

## BY THE NUMBERS

# of Schools: **4**      Enrollment: **1,674**

NFS Dollars Spent: **\$10,000**

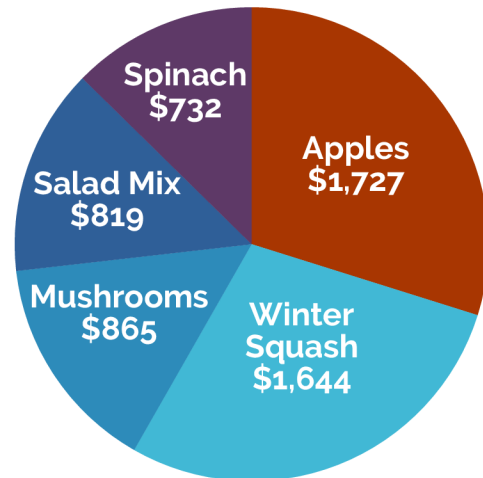
Number of Farmers Supported: **20**

## VENDOR SPEND

Boston Food Hub: **\$9,440**

Fairview Orchards: **\$560.00**

## TOP FIVE ITEMS PURCHASED



## STUDENT AGENCY, STAFF INVESTMENT

Littleton's main focus has been creating self-serve produce stations where students can pick from a vibrant assortment of locally sourced fruits and vegetables. The school nutrition department has found it rewarding when students and staff have noticed their culinary efforts, including roasting potatoes, sautéing mushrooms, adding fresh local cucumbers and tomatoes into pasta salads, and grilling the peppers and onions.



Not only are we serving more students and staff at our schools, but the feedback we have received is incredibly positive. The process [of integrating local foods] has allowed us to get fresh fruits, veggies, and meats from local sources, sample them with our students on Friday Try Days, and make permanent updates to our daily menu. Meal participation is impressive - students and staff are eating at a record pace.

*-Leah Botko, School Nutrition Director,  
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