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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.

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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 after the bell."

Districts that adopt this approach report significant increases in participation rates and improvement in student behavior and performance.

Advocates for Children of New Jersey'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

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

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Atlantic County

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year								
	S	Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast						
	# Students	As a % of Total	% Receiving	# NOT Receiving	Federal			
School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*			
Northfield City	205	20	0	205	\$54,657			
Mainland Regional High	344	23	38	213	\$56,399			
Folsom Borough	147	35	61	57	\$14,553			
Greater Egg Harbor Regional								
High	1,321	36	27	964	\$255,159			
Mullica Twp.	261	36	5	248	\$66,762			
Absecon	275	37	16	231	\$61,857			
Weymouth Twp.	81	38	31	56	\$15,246			
Hammonton	1,342	39	25	1,003	\$271,818			
Egg Harbor Twp.	3,000	39	19	2,423	\$642,533			
Brigantine	323	42	26	239	\$77,319			
Hamilton Twp.	1,419	45	45	783	\$250,803			
Buena Regional	1,122	48	23	869	\$274,473			
Galloway Twp.	1,655	49	29	1,178	\$373,104			
Charter~Tech High School For								
The Performing Arts	160	51	42	93	\$29,511			
Somers Point	634	58	29	452	\$145,224			
Ventnor City	582	64	38	361	\$117,297			
Galloway Community Charter	128	77	41	76	\$24,444			
Egg Harbor City	393	78	11	348	\$113,346			
Atlantic City	5,693	85	64	2,070	\$681,372			
Pleasantville	2,964	92	53	1,385	\$452,835			
Oceanside Charter	311	96	30	218	\$71,352			
Pleasantech Academy Charter	486	100	17	405	\$134,865			
TOTAL/AVERAGE	22,845	53	39	13,876	\$4,184,928			

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year

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School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*
North Arlington	350	21	6	329	\$86,769
Fort Lee	785	21	8	721	\$187,065
Ridgefield	286	22	30	201	\$51,651
Lyndhurst	530	22	1	524	\$138,254
Carlstadt	158	28	16	132	\$34,290
Carlstadt-East Rutherford Regional					
High	139	28	14	120	\$31,343
Wallington Boro	305	29	12	268	\$70,938
Bergen Arts and Sciences Charter	177	32	37	112	\$28,548
Little Ferry	318	32	10	285	\$75,897
Ridgefield Park Township	771	35	17	640	\$168,786
Palisades Park	487	36	29	346	\$89,892
Bergenfield Borough	739	36	23	572	\$150,269
Elmwood Park	890	36	29	632	\$166,662
East Rutherford	280	36	50	141	\$35,721
Teaneck	1,447	38	18	1,182	\$312,012
Moonachie	117	43	38	73	\$23,661
Englewood on the Palisades Charter	93	48	30	65	\$20,943
Bogota	570	50	16	481	\$152,609
Lodi	1,820	55	11	1,626	\$520,776
Cliffside Park	1,562	56	22	1,218	\$393,440
Hackensack City	2,912	56	71	858	\$275,832
Garfield	2,637	59	34	1,733	\$553,815
Englewood	1,821	63	31	1,262	\$406,854
Fairview	927	77	13	809	\$263,889
Total/Average	20,119	43	29	14,328	\$4,239,914

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year									
	St	Total Additional							
	# Students	As a % of Total	% Receiving	# NOT Receiving	Federal				
School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Free Breakfast	Reimbursement*				
Westampton Twp.	202	21	0	202	\$52,146				
Burlington Twp.	871	21	26	645	\$168,561				
Bordentown Regional	466	21	34	306	\$79,511				
Washington Twp.	10	22	90	1	\$171				
Eastampton Twp.	148	23	0	148	\$39,564				
Renaissance Regional Leadership Charter	36	27	72	10	\$2,250				
Florence Twp.	480	30	35	314	\$84,312				
Bass River Twp.	41	31	51	20	\$5,040				
North Hanover Twp.	405	32	29	289	\$72,531				
Delanco Twp.	131	33	27	96	\$25,542				
Maple Shade	760	36	21	603	\$159,219				
Palmyra	386	40	20	310	\$99,828				
Edgewater Park Twp.	373	43	31	259	\$83,925				
Riverside Twp.	639	47	12	562	\$180,072				
Pemberton Twp.	2,433	50	31	1,678	\$529,992				
New Hanover Twp.	94	53	61	37	\$11,619				
Mount Holly Twp.	489	54	24	372	\$120,366				
Willingboro	2,390	56	23	1,835	\$592,371				
Burlington City	1,021	57	26	760	\$246,060				
Beverly City	194	63	75	48	\$15,444				
Total/Average	11,569	40	27	8,495	\$2,568,524				

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		dents Eligible For			Total Additional			
	# Students As a % of Total % Receiving # NOT Receiving							
School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*			
Audubon	290	20	7	269	\$71,109			
Stratford	184	24	8	170	\$44,784			
Barrington	159	26	17	132	\$35,316			
Black Horse Pike Regional	1,089	27	28	779	\$204,813			
Waterford Twp.	239	27	56	106	\$27,198			
Laurel Springs	49	27	0	49	\$12,969			
Sterling	266	28	15	225	\$59,481			
Mt. Ephraim	142	32	8	130	\$34,056			
Gloucester Twp.	2,379	34	33	1,603	\$425,583			
Runnemede	299	36	20	238	\$63,054			
Collingswood	668	36	17	554	\$147,114			
Magnolia	162	38	8	149	\$39,465			
The Institute for Excellence Charter	150	38	39	91	\$24,147			
Merchantville	139	38	19	113	\$29,961			
Oaklyn	190	41	31	132	\$42,444			
Somerdale	214	41	18	176	\$55,908			
The Kingdom Charter School of Leadership	49	42	80	10	\$3,330			
Bellmawr	506	45	12	444	\$142,722			
Berlin Twp.	275	46	33	184	\$59,004			
Winslow Twp.	2,414	49	29	1,708	\$550,674			
Pine Hill Borough	968	51	32	658	\$210,798			
Brooklawn	173	51	15	147	\$47,655			
Gloucester City	1,290	63	37	818	\$263,106			
Clementon Elementary	299	65	35	195	\$61,371			
Pennsauken Twp.	3,566	66	30	2,485	\$799,911			
Lindenwold	1,685	73	27	1,224	\$395,496			
Lawnside	208	82	42	121	\$39,429			
D.U.E. Season Charter	447	84	17	371	\$121,437			
Camden City	11,464	84	39	6,964	\$2,305,728			
Camden Academy Charter High	351	84	18	289	\$93,753			
Leap Academy University Charter	761	89	41	447	\$145,071			
Woodlynne Boro	395	90	34	259	\$83,817			
Environment Community Opportunity Charter	194	92	72	54	\$17,604			
Camden's Pride Charter	201	94	73	55	\$17,883			
Camden's Promise Charter	400	95	38	247	\$80,685			
Freedom Academy Charter	244	95	44	137	\$44,811			
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Cape May County

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	Total Additional							
School District	# Students As a % of Total % Receiving # NOT Receiving crict Eligible Enrollment Breakfast Breakfast I							
Sea Isle City	11	24	18	9	Reimbursement* \$2,511			
Dennis Township	150	25	33	101	\$27,045			
Wildwood Crest Borough	73	28	4	70	\$18,774			
Middle Township	899	34	35	581	\$155,777			
Lower Cape May Regional	662	43	45	366	\$115,074			
North Wildwood	168	52	11	150	\$49,086			
Lower Township Elementary	1,026	56	78	227	\$71,055			
West Cape May Elementary	23	42	9	21	\$6,723			
Wildwood City	614	77	88	71	\$23,346			
Woodbine School District	153	78	52	74	\$23,616			
Total/Average	3,779	45	56	1,670	\$493,007			

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year

Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast

School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Total Additonal Federal Reimbursement*
Greenwich Twp.	20	26	60	8	\$2,016
Hopewell Twp.	154	30	51	76	\$19,314
Stow Creek Twp.	41	33	20	33	\$8,829
Cumberland Regional	501	39	41	297	\$78,138
Maurice River Twp. Elementary	162	41	31	111	\$35,451
Downe Twp.	84	47	50	42	\$13,770
Deerfield Twp.	171	48	56	76	\$23,688
Upper Deerfield Twp.	421	49	54	193	\$61,677
Vineland Public Charter	95	50	69	29	\$8,793
Lawrence Twp.	277	59	76	66	\$20,844
Millville Public Charter	57	59	0	57	\$18,279
Millville	3,908	66	36	2,502	\$811,269
Vineland	6,707	70	63	2,482	\$624,762
Fairfield Twp.	475	78	61	183	\$58,131
Commercial Twp.	502	79	47	268	\$87,192
Bridgeton	4,559	92	61	1,793	\$587,241
Total/Average	18,134	69	55	8,216	\$2,459,394

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	Students Eli	gible For Free/Re	educed Breakf	ast	Total Additional			
	# Students	As a % of Total	% Receiving	# NOT Receiving	Federal			
School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*			
Bloomfield	2,021	33	9	1,837	\$484,173			
West Orange	2,591	38	33	1,748	\$472,815			
Belleville	2,052	44	16	1,733	\$556,029			
Irvington	4,463	63	28	3,198	\$1,048,086			
East Orange	6,276	65	58	2,645	\$870,201			
Burch Charter of Excellence	187	72	16	158	\$50,778			
Robert Treat Academy Charter	400	73	11	357	\$113,319			
Greater Newark Charter	126	75	25	94	\$29,898			
Orange	3,471	76	81	650	\$212,238			
Adelaide L. Sanford Charter	253	77	44	141	\$45,441			
Maria Varisco Rogers Charter	366	77	50	182	\$57,744			
North Star Academy Charters of								
Newark	1,354	80	40	813	\$260,523			
Visions Academy Charter High	217	81	29	153	\$49,491			
Great Okas Charter	109	82	65	38	\$12,492			
Pride Academy Charter	199	83	14	172	\$55,764			
Newark	30,379	86	71	8,904	\$2,918,916			
Team Academy Charter	1,321	88	38	822	\$265,838			
Newark Legacy Charter	155	81	70	46	\$14,724			
Roseville Community Charter	75	88	73	20	\$6,390			
The Gray Charter	251	89	5	239	\$77,643			
Lady Liberty Academy Charter	365	90	45	200	\$65,412			
University Heights Charter	261	91	23	200	\$65,466			
Marion P. Thomas Charter	576	91	23	441	\$143,019			
People's Preparatory Charter	90	92	40	54	\$17,496			
Newark Educators Community								
Charter	254	92	29	181	\$58,599			
Discovery Charter	70	92	30	49	\$16,155			
New Horizons Community								
Charter	424	93	25	317	\$103,671			
East Orange Community Charter	461	94	56	201	\$65,313			
Total/Average	58,767	71	56	25,593	\$8,137,634			

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	Students Eli	gible For Free/Re	Total Additional						
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Federal Reimbursement*				
Woodbury Heights	44	20	0	44	\$11,898				
Logan Twp.	177	21	0	177	\$47,385				
West Deptford Twp.	727	24	22	570	\$150,282				
Greenwich Twp.	141	28	28	101	\$26,343				
Franklin Twp.	384	28	50	192	\$49,788				
Delsea Regional High	493	29	25	369	\$96,980				
Monroe Twp.	1,749	30	22	1,367	\$362,007				
Gateway Regional	273	31	33	184	\$48,582				
Elk Twp.	145	37	38	90	\$24,192				
Deptford Twp.	1,659	38	34	1,103	\$290,052				
Glassboro	763	44	47	405	\$131,085				
Clayton	595	47	44	335	\$105,021				
Westville Boro	165	48	28	119	\$38,493				
National Park Boro	125	48	30	88	\$27,954				
Woodbury City	893	59	35	577	\$186,278				
Paulsboro	825	69	55	373	\$120,969				
Total/Average	9,157	36	33	6,093	\$1,717,308				

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School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*			
Elysian Charter	57	20	19	46	\$11,916			
Secaucus	540	25	52	259	\$66,321			
Learning Community Charter	149	30	10	134	\$34,956			
Kearny	2,066	35	11	1,832	\$476,082			
The Ethical Community Charter	70	35	87	9	\$2,619			
Weehawken	638	52	17	529	\$172,269			
Soaring Heights	130	59	26	96	\$29,592			
Bayonne	5,704	61	14	4,881	\$1,581,741			
North Bergen	4,872	62	30	3,404	\$1,107,882			
M.E.T.S. Charter	206	64	10	186	\$60,372			
Jersey City Golden Door Charter	328	69	21	259	\$82,953			
Hoboken	1,226	71	18	1,003	\$326,655			
University Academy Charter High	308	73	2	302	\$97,326			
West New York	5,956	76	59	2,455	\$798,075			
Jersey City	21,221	77	18	17,341	\$5,658,183			
Schomburg Charter	138	78	53	65	\$22,131			
Harrison Town	1,619	80	44	902	\$289,512			
Guttenberg	751	81	6	709	\$231,399			
Dr. Lena Edwards Academic								
Charter	296	86	61	115	\$37,485			
Jersey City Community Charter	491	86	26	361	\$117,891			
East Newark	200	87	33	135	\$43,875			
Union City	9,859	91	16	8,270	\$2,712,978			
Liberty Academy Charter	276	100	15	235	\$78,417			
Total/Average	57,101	70	24	43,528	\$14,040,630			

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast **Total Additional** As a % of Total # Students % Receiving **# NOT Receiving Federal Enrollment School District** Eligible **Breakfast** Breakfast Reimbursement* Frenchtown 32 20 6 30 \$8,208 Lambertville 52 26 35 34 \$9,270 44 38 2 43 \$11,889 Hampton Borough

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Total/Average

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School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*
Lawrence Twp.	786	20	9	715	\$187,007
East Windsor Regional	1,428	28	26	1,057	\$278,649
Hamilton Twp.	4,188	34	19	3,404	\$900,846
Ewing Twp.	1,368	37	16	1,149	\$304,290
Pace Charter School of Hamilton	76	67	59	31	\$9,675
Foundation Academy Charter	243	80	34	160	\$50,364
Trenton	6,277	82	60	2,531	\$831,533
The Village Charter	298	83	34	196	\$61,920
Paul Robeson Charter School for					
the Humanities	241	88	27	175	\$56,925
International Charter School of					
Trenton	85	94	31	59	\$19,053
Emily Fisher Charter	372	95	28	269	\$87,845
Total/Average	15,361	45	37	9,745	\$2,788,106

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Middlesex County

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year								
	Stude	Total Additional						
	# Students	As a % of Total	% Receiving	# NOT Receiving	Federal			
School District	Eligible	Enrollment	Breakfast	Breakfast	Reimbursement*			
Old Bridge Twp.	1,998	22	12	1,749	\$459,594			
Middlesex Borough	502	23	78	112	\$26,114			
South Plainfield	877	24	16	737	\$190,665			
Piscataway Twp.	2,122	29	25	1,592	\$417,461			
Woodbridge Twp.	4,200	32	36	2,668	\$699,444			
Sayreville	1,857	33	26	1,368	\$360,261			
North Brunswick Twp.	1,967	33	61	772	\$205,830			
Highland Park	505	34	12	442	\$117,212			
South River	910	40	8	833	\$266,153			
Jamesburg	267	40	46	143	\$45,567			
Academy for Urban Leadership Charter	56	41	0	56	\$17,244			
Dunellen Public	478	41	23	367	\$116,919			
South Amboy	484	42	14	415	\$132,309			
Greater Brunswick Charter School	210	64	12	184	\$60,192			
Carteret	2,329	64	15	1,984	\$639,072			
Perth Amboy	6,763	67	87	901	\$292,527			
New Brunswick	6,525	85	39	4,011	\$1,323,185			
Total/Average	32,048	42	43	18,332	\$5,369,747			

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year								
	Stud	Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast						
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Total Additional Federal Reimbursement*			
Township of Ocean	825	21	4	795	\$213,921			
Farmingdale	33	22	0	33	\$8,937			
Henry Hudson Regional	83	23	52	40	\$10,890			
Matawan-Aberdeen Regional	905	24	22	707	\$186,858			
Union Beach Public	267	36	17	222	\$58,860			
Neptune City	152	39	18	124	\$32,976			
Red Bank Charter	73	42	64	26	\$8,550			
Keyport	396	42	17	328	\$105,444			
Eatontown	460	44	28	333	\$107,055			
Belmar	271	49	20	217	\$71,289			
Highlands Elementary	92	49	21	73	\$23,553			
Neptune Twp.	2,303	54	31	1,595	\$516,632			
Bradley Beach Elementary	162	60	22	126	\$40,662			
Freehold Borough	933	64	31	642	\$209,736			
Long Branch	3,663	69	51	1,797	\$583,821			
Keansburg	1,134	70	45	626	\$200,489			
Academy Charter High	155	81	45	86	\$22,968			
Red Bank Borough	844	83	34	558	\$182,844			
Asbury Park	1,640	84	74	427	\$141,003			
Hope Academy Charter	180	90	12	159	\$51,813			
Total/Average	14,570	51	39	8,913	\$2,778,300			

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Morris County

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Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast **Total Additional** # Students As a % of Total % Receiving **Federal # NOT Receiving School District Eligible Enrollment Breakfast Breakfast** Reimbursement* 26 67 Mine Hill Twp 91 22 \$17,883 27 78 \$60,147 Morris 1,130 251 **Boonton Town** \$77,049 364 29 21 287 **Netcong Elementary** 85 30 11 76 \$20,232

School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year

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\$571,343

\$849,281

Wharton Borough

Total/Average

Dover

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year					
	Stud	Total Additional			
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Federal Reimbursement*
Southern Regional	593	20	6	560	\$147,843
Stafford Twp.	529	23	46	287	\$75,375
Long Beach Island Consolidated	55	23	16	46	\$12,456
Lacey Twp.	1,064	23	16	899	\$235,269
Brick Twp.	2,269	23	37	1,425	\$372,195
Toms River Regional	3,907	23	12	3,441	\$924,071
Barnegat Twp.	940	30	34	619	\$162,333
Manchester Twp.	953	30	31	656	\$170,685
Berkeley Twp.	623	31	31	427	\$112,707
Eagleswood Twp.	44	31	39	27	\$7,263
Ocean Twp.	176	33	26	131	\$35,145
Central Regional	669	34	22	520	\$138,380
Pinelands Regional	627	37	35	410	\$108,666
Ocean Gate	56	38	45	31	\$8,109
Little Egg Harbor Twp.	741	42	50	373	\$117,729
Tuckerton Borough	153	44	22	119	\$38,061
Lakehurst Elementary	224	53	50	111	\$34,749
Lakewood Twp.	4,336	83	46	2,335	\$768,722
Seaside Heights	205	89	49	104	\$34,632
Total/Average	18,163	32	31	12,520	\$3,504,389

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year

	Students Eligible For Free/Reduced Breakfast				Total Additional
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Federal Reimbursement*
Passaic Valley Regional High	276	20	0	276	\$73,656
Hawthorne	500	23	2	488	\$130,482
Woodland Park	406	37	20	323	\$86,607
Clifton	4,813	44	20	3,873	\$1,250,829
Community Charter School of Paterson	228	50	89	24	\$6,858
Prospect Park	538	61	16	450	\$147,204
Manchester Regional High	551	68	67	180	\$58,158
Haledon Public	729	70	11	647	\$207,729
Passaic Arts and Science Charter	288	81	18	235	\$75,933
Paterson	20,879	86	27	15,188	\$4,994,802
Passaic	11,581	88	36	7,404	\$2,433,132
John P. Holland Charter	162	98	0	162	\$52,974
Total/Average	40,951	72	29	29,250	\$9,518,364

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year

	Stud				
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Total Additional Federal Reimbursement*
Mannington	32	20	25	24	\$6,372
Upper Pittsgrove Twp.	82	20	0	82	\$22,338
Woodstown-Pilesgrove Regional	395	24	18	323	\$85,743
Pennsville	528	29	10	475	\$127,206
Oldmans Twp.	69	30	38	43	\$11,511
Pittsgrove Twp.	556	31	28	403	\$106,659
Elsinboro Twp.	32	32	22	25	\$6,651
Quinton Twp.	148	40	39	90	\$28,782
Penns Grove-Carneys Point	4.554	c 7	22	4 407	¢202 CE7
Regional	1,554	67	23	1,197	\$392,657
Salem City	1,039	85	45	573	\$187,299
Total/Average	4.435	44	27	3.235	\$975.218

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School Breakfast Participation Data, 2011-12 School Year							
	Stu	Total Additional					
School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Federal Reimbursement*		
Somerville	596	27	19	480	\$127,710		
Central Jersey College Prep							
Charter	105	33	93	7	\$1,575		
Franklin Twp.	2,970	38	20	2,370	\$633,497		
Manville	520	40	6	488	\$154,836		
South Bound Brook	226	49	19	184	\$57,816		
North Plainfield Boro	1,824	58	17	1,523	\$489,875		
Bound Brook	1,046	69	22	815	\$261,999		
Total/Average	7,286	44	19	5,866	\$1,727,307		

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	Stud	Total Additional					
School District	# Students Eligible						
Hopatcong Borough	438	22	12	384	\$99,468		
Hamburg	60	22	17	50	\$13,680		
Sussex-Wantage Regional	331	24	22	259	\$68,643		
Newton	413	27	25	310	\$82,058		
Franklin Borough	164	33	17	136	\$36,756		
Montague Twp.	117	39	91	10	\$2,790		
Total/Average	1,523	25	25	1,149	\$303,395		

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School District	# Students Eligible	As a % of Total Enrollment	% Receiving Breakfast	# NOT Receiving Breakfast	Federal Reimbursement*
Kenilworth	311	23	5	294	\$77,405
Winfield Twp.	37	25	3	36	\$9,234
Roselle Park	691	35	10	620	\$163,827
Twp. Of Union	2,765	37	17	2,298	\$604,881
Linden City	3,036	52	19	2,471	\$789,282
Rahway	2,212	58	18	1,821	\$584,820
Hillside	1,876	61	23	1,450	\$462,465
Union County Teams Charter	175	63	25	132	\$42,336
Roselle	1,737	65	39	1,064	\$341,784
The Queen City Academy Charter	182	77	15	154	\$49,824
Plainfield	4,857	77	28	3,517	\$1,149,696
The Barack Obama Green Charter High	127	78	20	101	\$32,337
Central Jersey Arts Charter	295	80	28	212	\$69,192
Elizabeth	19,984	86	52	9,504	\$3,097,818
Total/Average	38,285	67	38	23,674	\$7,474,901

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