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124 Idaho schools to receive fresh fruit and vegetable grants

(BOISE) – Students at 124 schools across Idaho will receive free, fresh fruit and vegetables during the coming school year thanks to state-administrated grants from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Superintendent of Public Instruction Sherri Ybarra announced.

The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program provides children in participating elementary schools with a variety of fruits and vegetables during the school day. Under the National School Lunch Act, schools with the highest enrollment of students identified for free and reduced-cost meals are given priority for participation. This selection criterion ensures that the program benefits children who generally have fewer opportunities to eat fresh fruit and vegetables on a regular basis.

Schools were awarded the grants through a competitive application process. The grant period runs from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, and all grants are contingent upon USDA funds availability.

The State Department of Education administers the program as an effective, creative way of introducing fresh fruits and vegetables as healthy snack options for schoolchildren throughout Idaho. Schools are reimbursed for providing the fresh fruits and vegetables to all students within the school day, at a different time than the school meal programs operate.

These Idaho schools, arranged alphabetically by district, received 2019-2020 Fresh Fruits and Vegetable grants:

School District	School Name	Award Amount
American Falls S.D. #381	Hillcrest Elementary School	\$15,768.66
American Falls S.D. #381	The Intermediate School	\$25,144.62
American Falls S.D. #381	William Thomas Middle School	\$7,529.18
Boise S. D. #001	Garfield Elementary School	\$22,090.33
Boise S. D. #001	Grace Jordan Elementary	\$32,247.62
Boise S. D. #001	Hawthorne Elementary School	\$17,047.20
Boise S. D. #001	Hillcrest Elementary School	\$20,456.64
Boise S. D. #001	Horizon Elementary School	\$35,515.00
Boise S. D. #001	Jefferson Elementary School	\$16,407.93

School District	School Name	Award Amount
Boise S. D. #001	Koelsch Elementary School	\$23,652.99
Boise S. D. #001	Lowell Elementary School	\$20,030.46
Boise S. D. #001	Morley Nelson Elementary	\$34,165.43
Boise S. D. #001	Mountain View Elementary School	\$20,740.76
Boise S. D. #001	Owyhee Elementary School	\$12,501.28
Boise S. D. #001	Whitney Elementary School	\$35,657.06
Boise S. D. #001	Whittier Elementary School	\$31,253.20
Boise S. D. #001	William Howard Taft Elementary School	\$18,538.83
Boundary County S.D. #101	Naples Elementary School	\$6,960.94
Boundary County S.D. #101	Valley View Elementary School	\$22,445.48
Bruneau-Grand View Jt SD #365	Grand View Elementary School	\$4,332.83
Buhl S.D. #412	Buhl Middle School	\$7,813.30
Buhl S.D. #412	Popplewell Elementary School	\$35,017.79
Caldwell S.D. #132	Jefferson Middle School	\$16,763.08
Caldwell S.D. #132	Lewis & Clark Elementary	\$24,789.47
Caldwell S.D. #132	Lincoln Elementary School	\$22,090.33
Caldwell S.D. #132	Sacajawea Elementary School	\$26,991.40
Caldwell S.D. #132	Syringa Middle School	\$19,249.13
Caldwell S.D. #132	Van Buren Elementary School	\$34,236.46
Caldwell S.D. #132	Washington Elementary School	\$31,537.32
Caldwell S.D. #132	Wilson Elementary School	\$30,827.02
Cambridge S.D. #432	Cambridge Elementary School	\$3,622.53
Cassia County Joint S.D. #151	Mountain View Elementary School	\$27,843.76
Castleford S.D. #417	Castleford School	\$11,506.86
Challis S.D. #181	Challis Elementary School	\$10,299.35
Clark County S.D. #161	Clark County Schools	\$3,267.38
Coeur D'Alene S.D. #271	Fernan Stem Academy	\$23,226.81
Coeur D'Alene S.D. #271	Winton Elementary School	\$30,898.05
Coeur D'Alene Tribal School	Coeur D'Alene Tribal School	\$4,830.04
Culdesac Joint S.D. #342	Culdesac School	\$3,267.38
Emmett S.D. #221	Kenneth Carberry Intermediate	\$29,832.60
Emmett S.D. #221	Shadow Butte Elementary School	\$29,477.45
Future Public Charter School, Inc.	Future Public School	\$11,648.92
Glenns Ferry S.D. #192	Glenns Ferry Schools	\$13,211.58
Gooding Joint S.D #231	Gooding Elementary School	\$37,787.96

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Hagerman S.D. #233	Hagerman Elementary School	\$11,293.77
Hansen S.D. #415	Hansen Schools	\$9,944.20
Heritage Academy Inc.	Heritage Academy	\$7,529.18
Homedale Joint S.D. #370	Homedale Elementary School	\$27,204.49
Homedale Joint S.D. #370	Homedale Middle School	\$13,992.91
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	A H Bush Elementary School	\$25,925.95
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Dora Erickson Elementary School	\$23,652.99
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Ethel Boyes Elementary School	\$31,608.35
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Foxhollow Elementary School	\$27,559.64
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Hawthorne Elementary School	\$18,112.65
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Theresa Bunker Elementary	\$17,402.35
Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind #961	Idaho School for the Deaf & Blind	\$2,699.14
Jefferson Joint S.D. #251	Harwood Elementary School	\$15,484.54
Jefferson Joint S.D. #251	Roberts Elementary School	\$8,523.60
Jerome S.D. #261	Horizon Elementary School	\$33,526.16
Jerome S.D. #261	Jefferson Elementary School	\$31,040.11
Jerome S.D. #261	Summit Elementary	\$48,442.46
Kamiah Joint S.D. #304	Kamiah Schools	\$12,359.22
Kellogg S.D. #391	Pinehurst Elementary School	\$25,996.98
Kootenai S.D. #274	Kootenai Schools	\$4,190.77
Lakeland S.D. #272	John Brown Elementary School	\$21,380.03
Lakeland S.D. #272	Spirit Lake Elementary School	\$20,740.76
Lapwai S.D. #341	Lapwai Elementary School	\$14,277.03
Lapwai S.D. #341	Lapwai Jr - Sr High School	\$2,699.14
Lewiston S.D. #340	McGhee Elementary School	\$19,604.28
Marsh Valley S.D. #21	Downey Elementary School	\$5,966.52
Marsing Joint S.D. #363	Marsing Schools	\$22,942.69
Minidoka County S.D. #331	Acequia Elementary School	\$18,965.01
Minidoka County S.D. #331	East Minico Middle School	\$10,228.32
Minidoka County S.D. #331	Heyburn Elementary School	\$33,739.25
Minidoka County S.D. #331	Rupert Elementary School	\$39,350.62
Minidoka County S.D. #331	West Minico Middle School	\$12,359.22
Mountain View S.D. #244	Clearwater Valley Elementary	\$11,790.98
Nampa S.D. #131	Centennial Elementary School	\$30,684.96
Nampa S.D. #131	Central Elementary	\$18,822.95

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Nampa S.D. #131	Endeavor Elementary	\$30,329.81
Nampa S.D. #131	Greenhurst Elementary School	\$18,112.65
Nampa S.D. #131	Iowa Elementary	\$29,832.60
Nampa S.D. #131	New Horizon Elementary	\$24,860.50
Nampa S.D. #131	Parkridge Elementary	\$17,686.47
Nampa S.D. #131	Sherman Elementary	\$25,002.56
Nampa S.D. #131	Snake River Elementary	\$24,860.50
Nampa S.D. #131	West Middle School	\$17,473.38
Nampa S.D. #131	Willow Creek Elementary School	\$34,875.73
Notus S.D. #135	Notus Elementary School	\$13,353.64
Orofino Joint S.D. #171	Orofino Elementary School	\$24,150.20
Orofino Joint S.D. #171	Peck Elementary School	\$1,633.69
Orofino Joint S.D. #171	Timberline Schools	\$7,387.12
Parma S.D. #137	Maxine Johnson Elementary	\$21,664.15
Parma S.D. #137	West Wing	\$13,211.58
Payette S.D. #371	Payette Primary School	\$25,428.74
Payette S.D. #371	Westside Elementary School	\$16,834.11
Plummer-Worley Joint S.D. #044	Lakeside Elementary School	\$11,506.86
Pocatello S.D. #025	Claude A. Wilcox Elementary School	\$32,318.65
Pocatello S.D. #025	Greenacres Elementary School	\$17,402.35
Pocatello S.D. #025	Jefferson Elementary School	\$24,150.20
Pocatello S.D. #025	Lewis & Clark Elementary School	\$30,969.08
Pocatello S.D. #025	Tendoy Elementary School	\$14,703.21
Richfield S.D. #316	Richfield School	\$6,747.85
Salmon River S.D. #243	Riggins Elementary	\$3,480.47
Shoshone S.D. #312	Shoshone Elementary School	\$13,353.64
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Bickel Elementary School	\$15,839.69
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Harrison Elementary School	\$24,576.38
Twin Falls S.D. #411	I B Perrine Elementary School	\$32,744.83
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Lincoln Elementary School	\$28,980.24
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Morningside Elementary School	\$25,073.59
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Oregon Trail Elementary School	\$35,870.15
Weiser S.D. #431	Park Intermediate School	\$14,774.24
Weiser S.D. #431	Pioneer Primary School	\$23,866.08
Wendell S.D. #232	Wendell Elementary School	\$25,215.65

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Wendell S.D. #232	Wendell Middle School	\$11,506.86
West Ada S.D. #002	Desert Sage Elementary School	\$35,870.15
West Ada S.D. #002	Frontier Elementary School	\$19,036.04
West Ada S.D. #002	Meridian Elementary School	\$27,488.61
West Ada S.D. #002	Ustick Elementary School	\$28,056.85
West Bonner County S.D. #083	Idaho Hill Elementary School	\$6,818.88
West Bonner County S.D. #083	Priest River Elementary School	\$23,155.78
West Jefferson S.D. #253	Hamer Elementary School	\$1,136.48
West Jefferson S.D. #253	Terreton Elem - Jr High School	\$12,998.49
Wilder S.D. #133	Wilder Schools	\$15,129.39

For more information about Child Nutrition Programs at the Idaho State Department of Education, visit www.sde.idaho.gov.

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