



HAWAII SCHOOL MEALS PROGRAMS

2024 – 2025 Reimbursement Rates

Effective July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

The Federal rates of reimbursement for School Breakfast Program, National School Lunch Program, Afterschool Snack Program, and Special Milk Program are as follows:

1. School Breakfast Program

	<u>Free</u>	<u>Reduced</u>	<u>Paid</u>
Regular Breakfast	3.06	2.76	.49
Severe Need Breakfast*	3.67	3.37	.49

*Severe Need Breakfast applies to a school that served 40% or more of its lunches as free and reduced in the 2nd preceding year (2022-23).

2. National School Lunch Program

(The rates in parentheses reflect the 9 cents increase to be paid when menus are certified by HCNP as meeting the new meal pattern requirements)

	<u>Free</u>	<u>Reduced</u>	<u>Paid</u>
Regular Lunch	5.76 (5.85)	5.36 (5.45)	.55 (.64)
Needy Lunch *	5.78 (5.87)	5.38 (5.47)	.57 (.66)

*Needy Lunch rate is paid to those districts that served 60% or more free and reduced lunches in the 2nd preceding year (2022-23).

3. Afterschool Snack Program

	<u>Free</u>	<u>Reduced</u>	<u>Paid</u>
Sites with less than 50% low income*	1.58	.79	.14
Sites with more than 50% low income*	1.58	N/A	N/A

*50% low income is determined by site using the most recent October Data Report of "area eligible" participants, or by Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) site Identified Student Percentage (ISP) x 1.6 for CEP schools in a non-base year.

4. Special Milk Program

Milk served to children with approved Free Milk application	Average cost per 1/2 pint of milk
Milk served to all children without Free Milk application	0.2700 per 1/2 pint of milk

5. **Commodity Entitlement** – The NSLP per meal rate (.30 cents) PLUS the 12% provision dollars and the \$20 Million breakfast dollars for NSLP make the **effective SY 2024 - 2025 NSLP rate .45 cents.**

6. Maximum Reduced Price Rates for students:

Breakfast is 30¢ - 7CFR 245.2 Definitions - Reduced price meal
 Lunch is 40¢ - 7CFR 245.2 Definitions - Reduced price meal
 Snack is 15¢ - 7CFR 210.9 (c) (4)

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