

The Kitchen Sink

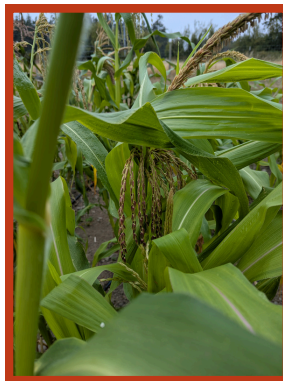
A LITTLE BIT OF EVERYTHING FROM THE CONNECTED FOOD PROGRAM



ON THE SCHOOL FARM

Arwen Norman, School Farm Manager

We are anticipating abundant harvests this fall! Our Farm Team spent the summer tending crops and hosting students from many local organizations including Coupeville Farm to School's Summer Camps. We are excited to welcome back our students to lots of veggies like cherry tomatoes and cucumbers, and the popcorn is looking great for fall snacking!



2025-2026 Child Nutrition Eligibility & Education Benefit Application

Don't forget to complete an applications for Free or Reduced-Price Meals! Approved applications help keep Coupeville Elementary eligible for free meals for all students, fund other programs AND may waive other fees for your family. Applications must be renewed yearly.

It's more than a meal application.

Filling out the School Meal Application may help provide:

- Before and After School Academic & Enrichment Programs
- Free or Reduced Cost Meals for Students at Our School
- Fee Waivers for College Applications & Admissions tests
- Healthy & Nutritious Meals
- Guidance & College Counselors
- Health & Wellness Services
- Resources for Classrooms, Teachers, & Children

This organization is an equal opportunity employer.

How to Apply:
Printed Applications: Available at your school's office
Print Your Own:
www.coupeville.k12.wa.us/departments/food-service
Complete Online: Qmlativ Family Access under "Online Food Service Applications"

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From the Kitchen

Welcome Back, Families! To all of our returning families and those joining us for the first time – welcome! We're so excited to start serving you again and have truly missed seeing your faces over the summer.

Last year, we launched a breakfast program at the secondary campus, and we're thrilled to offer breakfast at both campuses again. We hope you'll take advantage of this great opportunity to help students start their day off right.

We also have some exciting program updates to share. Beginning this school year, Laura Luginbill, our longtime Assistant Director, will be stepping into the role of Food Service Director. Laura has been with me since we started this program six years ago, and her leadership, dedication, and vision have been instrumental in its growth. She is the perfect person to guide our team into the future.

As for me, I'll be transitioning into a new role as Chef/Production Supervisor. This shift will allow me to focus more deeply on improving our kitchen procedures and creating even stronger systems to support our staff and students. Together, we believe this new structure will build a sustainable model that ensures our program continues to thrive for years to come.

We're excited for what's ahead and can't wait to welcome everyone back on September 2nd!

With gratitude,
Andreas Wurzrainer

HARVEST OF THE MONTH



Cucumbers