



Farm to School Grant Program 2020-21 Awardees

Adams County

Vida Charter School | Award \$1,347.50

Project to Include: Live instruction from Chef John Reis using locally procured foods.

Allegheny County

West Jefferson Hills School District | Award \$9,000

Project to Include: Experiential learning with local beekeepers, indoor soil based and soil-less gardens, and a field trip to a local strawberry farm.

STEMsteps | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Upgrades and repairs to their greenhouse, an accredited staff training, "Engaging with Farm to Early Childcare", field trips and procuring local foods.

Beaver County

Aliquippa School District | Award \$8,810

Project to Include: Creation of a school garden with assistance from Penn State Master Gardeners.

Berks County

Oley Valley School District | Award \$2,373.50

Project to Include: Tastings with local products to entice children to try something new.

Blair County

Tyrone Area School District | Award \$11,662

Project to Include: Developing a robust school garden.

Bucks County

West Rockhill Elementary Garden | Award \$1,500

Project to Include: A school garden to be used for STEM classes, Life Skills classes and Summer Feeding programs.

Butler County

Butler Area School District | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Agriculture training for staff and the creation of a school garden.

Chester County

Treehouse Child Care Services LLC | Award \$5,584.71

Project to Include: Classroom curriculum, a school garden and participation in a local CSA from Vollmecke Orchards

Great Valley School District | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Procurement of local mushrooms and educational materials for meal distributions.

Downingtown Area School District | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Procurement of local foods for cafeterias in five elementary school locations.

Clearfield County

Curwensville Area School District | Award \$9,450

Project to Include: Procurement of local products for tastings and field trip to a local farm.

DuBois Area School District | Award \$14,985.96

Project to Include: Classroom curriculum and experiential learning opportunities at Matson Lumber, Kennis Farms, and Danone North America.

Crawford County

Meadville Family YMCA | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Procurement of local food for the YMCA's feeding program and the formation of a Farm to School Task Force within the community.

Cumberland County

Capital Area Intermediate Unit | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Locally sourced produce from Goodkeeper Farm, classroom activities led by Goodkeeper Farm and field trips to Goodkeeper Farm.

Dauphin County

Bright Futures Learning Center | Award \$ 11,250

Project to Include: Creation of a robust indoor school garden and Green Bronx Machine Classroom Curriculum.

Steelton Highspire School District | Award \$ 14,908

Project to Include: Experiential learning through a school garden and fieldtrips to local farms.

Erie County

U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Classroom curriculum, farm fieldtrip series, and preschool edible garden.

YMCA of Corry | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Partnering with local farms to procure foods for meals and classroom instruction.

Fayette County

East End United Community Center | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Provide students with weekly CSA boxes, classroom curriculum and experiential learning at local farms.

Jefferson County

Creative Garden, LLC | Award \$2,820

Project to Include: Creation of a school garden and procurement of local chicken and eggs for student meals.

Lackawanna County

A Bright Future Learning Center | Award \$ 3,356

Project to Include: CSA participation with Buttercup Farm and the creation of a school garden.

Lancaster County

New Holland Early Learning Center | Award \$10,000

Project to Include: Purchase "Grow It, Like It, Try It" curriculum to implement with a school garden, as well as the procurement of local products for the Center's feeding program.

Lawrence County

LCSS | Award \$10,000

Project to Include: Procurement of local foods and the creation of a school garden that will supply the school kitchen and facilitate experiential learning.

Luzerne County

Diocese of Scranton | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Staff training, a school garden and procuring local foods for a meal distribution to students.

Montgomery County

YWCA Tri-County Area | Award \$3,626.58

Project to Include: Staff training on agriculture and nutrition and classroom curriculum.

Colonial School District | Award \$4,125

Project to Include: Procurement of local food for children at five sites.

Montgomery & Philadelphia Counties

Mi Casita Preschool | Award \$3,217.29

Project to Include: Indoor and outdoor school gardens that will supply the preschools with produce.

Northampton County

Bethlehem Area School District | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: School garden and business instruction to operate a small produce market.

Perry County

West Perry School District | Award \$1,226

Project to Include: Produce tasting with the LEAF Farm and grow your own salad bar boxes for students to supply the school cafeteria.

Philadelphia County

Zhang Sah Martial Arts. Mt. Airy | Award \$10,800

Project to Include: Creation of a school garden and professional development for staff.

Harambee Institute of Science & Technology Charter School | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Development of a school garden with guidance of local farmers and community members.

Methodist Services | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Creation of school gardens with assistance from a farmer.

Acelero Learning Camden Philadelphia, Inc. | Award \$7,950

Project to Include: Procurement of local foods for children in five early childcare-education programs.

Pike & Monroe Counties

East Stroudsburg Area School District | Award \$5,270

Project to Include: Procurement of local foods from Pocono Organics and Gould's Produce and experiential learning opportunities.

Tioga and Bradford Counties

Stepping Stones Preschool | Award \$15,000

Project to Include: Delivery of farm to school curriculum, field trips, staff training and creation of school gardens.

Washington County

Avella Area School District | Award \$1,862.25

Project to Include: Procurement of local fruits and vegetables from Brown's Orchard and Bedner's Farm.

California Area School District | Award \$9,814.94

Project to Include: Red Range Farms will lead a project for students to hatch and raise their own chickens and teach related curriculum.

Westmoreland County

Penn-Trafford School District | Award \$14,000

Project to Include: Procurement of local vegetables for tastings and a field trip to Schramm's Farm.