

Free and Reduced-Price Food Services

Mapleton Public Schools (the “District”) shall take part as feasible in the National School Lunch and other food programs which may become available to ensure that all students receive proper nourishment.

The District shall establish regulations regarding participation in programs for free and reduced-price meals and supplementary food in accordance with applicable state and federal law.

Adopted June 27, 2017, by the Board of Education for Mapleton Public Schools.

LEGAL REFERENCES:

42 U.S.C. 1751 *et seq.* (*National School Lunch Act*)

7 C.F.R. 245.5 (*must inform families of the availability of reimbursable school meals and provide information about applying for free or reduced-price meals*)

C.R.S. § 22-32-120 (*food services*)

C.R.S. §§ 22-82.7-101 *et seq.* (*Start Smart Nutrition Program provides funding to eliminate amount students who qualify for reduced price meals pay in school breakfast program*)

C.R.S. §§ 22-82.9-101 *et seq.* (*Child Nutrition School Lunch Protection Program provides funding to eliminate amount students in preschool through fifth grade pay for school lunch program, if they qualify for reduced price meals*)

CROSS REFERENCES:

EF: School Nutrition Program