

SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM: CHILDREN PARTICIPATING

Data as of January 23, 2026

State / Territory	October 2024	September 2025 <i>Preliminary</i>	October 2025 <i>Initial</i>	Percent Change Oct 25 vs Oct 24
Alabama	270,998	311,442	301,699	11.3%
Alaska	22,976	23,009	22,595	-1.7%
Arizona	280,023	278,294	273,872	-2.2%
Arkansas	201,509	221,439	219,534	8.9%
California	1,962,677	1,921,207	2,068,509	5.4%
Colorado	208,452	202,583	203,891	-2.2%
Connecticut	139,988	123,183	133,642	-4.5%
Delaware	58,591	56,603	61,615	5.2%
District of Columbia	42,223	40,455	48,980	16.0%
Florida	813,546	828,977	830,715	2.1%
Georgia	677,929	683,934	669,540	-1.2%
Guam	8,857	8,937	8,513	-3.9%
Hawaii	30,428	34,220	32,896	8.1%
Idaho	54,460	51,142	53,544	-1.7%
Illinois	475,916	461,129	454,297	-4.5%
Indiana	330,120	327,885	321,848	-2.5%
Iowa	130,379	119,450	125,291	-3.9%
Kansas	131,520	118,279	115,899	-11.9%
Kentucky	325,056	322,549	320,115	-1.5%
Louisiana	291,754	292,652	286,781	-1.7%
Maine	74,517	69,881	74,604	0.1%
Maryland	259,374	242,105	252,916	-2.5%
Massachusetts	314,707	289,635	295,192	-6.2%
Michigan	529,711	484,102	500,087	-5.6%
Minnesota	327,073	303,348	353,288	8.0%
Mississippi	187,908	196,036	187,219	-0.4%
Missouri	293,817	285,105	292,409	-0.5%
Montana	40,400	36,328	38,575	-4.5%
Nebraska	84,042	80,761	80,563	-4.1%
Nevada	129,053	119,151	119,145	-7.7%
New Hampshire	24,618	16,497	18,826	-23.5%
New Jersey	378,106	334,593	350,816	-7.2%
New Mexico	139,792	139,005	133,387	-4.6%
New York	930,536	921,166	993,591	6.8%
North Carolina	499,339	483,139	501,769	0.5%
North Dakota	34,827	33,042	35,101	0.8%
Ohio	512,096	491,450	514,590	0.5%
Oklahoma	218,019	212,703	77,313	-64.5%
Oregon	159,881	146,945	155,235	-2.9%
Pennsylvania	582,852	568,653	595,854	2.2%
Puerto Rico	51,424	51,043	56,350	9.6%
Rhode Island	35,270	28,233	35,703	1.2%
South Carolina	274,851	286,579	284,785	3.6%
South Dakota	30,961	29,342	30,118	-2.7%
Tennessee	405,684	399,921	388,328	-4.3%
Texas	1,904,679	1,889,215	1,864,559	-2.1%
Utah	73,744	67,756	68,176	-7.6%
Vermont	35,564	32,877	35,246	-0.9%
Virginia	437,531	421,586	429,419	-1.9%
Virgin Islands	2,291	2,562	2,570	12.1%
Washington	281,557	248,395	279,312	-0.8%
West Virginia	140,008	134,767	136,188	-2.7%
Wisconsin	230,335	204,540	230,337	0.0%
Wyoming	16,221	15,634	16,424	1.3%
Dept. of Defense	3,906	3,966	4,238	8.5%
TOTAL	16,102,096	15,697,434	15,986,008	-0.7%

Participation data are based on average daily meals adjusted by an attendance factor of 0.927. Dept. of Defense refers to children of armed forces personnel attending school abroad.

Data for September and October 2025 are preliminary and are subject to significant change; all data are subject to revision.