

## Program Comparison Chart Summer Nutrition Programs & the Afterschool Meal Program

	Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)	Seamless Summer Option of the National School Lunch Program (NSLP)	Afterschool Meal Program through the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)
<b>Sponsor Eligibility</b>	Any public school, nonprofit private school, local government agency, or private nonprofit organization.	School Food Authorities (SFAs)	Same as SFSP, in addition to some for-profit entities.
<b>Site Eligibility</b>	A site qualifies either as an open or an enrolled site. An open site is located in a low-income area where 50 percent or more of the children are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals according to elementary, middle, or high school data or census data. An enrolled site qualifies if it is located in a low-income area or if at least half of the children enrolled in the program are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals.	Same as SFSP.	A site qualifies if it is in a low-income area where 50 percent of the children in the local elementary, middle or high school are qualified for free or reduced price meals.
<b>Participant Eligibility</b>	Children 18 years or younger and persons 19 or older with a physical disability, as defined by the State. Open sites are open to all children in the community (open restricted sites limit or restrict participation for reasons of safety, security or control). An enrolled site only provides meals to children enrolled in the program.	Same as SFSP.	Children 18 years or younger. Youth who turn 19 during the school year remain eligible until the end of the school year. Children may be either drop-in or enrolled. Attendance records required.
<b>Meal Service</b>	During the summer months or during student vacations for year round schools. Maximum two meals per day, except 3 meals per day for migrant sites and camps (only reimbursed for children who are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals).	Same as SFSP	During the school year after school, on weekends, and during school holidays. Meals can be served at any point during program. Maximum one meal and one snack per day.

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<b>Reimbursement Rates</b>	SFSP 2015: \$2.0375 per breakfast, \$3.5875 per lunch or supper, and \$0.8450 per snack. Rural and self-prep sites receive \$2.0775 per breakfast, \$3.6450 per lunch or supper, and \$0.8650 per snack. Lunch and supper cannot be reimbursed for the same day by the same site, except for camp and migrant sites.	NSLP SY 2015-2016 “free” rates: \$1.66 per breakfast, \$3.07 per lunch or supper (plus an additional \$0.2375 in commodities), and \$0.84 per snack. Schools that qualify for additional “severe need” breakfast reimbursement or the \$0.02 differential for lunch during the school year will continue to receive it during the summer. Lunch and supper cannot be reimbursed for the same day by the same site, except for camp and migrant sites.	CACFP SY 2015-2016 “free” rates: \$1.66 per breakfast, \$3.07 per lunch or supper (plus an additional \$0.2375 in commodities or cash in lieu of commodities), \$0.84 per snack.
<b>Meal Pattern</b>	Breakfast: 1 serving of milk, 1 serving of fruit or vegetable, 1 serving of grains/bread; Lunch/Supper: 1 serving of milk, 2 servings of fruits and/or vegetables, 1 serving of grains/bread, 1 serving of meat or meat alternate; Snack: (must include two of the following) 1 serving of milk, 1 serving of fruit and/or vegetable, 1 serving of grains/bread, 1 serving of meat/meat alternate. SFAs may substitute School Breakfast Program (SBP)/NSLP meal patterns.	SBP/NSLP meal patterns	Same as SFSP. SFAs may substitute SBP/NSLP meal patterns.
<b>Programmatic Requirements</b>	No requirement.	Same as SFSP.	Must offer educational or enrichment activities.