



Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) Bulletin

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The Michigan Department of Education (MDE) is pleased to announce that the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) application is now available for School Year (SY) 2022. Completed application forms are due to MDE by 5:00 pm (EST) **Wednesday, September 22, 2021**.

The FFVP grant is a competitive grant based on free and reduced-price meal eligibility.

Eligibility

- Eligible sites include those buildings with elementary students (K-grade 6).
- Buildings with elementary students and students in grades 7 and higher may apply but must ensure that **ONLY** K-6 grade students receive the FFVP snacks.
- High schools, middle schools with grades 7, 8, and/or 9 only, and pre-K only sites are **not** eligible to apply.

- Residential Child Care Institutions (RCCIs) may participate, provided they operate an elementary school program during the day.
- Based on past grant awards, only sites with free and reduced-price eligibility at 85% or higher have been approved.
- MDE is using October 2019 fall data (SY 2019-2020) to determine the SY 2022 FFVP grant awards.

Information about the SY 2022 FFVP grant and all application forms are on the [MDE Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Webpage - How to Apply](#).

Contact Us

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