE	.90		1.13
	FREE	1.20		1.43
ALASKA	PAID	.32		.32
	REDUCED PRICE	1.61		1.98
	FREE	1.91		2.28
HAWAII	PAID	.25		.25
	REDUCED PRICE	1.09		1.36
	FREE	1.39		1.66
SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM		ALL MILK	PAID MILK	FREE MILK
PRICING PROGRAMS WITHOUT FREE OPTION		.13	N/A	N/A
PRICING PROGRAMS WITH FREE OPTION		N/A	.13	Average cost per ½ pint of milk.
NONPRICING PROGRAMS		.13	N/A	N/A
AFTERSCHOOL SNACKS SERVED IN AFTERSCHOOL CARE PROGRAMS				
CONTIGUOUS STATES	PAID	.05		
	REDUCED PRICE	.30		
	FREE	.60		
ALASKA	PAID	.08		
	REDUCED PRICE	.48		
	FREE	.97		
HAWAII	PAID	.06		
	REDUCED PRICE	.35		
	FREE	.70		

This action is not a rule as defined by the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601-612) and thus is exempt from the provisions of that Act.

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3507), no new recordkeeping or reporting requirements have been included that

are subject to approval from the Office of Management and Budget.

This action is exempted from review by the Office of Management and Budget under Executive Order 12866.

National School Lunch, School Breakfast and Special Milk Programs are listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic

Assistance under No. 10.555, No. 10.553 and No. 10.556, respectively, and are subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372, which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials. (See 7 CFR part 3015, subpart V, and the final rule