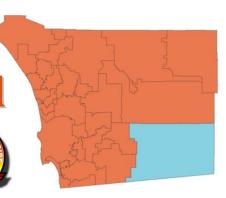
## Farm to School in

# **Mountain Empire Unified**

School District, , 2013-2014



## F2S Programming

F2S Taskforce Membership: No

F2S Classroom Education:

Garden Programming:

Edible Gardens per 1000 Students: **0** 

Uses Local Food in Meal Program:

Celebrate F2S Month:

Farm Visits/Tours:

Garden to Café:

**Local Foods Promotion:** 

**Local Foods Taste Tests:** 

Has FT Staff for F2S Program:

Hosted F2S Staff Training:

## **Size & Capacity**

Grades: K-12

Schools: 10

Student Enrollment: 1,576

% eligible for FRPM: 69%

Drop sites: **1** 

Production Kitchens: 2

Satellite Kitchens: 7

Schools with Salad Bars: 7

Produce processing capacity: Limited

## **Purchasing Power**

Annual food costs: \$312,127

DoD Fresh:

USDA Foods: **\$2,118** 

## **Annual Produce Purchasing**

Total produce purchased: \$45,000

% of annual food budget: **14%** 

% produce purchased

grown locally: 0%

\$ produce per NSLP enrollee: \$56.39

\$ produce per NSLP,

rank in County: #12

### **Meals Served Daily**

Breakfast: 340

Lunch: **798** 











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#### **Local Procurement**

**HOTM Calendar Adopted:** 

Frequency of:

- SD County food served:
- Regional foods served:
- CA foods served:

Local preference in solicitation:

Buys directly from growers:

### F2S Definition & Goals

Adopted F2S Taskforce definitions of local/regional food? No District has definition of local? Specific F2S goals set: Implementation plan set?

## Sourcing and Menus

Produce distributor(s):

**#1: Rods Produce** 

#2:

Produce Contract Period: 1 year
Contract Renewal Year: 7/15/2015

Menu Planning Cycles: Monthly

## **Top Produce Items**

#1 Apples

#2 Oranges

#3 Jicama

#4 Peppers

#5 Cucumbers

### **District Contact**



Primary Contact: **Dorothy Haskins dhaskins@meusd.net**619-473-9022 x125

Contact Preference: Through distributor



Data sources: CHIP and the San Diego County Childhood Obesity Initiative's 2014 State of Farm to School in San Diego County survey and data from California Department of Education data, available at, <a href="http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/gls\_calworks.asp">http://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/gls\_calworks.asp</a>.







