

Food For Thought: Expanding School Breakfast to NJ Students

You can help expand school breakfast in New Jersey.

A good breakfast helps students focus in class, score higher on standardized tests and avoid trips to the school nurse. When children are hungry, they cannot concentrate on a reading assignment or solve a math problem.

Despite strong evidence of the benefits of school breakfast, New Jersey ranks 46th in the nation for its participation in this federal child nutrition program.

While most New Jersey schools offer breakfast, it is typically served before school. Many children simply cannot get to school with enough time to eat breakfast before the first bell rings.

Some school districts in New Jersey and around the country are overcoming this logistical challenge by serving breakfast in the classroom or using other innovative approaches.

Districts that adopt these more creative methods report significant increases in participation rates and improvement in student behavior and performance.

ACNJ's report on school breakfast provides information on these approaches and is available at www.acnj.org. This addendum to that report provides data for every NJ district so you can see how your district fares.



You can use this information to influence change in your community by presenting the report and data to your:

- School board
- Superintendent, business administrator and food services coordinator
- Parent Teacher Association (PTA or PTO)
- Local community and government agencies that can become partners in your campaign

For more information about ACNJ's Food for Thought School Breakfast Campaign, visit www.acnj.org or e-mail advocates@acnj.org.

Help more kids in NJ begin their day ready to learn.



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Atlantic County

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	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast	
Absecon City	251	30	226	\$68,950.80
Atlantic City	5,194	78	3,121	\$976,991.40
Atlantic Co Vocational	308	45	188	\$55,890.00
Brigantine City	330	42	255	\$77,706.00
Buena Regional	688	43	403	\$120,866.40
Charter-Tech High School	131	47	123	\$37,076.40
Egg Harbor City	357	78	261	\$80,632.80
Egg Harbor Twp	2,777	35	2,315	\$698,130.00
Estell Manor City	38	20	19	\$5,263.20
Folsom Borough	123	31	71	\$20,764.80
Galloway Community Charter School	149	68	81	\$24,148.80
Galloway Twp	1,507	44	1,184	\$356,623.20
Greater Egg Harbor Regional District	1,235	32	1,044	\$316,378.80
Hamilton Twp	1,389	43	814	\$247,129.20
Hammonton Town	1,196	34	959	\$294,793.20
Mainland Regional	266	17	172	\$51,789.60
Mullica Twp	277	40	257	\$77,583.60
Oceanside Charter School	325	93	193	\$59,522.40
Pleasantech Academy Charter School	427	84	376	\$117,280.80
Pleasantville City	2,643	83	1,547	\$480,963.60
Somers Point City	476	46	379	\$117,151.20
Ventnor City	612	62	443	\$136,940.40
Weymouth Twp	78	37	56	\$16,876.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	20,776	49	14,486	\$4,439,453.40

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Bergen County

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		Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	
Bergen Arts And Sciences	213	42	175	18	\$52,038.00
Bergen County Vocational	150	8	95	37	27561.60
Bergenfield Borough	1,004	30	912	9	\$274,233.60
Bogota Borough	473	42	393	17	\$118,346.40
Carlstadt Borough	144	24	140	3	\$42,030.00
Carlstadt-East Rutherford	109.5	22	98.5	10	\$29,908.80
Cliffside Park Borough	1,407	53	1,116	21	\$342,748.80
East Rutherford Borough	263	35	147	44	\$42,951.60
Edgewater Borough	90	15	87	3	\$26,859.60
Elmwood Park	803	35	632	21	\$192,171.60
Englewood City	1,791	63	1,335	25	\$410,727.60
Englewood On The Palisade	129	65	101	22	\$30,970.80
Fairview Borough	864	76	768	11	\$238,550.40
Fort Lee Borough	636	18	597	6	\$178,815.60
Garfield City	2,842	63	2,112	26	\$644,619.60
Hackensack City	2,542	52	808	68	\$247,550.40
Leonia Borough	204	12	146	28	\$43876.80
Little Ferry Borough	136	19	120	12	\$36,450.00
Lodi Borough	1,702	52	1,528	10	\$464,090.40
Lyndhurst Twp	452	19	443	2	\$134,834.40
Maywood Borough	184	20	184	0	\$55,915.20
Moonachie Borough	120	45	77	36	\$23,529.60
North Arlington Borough	319	20	300	6	\$89,748.00
Palisades Park	496	35	358	28	\$107,312.40
Ridgefield Borough	254	18	230	9	\$68,760.00
Ridgefield Park Twp	725	34	625	14	\$190,170.00
South Hackensack Twp	58	27	49	16	\$14,875.20
Teaneck Twp	1,219	31	1,003	18	\$306,086.40
Wallington Borough	314	27	289	8	\$87,289.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	19,643	35	14,868	18	\$4,523,022.20

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Burlington County

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Bass River Twp	37	31	23	\$6,638.40
Beverly City	149	56	101	\$31,024.80
Bordentown Regional	467	19	323	\$31,024.80
Burlington City	1,003	53	755	\$233,244.00
Burlington Co Vocational	762	38	500	\$149,706.00
Delanco Twp	121	30	95	\$28,530.00
Edgewater Park Twp	368	43	298	\$90,788.40
Florence Twp	482	30	314	\$95,587.20
Lenape Regional	561	8	474	\$141,577.20
Maple Shade Twp	701	33	591	\$178,372.80
Mount Holly Twp	378	53	276	\$83,818.80
New Hanover Twp	87	50	48	\$14,558.40
North Hanover Twp	403	35	307	\$91,695.60
Palmyra Borough	319	34	248	\$74,678.40
Pemberton Twp	2,395	50	1,617	\$479,703.60
Rancocas Valley Regional	316	16	261	\$79,390.80
Renaissance Regional Leadership C. S.	30	22	30	\$8,370.00
Riverside Twp	588	43	528	\$161,276.40
Southampton Twp	130	16	105	\$31,536.00
Washington Twp	19	31	16	\$4,636.80
Willingboro Twp	2,075	49	1,611	\$493,624.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	11,391	35	8,521	\$2,576,386.80

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Camden County

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Barrington Borough	130	21	130	0	\$39,402.00
Bellmawr Borough	501	44	484	3	\$147,607.20
Berlin Twp	246	41	145	41	\$44,964.00
Black Horse Pike Regional	953	23	723	24	\$215,006.40
Brooklawn Borough	150	52	126	16	\$38,458.80
Camden Academy Charter H.S.	351	83	322	8	\$99,633.60
Camden City	10,697	78	7,411	31	\$2,327,878.80
Camden County Vocational	1,536	72	948	38	\$291,308.40
Camden's Pride Charter School	160	92	53	67	\$16,250.40
Camden's Promise Charter School	379	89	287	24	\$88,545.60
Cherry Hill Twp	1,753	15	1,292	26	\$388,245.60
Clementon Borough	315	64	218	31	\$66,632.40
Collingswood Borough	623	33	539	13	\$163,303.20
D.U.E. Season Charter School	347	71	300	14	\$94,284.00
Environment Community C.S.	194	90	33	83	\$10,184.40
Freedom Academy Charter School	220	94	77	65	\$23,529.60
Gloucester City	1,305	64	838	36	\$254,516.40
Gloucester Twp	2,149	30	1,487	31	\$449,049.60
Haddon Twp	301	14	292	3	\$87,699.60
Institute Of Excellence Charter School	120	38	120	0	\$36,234.00
Lawnside Borough	194	78	117	40	\$35,985.60
Laurel Springs Borough	32	19	31	3	\$9,442.80
Leap Academy University C.S.	720	86	437	39	\$135,687.60
Lindenwold Borough	1,536	69	1,086	29	\$334,108.80
Magnolia Borough	156	36	142	9	\$42,339.60
Merchantville Borough	109	34	99	9	\$29,311.20
Mount Ephraim Borough	123	27	112	9	\$33,699.60
Oaklyn Borough	132	31	111	16	\$33,706.80
Pennsauken Twp	3,406	62	2,274	33	\$691,837.20
Pine Hill Borough	927	48	643	31	\$193,820.40
Runnemede Borough	287	35	242	16	\$73,047.60
Somerdale Borough	186	37	163	12	\$48,884.40
Sterling High School District	222	23	222	0	\$67,089.60
Stratford Borough	172	22	150	13	\$45,306.00
Waterford Twp	231	26	103	55	\$29,714.40
Winslow Twp	2,391	45	1,656	31	\$503,938.80
Woodlynne Borough	367	87	264	28	\$81,421.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	33,621	51	23,677	25	\$7,272,075.60

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Cape May County

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District Name	Students Eligible For School Breakfast			% Receiving Breakfast	Additional Federal Reimbursement for 100% Participation
	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast		
Cape May City	82	53	51	38	\$14,482.80
Cape May Co Vocational	135	21	114	16	\$33,607.80
Dennis Twp	133	22	133	0	\$39,542.40
Lower Cape May Regional	664	41	475	28	\$140,790.60
Lower Twp	962	53	222	77	\$67,359.60
Middle Twp	916	33	676	26	\$206,006.40
North Wildwood City	152	47	125	18	\$38,898.00
Ocean City	396	19	369	7	\$113,713.20
Sea Isle City	13	27	10	23	\$3,060.00
Upper Twp	197	14	169	14	\$52,135.20
West Cape May Borough	9	24	5	44	\$1,530.00
Wildwood City	627	73	65	90	\$21,186.00
Wildwood Crest Borough	82	29	80	2	\$25,020.00
Woodbine Borough	143	69	69	52	\$20,995.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	4,510	37	2,562	31	\$778,327.20

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Bridgeton City	5,004	90	2,449	\$765,100.80
Commercial Twp	472	74	289	\$89,125.20
Cumberland Co Vocational	150	56	135	\$40,014.00
Cumberland Regional	402	31	136	\$39,358.80
Deerfield Twp	177	47	119	\$35,917.20
Downe Twp	79	48	49	\$14,983.20
Fairfield Twp	444	73	161	\$49,168.80
Greenwich Twp	16	24	6	\$1,792.80
Hopewell Twp	123	24	18	\$4,298.40
Lawrence Twp	262	59	23	\$6,638.40
Maurice River Twp	143	38	99	\$30,445.20
Millville City	3,900	64	2,413	\$739,544.40
Stow Creek Twp	40	29	19	\$5,749.20
Upper Deerfield Twp	426	48	82	\$23,331.60
Vineland City	6,507	67	4,361	\$1,202,666.40
Vineland Public Charter School	73	47	73	\$21,884.40
TOTAL/AVERAGE	18,217	67	10,431	\$3,070,018.80

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Essex County

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Adelaide L. Sandford Charter School	209	74	137	34	\$42,267.60
Belleville Town	2,011	45	1,810	10	\$553,806.00
Bloomfield Twp	2,022	34	1,822	10	\$553,557.60
Burch Charter School Of E	144	79	107	26	\$31,899.60
City Of Orange Twp	2,653	60	516	81	\$161,362.80
Discovery Charter School	50	81	32	36	\$9,975.60
East Orange	7,031	71	3,779	46	\$1,174,615.20
East Orange Community C.S.	381	81	112	71	\$34,455.60
Essex Co Voc-Tech	1,790	87	295	84	\$90,243.00
Gray Charter School	195	75	176	10	\$53,758.80
Greater Newark Charter School	138	83	87	37	\$26,265.60
Irvington Township	4,771	67	3,337	30	\$1,036,155.60
Lady Liberty Academy Charter School	402	88	304	24	\$94,741.20
Maria L. Varisco-Rogers C.S.	352	93	210	40	\$63,720.00
Marion P. Thomas Charter School	463	83	349	25	\$108,403.20
New Horizons Comm. Charter School	393	89	296	25	\$92,152.80
Newark City	28,954	87	7,415	74	\$2,306,520.00
Newark Educators Charter School	217	89	147	32	\$44,733.60
Newark Legacy Charter School	98	82	33	66	\$10,130.40
North Star Academy C. S Of Newark	986	78	549	44	\$165,607.20
Pride Academy Charter School	210	88	153	27	\$47,174.40
Robert Treat Academy Charter School	364	69	312	14	\$93,549.60
South Orange-Maplewood	1,161	18	914	21	\$276,919.20
Team Academy Charter School	1079	84	626	42	\$191,512.80
University Heights Charter School	196	89	131	33	\$40,474.80
Visions Academy	120	81	84	30	\$26,125.20
West Orange Town	2,427	36	1,906	21	\$584,218.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	58,817	74	25,639	37	\$7,914,346.20

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Clayton Borough	619	46	490	\$156,042.00
Delsea Regional H.S. District	468	27	406	\$122,950.80
Deptford Twp	1,467	34	1,041	\$311,270.40
Elk Twp	145	37	96	\$29,278.80
Franklin Twp	365	26	201	\$59,680.80
Gateway Regional	226	26	157	\$47,523.60
Glassboro	925	42	619	\$190,483.20
Gloucester Co Vocational	199	18	162	48,297.60
Greenwich Twp	114	24	83	\$24,998.40
Monroe Twp	1,662	28	1,373	\$418,604.40
National Park Borough	95	33	88	\$26,852.40
Paulsboro Borough	753	63	355	\$109,602.00
Pitman Borough	260	17	251	\$75,470.40
Washington Township	799	14	606	\$180,964.80
West Deptford Twp	699	23	574	\$173,473.20
Westville Borough	150	45	119	\$36,133.20
Woodbury City	848	55	650	\$200,844.00
TOTAL/AVERAGE	9,793	33	7,270	\$2,212,470.20

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Bayonne City	5,373	58	4,636	\$1,427,806.80
East Newark Borough	191	86	114	\$35,359.20
Elysian Charter School Of Hoboken	58	20	48	\$14,396.40
Guttenberg Town	773	76	728	\$226,310.40
Harrison Town	1,511	77	1,321	\$401,374.80
Hoboken City	1,254	69	1,053	\$325,544.40
Hudson County Vocational	483.5	40	483.5	\$144,100.80
Jersey City	20,694	75	14,978	\$4,628,282.40
Jersey City Comm. Charter School	526	90	340	\$105,498.00
Jersey City Golden Door	322	67	199	\$60,397.20
Kearny Town	1,878	37	1,750	\$524,700.00
Learning Community Charter School	143	35	135	\$41,310.00
Liberty Academy Charter School	239	86	172	\$53,247.60
North Bergen Twp	4,264	53	3,023	\$935,762.40
Schomburg Charter School	245	100	174	\$55,231.20
Secaucus Town	538	25	268	\$79,610.40
Soaring Heights Charter School	127	58	92	\$27,039.60
The Ethical Community C.S.	52	35	5	\$1,476.00
Union City	9,758	92	8,193	\$2,555,798.40
University Academy Charter School	214	50	206	\$63,262.80
Weehawken Twp	609.5	49	510.5	\$157,244.40
West New York Town	5,040	76	4,329	\$1,342,483.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	54,293	61	42,758	\$13,206,236.40

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Hampton Borough	38	29	35	8	\$10,818.00
Hunterdon Central Regional	150	5	111	26	\$33,436.80
Lambertville City	43	24	30	30	\$9,450.00
N. Hunterdon/Voorhees Regional	91	3	80	12	\$23,274.00
TOTAL/AVERAGE	665	14	572	17	\$174,297.60

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Mercer County

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Capital Prep Charter School	209	69	182	\$56,469.60
East Windsor Regional	1,384	28	1,240	\$376,848.00
Emily Fisher C. S. Of Advanced Studies	340	92	239	\$73,609.20
Ewing Twp	1,271	34	1,111	\$334,823.40
Foundation Academy Charter School	154	79	99	\$29,743.20
Hamilton Twp	3,507	28	2,881	\$874,171.80
International C. S. Of Trenton	85	96	55	\$16,830.00
Lawrence Twp	716	18	684	\$206,053.20
Pace Charter School Of Hamilton	80	69	28	\$8,330.40
Paul Robeson Humanities	232	86	203	\$63,176.40
Princeton Regional	396	12	371	\$112,294.80
Trenton City	5,758	65	3,539	\$1,105,171.20
Village Charter School	287	80	179	\$54,115.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	14,520	56	10,912	\$3,311,636.40

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Middlesex County

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	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	
Carteret Borough	2,179	59	1,919	\$588,283.20
Central Jersey College Prep C.S.	129	45	56	\$16,822.80
Dunellen Borough	401	36	333	\$100,958.40
East Brunswick Twp	956	11	924	\$276,739.20
Edison Twp	2,299	16	2,270	\$687,333.60
Greater Brunswick Charter School	217	69	209	\$64,267.20
Highland Park Borough	458	32	396	\$119,296.80
Jamesburg Borough	246	37	186	\$56,602.80
Middlesex Borough	447	21	172	\$49,228.20
Middlesex Co Vocational	665	38	399	\$120,706.20
New Brunswick City	5,900	79	3,810	\$1,194,318.00
North Brunswick Twp	1,754	29	1,017	\$303,177.60
Old Bridge Twp	1,834	20	1,721	\$518,702.40
Perth Amboy City	6,388	61	2,886	\$896,572.80
Piscataway Twp	1,707	24	1,350	\$401,112.00
Sayreville Borough	1,700	29	1,374	\$415,951.20
South Amboy City	444	38	395	\$121,032.00
South Plainfield Borough	781	21	671	\$201,610.80
South River Borough	823	35	765	\$233,445.60
Woodbridge Twp	3,981	31	2,625	\$786,456.00
TOTAL/AVERAGE	33,307	37	23,476	\$7,152,616.80

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	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast	
Academy Charter High School	109	58	8	\$1,130.40
Asbury Park City	1,502	79	352	\$110,869.20
Belmar Borough	255	46	213	\$66,020.40
Bradley Beach Borough	171	59	140	\$42,732.00
Eatontown Borough	400	38	308	\$93,902.40
Freehold Borough	938	66	665	\$206,028.00
Henry Hudson Regional	111	28	73	\$21,992.40
Hope Academy Charter School	163	84	149	\$45,583.20
Howell Twp	665	11	603	\$182,120.40
Keansburg Borough	1,135	67	691	\$211,487.40
Keyport Borough	454	40	367	\$112,377.60
Long Branch City	4,043	77	1,962	\$606,549.60
Matawan-Aberdeen Regional	873	23	729	\$220,417.20
Middletown Twp	958	9	889	\$268,459.20
Monmouth Regional	216	20	216	\$65,512.80
Neptune City	146	37	125	\$37,548.00
Neptune Twp	2,295	51	1,619	\$497,053.80
Ocean Twp	752	19	731	\$223,754.40
Red Bank Borough	711	79	430	\$133,686.00
Red Bank Regional	169	17	116	\$35,452.80
The Red Bank Charter School	65	37	50	\$15,354.00
Union Beach	241	33	215	\$64,656.00
Upper Freehold Regional	116	5	108	\$32,108.40
Wall Twp	420	10	386	\$116,776.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	17,562	40	11,688	\$3,574,184.40

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	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast	
Boonton Town	292	23	223	\$67,568.40
Dover Town	2,095	71	1,786	\$546,256.80
Mine Hill Twp	80	22	65	\$19,620.00
Morris Hills Regional	357	12	280	\$84,438.00
Morris School District	1,266	28	564	\$167,983.20
Mount Arlington Borough	42	13	36	\$10,810.80
Mount Olive Twp	619	14	580	\$173,916.00
Netcong Borough	88	31	86	\$26,542.80
Rockaway Borough	123	19	115	\$34,326.00
Rockaway Twp	280	11	261	\$78,796.80
Wharton Borough	360	50	281	\$85,834.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	5,602	27	4,277	\$1,296,093.60

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Ocean County

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District Name	Students Eligible For School Breakfast			% Receiving Breakfast	Additional Federal Reimbursement for 100% Participation
	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast		
Barneget Twp	840	26	590	30	\$176,031.00
Berkeley Twp	550	27	390	29	\$116,802.00
Brick Twp	2,062	21	1,596	23	\$480,745.80
Central Regional	580	30	436	25	\$132,292.80
Eagleswood Twp	42	31	22	48	\$6,429.60
Jackson Twp	1,422	15	1,351	5	\$407,638.80
Lacey Twp	1,011	22	914	10	\$274,381.20
Lakehurst Borough	204	47	110	46	\$33,012.00
Lakewood Twp	4,745	90	3,123	34	\$975,218.40
Little Egg Harbor Twp	710	39	458	35	\$137,534.40
Long Beach Island	50	22	43	14	\$13,406.40
Manchester Twp	879	27	700	20	\$210,906.00
Ocean Gate Borough	66	43	46	30	\$14,248.80
Ocean Twp	161	30	137	15	\$41,511.60
Pinelands Regional	614	35	505	18	\$152,157.60
Plumsted Twp	281	16	237	16	\$72,165.60
Point Pleasant Borough	305	10	289	5	\$87,883.20
Seaside Heights Borough	165	78	54	67	\$17,053.20
Southern Regional	540	18	520	4	\$156,690.00
Stafford Twp	345	15	192	44	\$59,097.60
Toms River Regional	3,605	21	3,273	9	\$1,000,004.40
Tuckerton Borough	135	42	113	16	\$34,070.40
TOTAL/AVERAGE	19,312	32	15,099	25	\$4,599,280.80

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Passaic County

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District Name	Students Eligible For School Breakfast				Additional Federal Reimbursement for 100% Participation
	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast	% Receiving Breakfast	
Classical Academy Charter School Of Clifton	40	36	15	63	\$4,428.00
Clifton City	4,719	43	4,021	15	\$1,231,300.80
Community Charter School	332	68	304	8	\$92,959.20
Haledon Borough	670	66	591	12	\$180,370.80
Hawthorne Borough	483	20	474	2	\$144,979.20
Lakeland Regional	156	13	25	84	\$7,326.00
Passaic City	11,476	86	9,144	20	\$2,864,365.20
Passaic Co Manchester Reg	487	62	148	70	\$44,294.40
Passaic County Vocational	2,279	70	1,727	24	\$529,131.60
Paterson Charter School For Sci/Tech	567	77	390	31	\$118,746.00
Paterson City	21,003	86	15,324	27	\$4,779,745.20
Prospect Park Borough	656	76	571	13	\$176,140.80
Wanaque Borough	155	17	151	3	\$46,108.80
Woodland Park	337	30	197	42	\$59,169.60
TOTAL/AVERAGE	43,360	54	33,082	29	\$10,279,065.60

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Elsinboro Twp	23	24	16	\$4,852.80
Mannington Twp	58	32	31	\$9,334.80
Oldmans Twp	39	20	31	\$9,388.80
Penns Grv-Carney's Pt Reg	1,461	66	1,057	\$328,053.60
Pennsville	507	27	488	\$148,658.40
Pittsgrove Twp	466	29	333	\$99,824.40
Quinton Twp	150	44	101	\$30,430.80
Salem City	1015	81	552	\$172,011.60
Salem County Vocational	138	18	122	\$36,736.20
Salem Woodstown-Pilesgrove Regional	297	19	243	\$912,983.40
TOTAL/AVERAGE	4,153	36	2,973	\$912,983.40

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Bound Brook Borough	981	64	773	\$236,871.00
Franklin Twp	2,879	37	2,526	\$771,022.80
Hillsborough Twp	531	7	496	\$148,222.80
Manville Borough	504	39	487	\$144,561.60
North Plainfield Borough	1,744	54	1,531	\$467,875.80
Somerset Co Vocational	82	22	33	\$9,941.40
Somerville Borough	614	25	499	\$151,927.20
South Bound Brook	204	45	171	\$51,418.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	7,539	37	6,516	\$1,981,841.40

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Franklin Borough	152	30	124	18	\$37,933.20
Hamburg Borough	59	22	44	25	\$13,183.20
Hopatcong	534	25	510	4	\$151,254.00
Lenape Valley Regional	78	9	60	23	\$17,982.00
Montague Twp	101	35	6	94	\$1,846.80
Newton Town	427	28	352	18	\$106,707.60
Sparta Twp	98	3	97	1	\$29,109.60
Sussex County Charter School For Technology	48	24	19	60	\$5,479.20
Sussex County Vocational	92	16	73	21	\$21,348.00
Sussex-Wantage Regional	292	20	241	17	\$73,000.80
TOTAL/AVERAGE	1,881	21	1,596	28	\$457,844.40

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Central Jersey Arts Charter School	271	75	206	\$63,100.80
Elizabeth City	20,048	88	9,744	\$3,021,883.20
Hillside Twp	1,691	55	1,261	\$383,180.40
Kenilworth Borough	296	24	291	\$86,950.80
Linden City	3,085	51	2,454	\$741,787.20
Plainfield City	4,887	76	3,800	\$1,179,597.60
Queen City Academy Charter School	168	72	153	\$47,012.40
Rahway City	2,081	55	1,763	\$536,328.00
Roselle Borough	1,892	69	1,353	\$412,866.00
Roselle Park Borough	652	33	588	\$176,450.40
Springfield Twp	149	7	135	\$39,855.60
Summit City	462	12	429	\$129,025.80
Union County Teams Charter School	140	56	99	\$29,905.20
Union County Vocational	281	22	257	\$76,372.20
Union Twp	2,431	32	2,052	\$620,049.60
Winfield Twp	36	25	34	\$10,177.20
TOTAL/AVERAGE	38,567	47	24,616	\$7,554,542.40

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	Total	As a % of Total Enrollment	NOT Receiving Breakfast	
Alpha Borough	62	25	56	\$16,444.80
Hackettstown	329	18	235	\$70,992.00
Mansfield Twp	142	21	142	\$43,419.60
Phillipsburg Town	1,681	46	969	\$295,855.20
Warren County Vocational	79	25	47	\$13,755.60
Washington Borough	181	34	143	\$43,844.40
TOTAL/AVERAGE	2,474	28	1,592	\$484,311.60

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