

# Grants Pass School District 7

Code: **EF**  
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## **District Nutrition and Food Services**

The district may provide food services for students and staff. Food services so provided will comply with state and federal laws and regulations relating to such services.

The district may enter into an agreement with the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to operate the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and the Commodity Food Distribution Program (CFDP) by signing a permanent Sponsor-ODE Agreement entitling the district to receive reimbursement for all meals that meet program requirements and to earn commodity food entitlement based on the number of lunches served.

The permanent agreement shall be signed by the superintendent or other school official with authority to obligate the district to legally binding contracts, subject to annual ODE renewal and will include, at the district's option, an agreement to operate the School Breakfast Program (SBP). The district recognizes that meals and snacks served by the district will not be eligible for reimbursement until the annual program update is received and approved by ODE.

The permanent Sponsor-ODE Agreement shall include assurances by the district that it will follow all NSLP regulations regarding:

- Free and reduced price process (updated annually);
- Financial management of the nonprofit school food service;
- Civil rights and confidentiality procedures;
- Nutrition content of meals served;
- Use and control of commodity foods;
- Accuracy of reimbursement claims;
- Food safety and sanitation inspections.

The food service supervisor, under the direction of the director of business services, will be responsible for management of the food service program.

The director of business services will report to the Board, at least annually, on the condition of the food service program, and will make such other reports related to food services as the Board requests.

The superintendent will develop administrative regulations as necessary to implement this policy and meet the requirements of state and federal law. The regulation(s) will be reviewed and adopted by the Board as required by law.

END OF POLICY

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Legal Reference(s):

OAR 581-022-1530

OAR 581-051-0100

OAR 581-051-0305

OAR 581-051-0310

OAR 581-051-0400

Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs and Activities, 7 CFR Part 15b (2001).

National School Lunch Program, 7 CFR Part 210 (2001).

Special Milk Program for Children, 7 CFR Part 215 (2001).

School Breakfast Program, 7 CFR Part 220 (2001).

Determining Eligibility for Free and Reduced Price Meals and Free Milk, 7 CFR Part 245.8 (2001).

Uniform Federal Assistance Regulations, 7 CFR Part 3015 (2001).