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| **Site:** |  |  | Today’s menu: | Number of meals served |
| Grades 6-8: |  |
|  |  | Second meals (*nonreimbursable):* |  |
| **Date:** |  | Adult meals *(nonreimbursable):* |  |
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| **Column 1** | **Column 2** | Column 3 | **Column 4** | **Column 5** | **Column 6** | **Column 7** |
| **Planned menu item** | **Recipe name and number or product name and code** | Planned serving size and number of servings | Temperatures: Take corrective action if not at target temperature | **Total quantity of food used**(e.g., number of servings, pounds, cans, pieces) | **Amount leftover** | **Total amount served** |
| Reimbursable meals for grades 6-8 | Nonreimbursable second meals, adult meals, and a la carte | **Time:** | **Time:** | **Time:** |
| Serving size | Number of servings | Serving size | Number of servings |
| **GRAINS** including meat/meat alternates substitutions *(see notes 1 and 2 on page 2)* |
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| **FRUITS** including vegetable substitutions |
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| **MILK** (At least two different choices of unflavored or flavored low-fat or fat-free milk) |
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| Other foods, e.g., condiments, desserts (Do not count toward meal pattern) |
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| **Instructions** |  |
| **Site** **and** **date**: List the site name and date of meal service.**Today’s menu:** For information on the meal pattern requirements, see the Connecticut State Department of Education’s (CSDE) [Meal Patterns for Grades K-12 in School Nutrition Programs](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Meal-Patterns-School-Nutrition-Programs)webpage and the CSDE’s publication, [*Menu Planning Guide for School Meals for Grades K-12*](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Menu-Planning-Guide-for-School-Meals)*.***Number of meals served:** *Complete this section* ***after*** *the meal service*. Indicate the number of reimbursable meals served to grades 6-8. If applicable, indicate nonreimbursable second meals served to students and nonreimbursable meals for adults.**Planned menu item (column 1):** List all planned menu items under each component. Include all meal choices, types of milk, leftovers, substitutions, and all other food items such as condiments and other noncreditable foods. For more information, see the CSDE’s handout, [*Noncreditable Foods for Grades K-12 in the NSLP and SBP*](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Crediting/NoncredSNP.pdf).* **Note 1 – Grains:** Grains must be whole grain-rich (WGR) or enriched. At least half of the weekly grains must be WGR. Grains must provide the ounce equivalents (oz eq) (applicable weights or volumes) in [*Grain Ounce Equivalents for Grades K-12 in the NSLP and SBP*](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Crediting/Grainsozeq.pdf)*,* or the minimum creditable grains per serving. For more information, see the CSDE’s handouts, [*Calculation Methods for Grain Ounce Equivalents for Grades K-12 in the NSLP and SBP*](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Crediting/GrainCalc.pdf) and [*Whole Grain-rich Criteria for Grades K-12 in the NSLP and SBP*](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Crediting/WGRCriteria.pdf)*.*
* **Note 2 – Meat/meat alternates:** Menu planners may substitute 1 ounce equivalent of meat/meat alternates for 1 ounce equivalent of grains, after offering 1 ounce equivalent of grains. For more information, see the CSDE’s publication, [*Menu Planning Guide for School Meals for Grades K-12*](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Menu-Planning-Guide-for-School-Meals)*.*
 | **Recipe name and number or food product name and code (column 2):** Indicate the recipe name (and recipe number, if available) or name of food product used. Include the form (e.g., fresh, frozen or canned) and packing medium (e.g., canned in juice or light syrup, or frozen with added sugar)**Planned serving size and number of servings (column 3):** Indicate the serving size and number of servingsforall planned menu items. If applicable, include planned nonreimbursable second meals served to students, nonreimbursable meals for adults, and a la carte sales.**Temperatures (column 4):** *Complete this section* ***throughout*** *the meal service.* List each food’s temperature and the time it was taken. Hold hot foods at 135 °F or above. Hold cold foods at 41 °F or below. For more information, visit the CSDE’s [Food Safety for Child Nutrition Programs](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Food-Safety-for-Child-Nutrition-Programs) webpage.**Total quantity of food used (column 5):** *Complete this section* ***after*** *the meal service*. Indicate the total amount of food used to prepare the number of planned meals indicated in column 3. For single-serving items like hamburgers or oranges, record the total number of items or servings prepared, e.g., 100 oranges or 250 servings of breakfast sandwiches. For all other items, indicate the amount of food used with as much detail as possible, e.g., “3 10-lb. boxes,” “2 #10 cans” or “1½ recipes.”**Amount leftover (column 6):** *Complete this section* ***after*** *the meal service.* Indicate the amount of food leftover for each menu item. If the item can be counted, record the number, e.g., 10 oranges. If the item can be measured in volume, record the estimated amount, e.g., “half of a full-size steam table pan” or “2 quarts.” Use consistent measurements. For example, if the total quantity of food used (column 5) is 150 servings of canned fruit, indicate the number of leftovers (e.g., 10 servings), not the weight (e.g., 2 pounds).**Total amount served (column 7):** Complete this section **after** the meal service. Subtract “Amount leftover” (column 7) from “Total quantity of food used” (column 6) to determine the total amount of food served. |

For more information, see the CSDE’s handout, [*Requirements for Production Records in School Nutrition Programs*](https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Forms/ProdRecord/ProductionRecords.pdf), and visit the CSDE’s [Production Records for School Nutrition Programs](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Production-Records-for-School-Nutrition-Programs) website, or contact the [school nutrition programs staff](https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Nutrition/Contact-Information-for-School-Nutrition-Programs) in the Connecticut State Department of Education, Bureau of Health/Nutrition, Family Services and Adult Education, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 504, Hartford, CT 06103-1841.

This form is available at <https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Nutrition/NSLP/Forms/ProdRecord/ProductionRecordComponentsSBP_grades6-8.docx>.



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