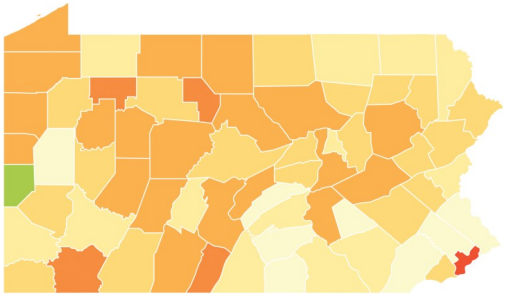
SCHOOL BREAKFAST IN PENNSYLVANIA

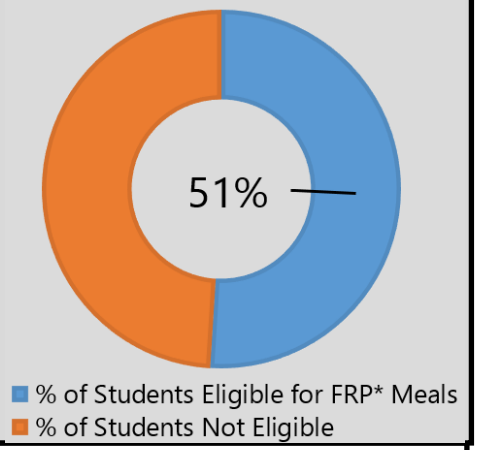
BEAVER COUNTY



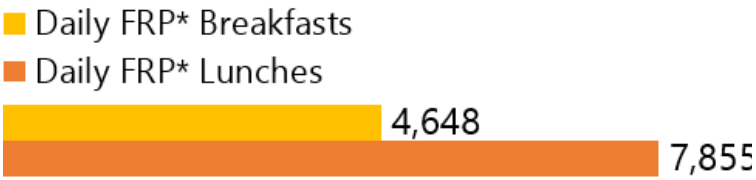
County Totals

- 14 School Districts
- 45 Schools
- 45 Schools (100%) Serve Breakfast

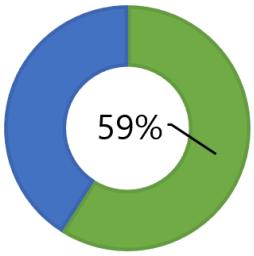
10,638
Total Students
FRP*-Eligible Students



Breakfast by the Numbers



Breakfast-Lunch Ratio:
(Of all the students eating FRP* school lunch, the percent also eating FRP* school breakfast)



*Free and Reduced-Price (FRP) eligibility is 185% of the poverty line and below, which for a family of four is $46,435.

**The "Blueprint for a Hunger-Free PA" includes a goal for PA to achieve a breakfast to lunch ratio of 60% by 2020. Food Research and Action Center (FRAC) promotes a 70% breakfast to lunch ratio goal. (See reverse for citations.)

Benefits of School Breakfast

- Better scores on standardized tests
- Better lifelong eating habits
- Lower risk of childhood obesity
- Fewer visits to the nurse's office
- Fewer behavioral & discipline problems
- Fewer absences, tardy arrivals, and missed class time

Data from the PA Department of Education, October 2018

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School District Totals

School District	Number of Schools	Number of Schools Serving Breakfast	Number of Students	Number of FRP*-Eligible Students	Average Daily Participation		Breakfast to Lunch Ratio
					Breakfast	Lunch	
Aliquippa	2	2	1,055	1,055 (100%)	615	822	75%
Ambridge Area	5	5	2,396	1386 (58%)	649	1,006	64%
Beaver Area	3	3	2,071	419 (20%)	80	258	31%
Big Beaver Falls Area	4	4	1,710	1,710 (100%)	1,013	1,527	66%
Blackhawk	5	5	2,315	632 (27%)	158	414	38%
Central Valley	4	4	2,257	832 (37%)	215	458	47%
Freedom Area	3	3	1,479	662 (45%)	251	488	51%
Hopewell Area	5	5	2,114	670 (32%)	255	468	54%
Midland Borough	1	1	276	263 (95%)	201	218	93%
New Brighton Area	3	3	1,358	1,140 (84%)	527	815	65%
Riverside Beaver County	3	3	1,499	562 (37%)	135	366	37%
Rochester Area	3	3	680	680 (100%)	326	549	59%
South Side Area	2	2	993	308 (31%)	111	229	49%
Western Beaver County	2	2	753	319 (42%)	100	219	46%

**The Governor's Food Security Partnership report: "Setting the Table, A Blueprint for a Hunger-Free PA" can be found at:

http://dhs.pa.gov/ending-hunger/about/blueprint/index.htm

The Food Research and Action Center's (FRAC) "School Breakfast Scorecard, 2017–2018 School Year" can be found at:

http://frac.org/research/resource-library/school-breakfast-scorecard-2017-2018-school-year-february-2019

Note on Methodology:

The average daily student participation data for the 2018-2019 school year were calculated by dividing the number of free and reduced-price (FRP) breakfast and lunches served in October of each year by the number of school days for that same month. The average daily FRP school breakfast participation was then compared to the average daily FRP lunch participation. District totals include individual schools that do not have breakfast programs as long as at least one district school serves breakfast.