

POLICY

3542 FOOD SERVICE

The school lunch program shall make a nutritionally adequate lunch available to every pupil and shall operate on the most economically feasible basis.

It shall be operated in strict compliance with all laws and regulations pertaining to health, sanitation and safety; internal accounting; employment practices; nutritional standards; costs of lunches; and periodic reporting required by New Jersey law.

The Chief School Administrator is responsible for the administration and operation of the school lunch program in keeping with federal and state laws and the policies and directives of the board.

Legal References:

N.J.S.A. 18A:11-1 General mandatory powers and duties

N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5 Exceptions to requirement for advertising

See particularly:

N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-5a(6)

N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-6 Standards for purchase of fresh milk; penalties; rules and regulations

N.J.S.A. 18A:33-3 through -5 Cafeterias for pupils

N.J.S.A. 18A:54-20 Powers of board (county vocational schools)

N.J.S.A. 18A:58-7.1 through -7.2 School lunch program

N.J.A.C. 2:36-1.1 *et seq.* Child Nutrition Programs

N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.5 Supplies and equipment

N.J.A.C. 6A:30-1.1 *et seq.* Evaluation of the Performance of School Districts

N.J.A.C. 6A:32-12.1 Reporting requirements

N.J.A.C. 6A:32-14.1 Review of mandated programs and services

Cross References:

1200 Participation by the Public

1220 Ad hoc Advisory Committees

3000/3010 Concepts and Roles in Business and Non-Instructional Operations; Goals
and objectives

3450 Money in School Buildings

3510 Operation and Maintenance of Plant

3542.1 Local Wellness/Nutrition

3542.31 Free or Reduced Price Lunches/Milk

4222 Non-Instructional Aides

5131 Conduct/Discipline

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