

Emmett Food Service

Board Report

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MEAL SERVICE IN JUNE/JULY

- Number of Meals provided: 22,402
- Breakfasts Served: 11,113
- Lunches Served: 11,289
- Serving Days: 16
- Family Boxes Distributed: approx. 720



FFV Treats





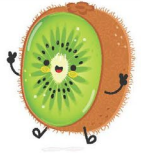
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KIWI

Kiwi is grown in California and Italy in the winter. New Zealand in the spring, and Chile in the summer.





They are sweet, slightly acidic, and a little tangy with hints of pineapple, strawberry, and banana.

Nutrition & Fun Facts

Kiwi is rich in VITAMIN C, having ten times more than the equal weight of a lemon. Two kiwis have more POTASSIUM than a comparable serving of bananas. High in FIBER, it also offers VITAMIN A, VITAMIN E, CALCIUM, and IRON. Those little black seeds act like grains, providing lots of nutrition.

- Kiwi is covered with brown skin with fuzzy little hairs.
- The name is inspired by the Kiwi bird farmers in New Zealand began calling the fruit "kiwi" because the bird has a round body and brown feathers.

What do you get when you cross a dinosaur with a kiwi?
A kiwi-saurus!















COCKTAIL CUCUMBER

Cocktail Cucumbers are grown seasonally mainly in California, Michigan, and Mexico.





They have a mild, sweet, and refreshing taste, similar to a full size cucumber.

Nutrition & Fun Facts

Cocktail Cucumbers are a good source of VITAMIN C which helps keep your immune system strong, FIBER to help with digestion, and VITAMIN K which helps your wounds heal faster.

- They are also known as mini or snacking cucumbers!
- Cocktail Cucumbers are about 95% water, making them a great way to stay hydrated!
- They are parthenocarpic, meaning the vines can produce without the need for pollination!

Cocktail Cucumbers are harvested by picking them off the vines they grow on.



Then they arrive at a sorting facility to pick out the bad ones and get the good ones ready to be shipped.



Then they ride in a truck for hours or sometimes days to get to your school!



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Examples of MEALS Provided

- Chicken Bites
- Pepperoni Rippers
- Italian Pull Apart
- Mini Corn Dogs
- Uncrustables
- Quesadillas

All meals were individually packaged and easy for the child to warm up with minor prep/assembly.

All meals served with fresh/canned fruit
Fresh vegetables
Low Fat milk

FOOD FACTS



- Summer can be challenging for families who rely on school meals.
- Summer food insecurity leaves millions of children without school meals.
- Free summer meals are available for children 18 and younger through the USDA Summer Food Service Program.