

**EGG HARBOR CITY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
Egg Harbor City, New Jersey

**FILE CODE: 3542**

☐ **Monitored**

☐ **Mandated**

☒ **Other Reasons**

**Policy**

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**FOOD SERVICE**

The school lunch program shall make a nutritionally adequate lunch available to every pupil and shall operate on the most economically feasible basis. The chief school administrator shall ensure a wholesome, nutritious food services program in the district and one that reinforces the concepts of good nutrition (see board policy 3542.1 Wellness and Nutrition).

It shall be operated in strict compliance with all laws and regulations pertaining to health, sanitation and safety; internal accounting; employment practices; nutritional standards; costs of lunches; and periodic reporting required by New Jersey law.

The chief school administrator is responsible for the administration and operation of the school lunch program in keeping with federal and state laws and the policies and directives of the board.

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**Key Words**

School Lunch, Food Service, Nutrition, Wellness,

<b><u>Legal References:</u></b>	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:11-1	General mandatory powers and duties
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:18A-5	Exceptions to requirement for advertising
	<u>See particularly:</u>	
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:18A-5a(6)	
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:18A-6	Standards for purchase of fresh milk; penalties; rules and regulations
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:33-3	
	through -5	Cafeterias for pupils
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:54-20	Powers of board (county vocational schools)
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-7.1	
	through -7.2	School lunch program ...
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 2:36-1.1 et seq.	Child Nutrition Programs
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:23A-16.5	Supplies and equipment
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:30-1.1 et seq.	Evaluation of the Performance of School Districts

**Possible**

<b><u>Cross References:</u></b>	*1200	Participation by the public
	*1220	Ad hoc advisory committees
	*3000/3010	Concepts and roles in business and noninstructional operations; goals and objectives
	*3220/3230	State funds; federal funds
	*3450	Money in school buildings
	*3510	Operation and maintenance of plant
	*3542.1	Wellness/nutrition
	*3542.31	Free or reduced-price lunches/milk
	*3542.44	Purchasing
	*4222	Noninstructional aides

FOOD SERVICE (continued)

*5131	Conduct/discipline
9123	Appointment of board secretary
9124	Appointment of business official

\*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.