

# Van Buren County Board of Education

Monitoring: <b>Review: Annually, in October</b>	Descriptor Term: <b>Food Service Management</b>	Descriptor Code: <b>3.500</b>	Issued Date: <b>04/19/12</b>
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1 The School Nutrition Program will be operated on a nonprofit basis and will comply with all rules and  
2 regulations pertaining to nutrition, health, sanitation, internal accounting procedures, and service of foods  
3 and will meet all state and federal and local requirements necessary for participation.<sup>1</sup>  
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5 The system's food service supervisor will oversee the program All products and services necessary for  
6 the operation of the school nutrition department shall be procured using the Board-approved procurement  
7 plan which must comply with federal and state purchasing procedures.  
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9 School Nutrition may include the following programs: National School Lunch Program, Fresh Fruit  
10 and Vegetable Program, School Breakfast Program, Seamless Summer Option and Afterschool Snack  
11 Program. Meals and snacks that are offered shall meet the federal requirements for reimbursement as  
12 defined by federal regulations.<sup>2</sup>  
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14 As required for participation in the School Nutrition Programs, the Board agrees to the following:

- 15 1. Meals/snacks must be made available to all students in attendance.
- 16 2. Free and reduced-price meals/snacks must be made available to students who are determined  
17 eligible for these benefits.  
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21 Students will be permitted to bring their lunches from home and to purchase allowable beverages and  
22 a la carte items at school.  
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24 The sale of competitive foods must be in compliance with all local procedures, but at a minimum must  
25 be as stringent as the current federal regulations concerning competitive foods.<sup>3</sup>  
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27 Procedures for implementing guidelines established by the State Department of Education, School Nutri-  
28 tion Program are on file in the district food service procedures manual.  
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37 Legal Reference:

- 38 1. TCA 49-6-2302; 2303
- 39 2. 7 CFR § 210.10-13
- 40 3. 7 CFR § 210.11; OP Tenn. Atty. Gen. 92-54 (September 24, 1992)
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Cross References:

- Deposit of Funds 2.500  
Financial Reports and Records 2.701