



State of Arizona
Department of Education

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MEMORANDUM

TO: National School Lunch Program Sponsors

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DATE: May 23, 2012

SUBJECT: Announcement of SY13 Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program Schools

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The Arizona Department of Education (ADE) is pleased to announce the grant award recipients for the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) for school year 2012-2013 (SY13). Please see the subsequent pages for a list of schools selected to participate.

ADE received a record number of applications this year, totaling close to 250 applications; almost double the previous year's number. Grant selections were given to schools with the highest percentage of low-income students to the maximum extent practicable.

Arizona received approximately \$3.27 million from USDA to distribute to the grant recipients. The amount of funds allocated to each school is based on school enrollment and the per-student allocation ranges from \$50-\$75 for SY13.

The FFVP provides funding to Arizona schools for the purpose of providing a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables to their students throughout the school day. The goals of the FFVP are to create healthier school environments by providing better food choices and making a difference in children's diets to impact their present and future health. This includes expanding the variety of fruits and vegetables that students experience, while increasing their fruit and vegetable consumption.

For questions regarding the FFVP, please contact Jennifer Gordon by phone at (602) 542-8704 or by email at Jennifer.Gordon@azed.gov

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Schools Selected to Participate in the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program for the 2012-2013 School Year

Sponsor Name	School Name
Acclaim Charter School	ACCLAIM Academy
Alhambra Elementary District	Carol G. Peck Elementary School
Alhambra Elementary District	Catalina Ventura School
Alhambra Elementary District	Cordova Primary School
Alhambra Elementary District	Granada Primary School
Alhambra Elementary District	James W. Rice Primary School
Alhambra Elementary District	Montebello School
Alhambra Elementary District	Sevilla Primary School
Alhambra Elementary District	Sevilla West School
Alhambra Elementary District	Westwood Primary School
Arizona South Education - Phoenix	Santa Rosa Boarding/Day School
Balsz Elementary District	Balsz School
Balsz Elementary District	Brunson-Lee Elementary School
Balsz Elementary District	David Crockett School
Bowie Unified District	Bowie Elementary School
Bullhead City School District	Coyote Canyon School
Bullhead City School District	Desert Valley School
CAFA, Inc. dba Learning Foundation Performing Arts School	Learning Foundation
Cartwright Elementary District	Holiday Park School
Cartwright Elementary District	Sunset School
Casa Blanca Community School	Casa Blanca Elementary School
Casa Grande Elementary District	Palo Verde School
Cedar Unified District	Jeddito School
Center for Academic Success, Inc.	Center for Academic Success, The #3
Chandler Unified District	Galveston Elementary School
Chandler Unified District	Hartford Sylvia Encinas Elementary
Chandler Unified District	San Marcos Elementary School
Concho Elementary District	Concho Elementary School
Concordia Charter School, Inc.	Concordia Charter School
Creighton Elementary District	Creighton Elementary School
Creighton Elementary District	Excelencia School
Creighton Elementary District	Gateway School
Creighton Elementary District	Larry C Kennedy School
Creighton Elementary District	Loma Linda Elementary School
Creighton Elementary District	Monte Vista Elementary School
Creighton Elementary District	Papago School
Creighton Elementary District	William T Machan Elementary School
Edkey, Inc. - Sequoia Ranch School	Children First Academy - Tempe
Espiritu Community Development Corp.	Esperanza Montessori Academy
Espiritu Community Development Corp.	NFL YET College Prep Academy
Espiritu Community Development Corp.	Reyes Maria Ruiz Leadership Academy
Fit Kids, Inc. dba Champion Schools	Summit Elementary
Flowing Wells Unified District	Laguna Elementary School
Flowing Wells Unified District	Walter Douglas Elementary School

Gila Crossing Community School	Gila Crossing Community School
Hackberry School District	Cedar Hills School
Holbrook Unified District	Indian Wells Elementary
Isaac Elementary District	Alta E Butler School
Isaac Elementary District	Esperanza Elementary School
Isaac Elementary District	J B Sutton Elementary School
Isaac Elementary District	Morris K. Udall Escuela de Bellas Artes
Isaac Elementary District	P T Coe Elementary School
Laveen Elementary District	Maurice C. Cash Elementary School
Littlefield Unified District	Beaver Dam Elementary
Littleton Elementary District	Quentin Elementary School
Mayer Unified School District	Mayer Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Adams Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Guerrero Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Lincoln Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Lindbergh Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Longfellow Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Lowell Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Redbird Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Webster Elementary School
Mesa Unified District	Whitman Elementary School
Midtown Primary School	Midtown Primary School
Navajo Lutheran Mission School	Navajo Lutheran Mission School
Nogales Unified District	A J Mitchell Elementary School
Nogales Unified District	Challenger Elementary School
Nogales Unified District	Lincoln Elementary School
Nogales Unified District	Mary L Welty Elementary School
OMEGA SCHOOLS d.b.a. Omega Academy, Inc.	Omega Academy
Phoenix Elementary District	Capital Elementary School
Phoenix Elementary District	Garfield School
Phoenix Elementary District	Mary Mcleod Bethune School
Phoenix Elementary District	Ralph Waldo Emerson Elementary School
Phoenix Elementary District	Thomas A Edison School
Phoenix Elementary District	Whittier Elementary School
Pinon Unified District	Pinon Elementary School
Quartzsite Elementary District	Ehrenberg Elementary School
Riverside Elementary District	Riverside Traditional School
Roosevelt Elementary District	Valley View School
Sanders Unified District	Sanders Elementary School
Scottsdale Unified District	Yavapai Elementary School
Seba Dalkai Boarding School	Seba Dalkai School
South Pointe Public Charter Elementary School	South Pointe Public Charter Elementary School
Sunnyside Unified District	Drexel Elementary School
Sunnyside Unified District	Los Ranchitos Elementary School
Sunnyside Unified District	Rivera Elementary
Sunnyside Unified District	Santa Clara Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	C E Rose Elementary School

Tucson Unified District	Cavett Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	Hollinger Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	John E Wright Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	Lynn Urquides
Tucson Unified District	Mission View Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	Ochoa Elementary School
Tucson Unified District	Van Buskirk Elementary School
Washington Elementary School District	Desert View Elementary School
Washington Elementary School District	Mountain View Elementary School
Washington Elementary School District	Richard E Miller School
Washington Elementary School District	Shaw Butte School
Washington Elementary School District	Sunnyslope Elementary School
Washington Elementary School District	Washington Elementary School
Wenden Elementary District	Wenden Elementary School
Whiteriver Unified District	Seven Mile School
Whiteriver Unified District	Whiteriver Elementary

Congratulations to the selected schools!

Selected schools will be emailed a survey with information on award amounts and mandatory training no later than Friday, May 25, 2012.

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