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Idaho Students to Explore Healthy Eating with the USDA’s Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

(BOISE) – Students at 139 schools across Idaho will enjoy a wide selection of fresh fruit and vegetable options free of charge this school year with state-administered grants from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) provides participating elementary schools with a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables during the school day. Students are encouraged to explore healthy food options and to take steps towards making fresh fruits and vegetables a regular part of their daily food choices.

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 ensures that the program benefits children who may have fewer chances to integrate fresh fruits and vegetables into their everyday diets.

Schools were awarded grants through a competitive application process. The grant period runs from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024, and all grant awards are contingent on available USDA funds. These Idaho schools, arranged alphabetically by district, received Fresh Fruit and Vegetable grants for the 2023-2024 school year:

School District	School Name	Award Amount
American Falls S.D. #381	Hillcrest Elementary School	\$26,025.00
American Falls S.D. #381	J.R. Simplot Elementary School	\$27,375.00
Blaine County S.D. #61	Alturas Elementary School	\$35,250.00
Bliss S.D. #234	Bliss School	\$5,250.00
Boise S. D. #001	Garfield Elementary School	\$15,600.00
Boise S. D. #001	Grace Jordan Elementary	\$29,175.00
Boise S. D. #001	Hawthorne Elementary School	\$17,550.00
Boise S. D. #001	Hillcrest Elementary School	\$21,750.00
Boise S. D. #001	Horizon Elementary School	\$35,325.00

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Boise S. D. #001	Jefferson Elementary School	\$16,875.00
Boise S. D. #001	Koelsch Elementary School	\$24,075.00
Boise S. D. #001	Morley Nelson Elementary	\$34,350.00
Boise S. D. #001	Owyhee Elementary School	\$11,250.00
Boise S. D. #001	Whitney Elementary School	\$31,575.00
Boise S. D. #001	Whittier Elementary School	\$40,425.00
Boise S. D. #001	William Howard Taft Elementary School	\$18,750.00
Bonneville Jt. S.D. #93	Bridgewater Elementary	\$36,075.00
Bonneville Jt. S.D. #93	Cloverdale Elementary	\$43,725.00
Bonneville Jt. S.D. #93	Falls Valley Elementary School	\$26,250.00
Bonneville Jt. S.D. #93	Tiebreaker Elementary School	\$34,350.00
Boundary County S.D. #101	Boundary County Junior High School	\$8,625.00
Boundary County S.D. #101	Mount Hall Elementary School	\$10,200.00
Boundary County S.D. #101	Naples Elementary School	\$7,350.00
Boundary County S.D. #101	Valley View Elementary School	\$28,350.00
Bruneau-Grand View Jt SD #365	Bruneau Elementary School	\$2,550.00
Bruneau-Grand View Jt SD #365	Grand View Elementary School	\$6,300.00
Buhl S.D. #412	Poppewell Elementary School	\$42,225.00
Caldwell S.D. #132	Jefferson Middle School	\$12,675.00
Caldwell S.D. #132	Lewis & Clark Elementary	\$27,225.00
Caldwell S.D. #132	Lincoln Elementary School	\$23,250.00
Caldwell S.D. #132	Sacajawea Elementary School	\$29,325.00
Caldwell S.D. #132	Wilson Elementary School	\$33,300.00
Cambridge S.D. #432	Cambridge Elementary School	\$4,350.00
Cassia County Jt. S.D. #151	John Evan Elementary School	\$41,625.00
Cassia County Jt. S.D. #151	Oakley Schools	\$14,700.00
Castleford S.D. #417	Castleford School	\$12,000.00
Challis S.D. #181	Challis Elementary School	\$11,700.00
Clark County S.D. #161	Lindy Ross Elementary	\$3,750.00
Coeur D'Alene Tribal School	Coeur D'Alene Tribal School	\$7,950.00
Council S.D. #013	Council Elementary School	\$12,600.00
Culdesac Jt. S.D. #342	Culdesac School	\$5,925.00
Dietrich S.D. #314	Dietrich School	\$6,375.00
Emmett S.D. #221	Butte View Elementary School	\$11,100.00

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Emmett S.D. #221	Kenneth Carberry Intermediate	\$36,900.00
Emmett S.D. #221	Shadow Butte Elementary School	\$33,450.00
Firth S.D. #059	A W Johnson Elementary School	\$21,375.00
Fruitland S.D. #373	Fruitland Elementary School	\$40,575.00
Future Public Charter School, Inc.	Future Public School	\$29,025.00
Glenns Ferry S.D. #192	Glenns Ferry Schools	\$11,700.00
Gooding Jt. S.D. #231	Gooding Elementary School	\$37,650.00
Hagerman S.D. #233	Hagerman Elementary School	\$12,600.00
Hansen S.D. #415	Hansen Elementary	\$11,925.00
Heritage Academy Inc.	Heritage Academy	\$9,000.00
Heritage Community Charter School	HCCS	\$29,925.00
Highland Jt. S.D. #370	Highland School	\$6,825.00
Homedale Jt. S.D. #370	Homedale Elementary School	\$35,250.00
Homedale Jt. S.D. #370	Homedale Middle School	\$13,275.00
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	A H Bush Elementary School	\$23,850.00
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Dora Erickson Elementary School	\$31,125.00
Idaho Falls S.D. #091	Foxhollow Elementary School	\$34,500.00
Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind	Idaho School for the Deaf & Blind	\$3,150.00
Jefferson Jt. S.D. #251	Harwood Elementary School	\$30,825.00
Jefferson Jt. S.D. #251	Roberts Elementary School	\$13,500.00
Jerome S.D. #261	Horizon Elementary School	\$45,075.00
Jerome S.D. #261	Jefferson Elementary School	\$44,325.00
Jerome S.D. #261	Summit Elementary	\$47,400.00
Kamiah Jt. S.D. #304	Kamiah Schools	\$13,050.00
Lake Pend Oreille S.D. #084	Farmin Stidwell Elementary School	\$35,625.00
Lake Pend Oreille S.D. #084	Hope Elementary School	\$8,475.00
Lake Pend Oreille S.D. #084	Kootenai Elementary School	\$27,375.00
Lakeland S.D. #272	John Brown Elementary School	\$19,725.00
Lakeland S.D. #272	Spirit Lake Elementary School	\$21,525.00
Lapwai S.D. #341	Lapwai Elementary School	\$18,000.00
Lapwai S.D. #341	Lapwai Jr - Sr High School	\$3,675.00
Lewiston S.D. #340	McGhee Elementary School	\$19,350.00
Marsing Jt. S.D. #363	Marsing Schools	\$28,800.00
Meadows Valley S.D. #011	Meadows Valley Elementary	\$5,775.00

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Minidoka County S.D. #331	Acequia Elementary School	\$20,250.00
Minidoka County S.D. #331	East Minico Middle School	\$13,725.00
Minidoka County S.D. #331	Heyburn Elementary School	\$38,850.00
Mosaics Public School	Mosaics Public School	\$30,900.00
Mountain View S.D. #244	Clearwater Valley Elementary	\$10,650.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Centennial Elementary School	\$28,275.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Central Elementary	\$19,575.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Endeavor Elementary	\$33,525.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Greenhurst Elementary School	\$19,050.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Iowa Elementary	\$36,375.00
Nampa S.D. #131	New Horizon Elementary	\$41,250.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Park Ridge Elementary	\$21,300.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Roosevelt Elementary	\$43,950.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Sherman Elementary	\$37,125.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Snake River Elementary	\$25,650.00
Nampa S.D. #131	Willow Creek Elementary School	\$43,575.00
North Valley Academy	North Valley	\$8,700.00
Orofino Jt. S.D. #171	Orofino Elementary School	\$27,150.00
Orofino Jt. S.D. #171	Peck Elementary School	\$2,400.00
Orofino Jt. S.D. #171	Timberline Schools	\$7,650.00
Parma S.D. #137	Maxine Johnson Elementary	\$28,875.00
Parma S.D. #137	West Wing	\$11,700.00
Payette S.D. #371	Payette Primary School	\$31,875.00
Payette S.D. #371	Westside Elementary School	\$15,000.00
Plummer-Worley Jt. S.D. #044	Lakeside Elementary School	\$12,225.00
Pocatello S.D. #025	Claude A. Wilcox Elementary School	\$39,525.00
Pocatello S.D. #025	Jefferson Elementary School	\$25,800.00
Pocatello S.D. #025	Rulon M Ellis Elementary School	\$29,175.00
Pocatello S.D. #025	Tendoy Elementary School	\$17,475.00
Pocatello S.D. #025	Washington Elementary School	\$16,350.00
Richfield S.D. #316	Richfield School	\$8,100.00
Salmon River S.D. #243	Riggins Elementary School	\$4,650.00
Shoshone S.D. #312	Shoshone Elementary School	\$17,400.00
St. Maries Jt. S.D. #041	Heyburn Elementary School	\$24,975.00

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St. Maries Jt. S.D. #041	Upriver Elem-Jr. High School	\$6,900.00
Swan Valley S.D. #92	Swan Valley Elementary School	\$3,375.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Bickel Elementary School	\$14,850.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Harrison Elementary School	\$25,050.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	I B Perrine Elementary School	\$36,225.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Lincoln Elementary School	\$30,150.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Morningside Elementary School	\$33,525.00
Twin Falls S.D. #411	Oregon Trail Elementary School	\$36,900.00
Valley S.D. #262	Valley School	\$19,650.00
Wallace S.D. #393	Silver Hills Elementary School	\$21,450.00
Weiser S.D. #431	Park Intermediate School	\$16,950.00
Weiser S.D. #431	Pioneer Primary School	\$31,275.00
Wendell S.D. #232	Wendell Elementary School	\$33,150.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Chief Joseph School of the Arts	\$39,450.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Desert Sage Elementary School	\$37,725.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Frontier Elementary School	\$18,000.00
West Ada S.D. #002	McMillan Elementary School	\$17,550.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Meridian Elementary School	\$31,650.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Peregrine Elementary School	\$32,850.00
West Ada S.D. #002	River Valley Elementary School	\$33,225.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Silver Sage Elementary School	\$24,075.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Summerwind Elementary School	\$28,125.00
West Ada S.D. #002	Ustick Elementary School	\$26,925.00
West Bonner County S.D. #083	Idaho Hill Elementary School	\$12,225.00
West Bonner County S.D. #083	Priest River Elementary School	\$31,125.00
West Jefferson S.D. #253	Terreton Elem - Jr High School	\$18,075.00
West Side S.D. #202	Harold B Lee Elementary School	\$27,750.00
Wilder S.D. #133	Wilder Schools	\$18,000.00

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