

# LOCAL FOOD FOR SCHOOLS PROGRAM

## Attention Producers: New Sales Opportunity Starting Spring 2023



Massachusetts K-12 schools are set to receive **\$3.5 million dollars** to spend exclusively on local, unprocessed or lightly processed foods.

This one-time funding will be available to schools beginning in the spring of 2023 and schools will have 18 months to spend the funds. The funding is part of the USDA's Local Food For Schools program.

If you think you might be interested in selling produce, dairy, seafood, meat or other unprocessed local items to schools, get in touch with **Massachusetts Farm to School** to learn more and be connected to potential buyers.

Visit [www.massfarmtoschool.org](http://www.massfarmtoschool.org) for additional information on selling to schools.

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