# Portland Public Schools Nutrition Services







#### About Us

- ~90 feeding locations
- 9,000 school breakfasts
- 19,000 school lunches
- 1,800 suppers (38 sites)
- 5000 summer meals (~60 sites)
- 23 schools with Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program grants
- Approximately 240 staff SEIU, DCU,
   PFSP, nonrep

#### Stats

#### Values and Vision

- Farm to School
- Local
- Minimize ingredients
- School meals are for everyone
- Remove stigma and stereotypes

#### What does "Local" mean?

Local means 400 miles from Portland. This includes Oregon, Washington, Northern California, and Western Idaho.

# PORTLAND ID OR CA NV

#### Where does the money come from?

Nutrition Services does not receive money from the PPS general fund. The federal government (with some state contribution) provides \$3.39 for each free and reduced meal and 39 cents for each paid lunch sold.



#### Funding

# Distribution and Delivery



#### Facilities and Equipment

- Ovens!
- Warmer
- Service line
- Sinks or dishwasher
  - Not all sites have a dishwasher
- Electrical capacity





# Cafeteria enviroment



#### Purchasing and Menu Requirements

- Foods and menus must meet the USDA requirements
- Each meal has its own nutrition requirements, with different portion sizes and sometimes specific to children's ages
- Purchasing rules
  - RFPs for \$150,000
  - USDA Foods





Lentil Salad in February

#### New this Year – Lentils



Chickpea and Vegetable Indian-style Curry in January

# Mushrooms





# Culturally Relevant and Familiar



Yakisoba

# Beans in USDA Programs



Southwestern Bean and Rice Bowl



Garbanzo + Tomato Salad

Black Bean + Corn Salad





#### **Baked Potato**

Baked Potato with 3 Bean Chili, Cheese, + Roasted Broccoli (all toppings can be optional)



# Help Needed!



FoodCorps Sampling Harvest of the Month Beets

#### Slow Food Volunteer Sampling Roasted Butternut Squash

#### Partnerships

Growing Gardens + NS Staff sampling Kale Salad



# Sampling Costco-Style



#### Thank you!

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