

**Food Service Operations/Cafeteria Fund**

The Governing Board intends that, insofar as possible, the school food services program shall be self-supporting. The Board shall review and approve menu prices. Program financial reports shall be presented regularly for inspection by the Board.

Meals may be offered to employees and Board members as a matter of convenience. Since these meals may include federally donated food commodities, their price shall be set in accordance with state and federal guidelines.

Meals may be served to adults other than employees and Board members who are on campus during meal times for a legitimate purpose, such as serving as a classroom volunteer. Since these meals may include federally donated commodities, their price shall be set in accordance with state and federal guidelines.

The following persons and groups are exempted from the operation of Education Code section 38082 and are permitted to use the food service facilities:

1. Members of the staff of the state Department of Education and the Office of the County Superintendent of Schools.
2. Members of the parent-teacher organizations acting on behalf of the organization.
3. Members of the school district staff.

All proceeds from food sales and other services offered by the cafeteria shall be deposited in the cafeteria fund as provided by law.

The wages, salaries and benefits of food service employees shall be paid from the district general fund and may be reimbursed from the cafeteria fund to the general fund whenever so ordered by the Board. (Education Code 38103)

(cf. 3550 - Food Services)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Lunch Program)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

38090-38095 Cafeterias, funds and accounts

38100-38103 Cafeterias, allocation of charges

42646 Alternate payroll procedure

45103.5 Contracts for management consulting services

49490-49493 School breakfast and lunch programs

49500-49505 School meals

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 7

210.1-210.31 National School Lunch Program

220.1-220.21 National School Breakfast Program

Management Resources:

CDE MANAGEMENT ADVISORIES

0701.00 Adult and Sibling Meals in the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs,  
No. 00-111

WEB SITES

CDE, Nutrition Services Division: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/nsd/>

U.S. Department of Agriculture; Child Nutrition Programs: <http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/>

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