



Iowa Farm to School Local Purchase Report

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All product published on this report is procured from growers and producers considered local to the state of Iowa and within 30 miles of the border. The data is cumulative for an August through July traditional school year.

	2023-2024	Prior Year 22-23
YTD Local Totals	\$467,530	\$471,123
YTD Local Fruit	\$38,268	\$47,550
YTD Local Vegetables	\$51,988	\$40,730
YTD Local Meat	\$167,381	\$106,450
YTD Local Dairy	\$144,163	\$161,985
YTD Local Miscellaneous	\$65,730	\$114,408

Fruit						
Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Prior Year Wtd Avg	
Apples	Bushel	524	36.00 - 60.00	47.73	44.14	
	Pound	816	1.00 - 2.50	2.02	2.62	
	Each	0			0.30	
	<i>Frozen, sliced</i>	Pound	0			
<i>Cider</i>	Gallon	0				
Aronia Berries	Pound	0				
Melon						
<i>Cantaloupe</i>	Each	401	2.81 - 2.81	2.81	2.81	
<i>Cantaloupe</i>	Pound	1,960	0.68 - 1.37	1.00	0.33	
<i>Watermelon</i>	Each	1,074	5.00 - 10.00	7.59	6.05	
<i>Watermelon</i>	Pound	110	0.88 - 0.88	0.88	0.67	
Pears	Each	0				
	Bushel	6	45.00 - 45.00	45.00	36.86	

Vegetables						
Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Prior Year Wtd. Avg	
Asparagus	Pound	0				
Black Beans	Pound	0				
Green Beans	Pound	225	2.00 - 3.00	2.56	2.00	
Green Beans, Frzn	Pound	2,480	1.70 - 1.89	1.70	2.02	
Beets	Pound	276	1.28 - 2.91	2.07	1.29	
Beets, Frozen	Pound	0			1.99	
Broccoli	Pound	198	2.70 - 2.91	2.78	2.50	
Broccoli, frozen	Pound	0				
Carrots, fresh	Dozen	0				
	Pound	1,890	0.80 - 2.54	1.38	0.90	
<i>Diced, frozen</i>	Pound	840	1.33 - 1.35	1.34	1.22	
Cucumber	Bushel	9	38.00 - 38.00	38.00		
	Pound	2,145	0.80 - 2.65	1.69	1.34	
Eggplant	Pound	14	2.00 - 3.00	2.71		
Leafy Greens						
<i>Cabbage</i>	Pound	933	0.60 - 3.25	0.98	1.04	

<i>Cabbage</i>	Head	105	3.00	-	3.25	3.14	
<i>Chard</i>	Pound	0					
<i>Kale</i>	Pound	0					
<i>Lettuce, blend</i>	Pound	1,004	4.50	-	7.81	5.93	4.80
Onions	Pound	1,823	0.56	-	1.59	0.89	0.55
	Each	10	1.25		1.25	1.25	
Potatoes							
<i>Red</i>	Pound	2,000	0.50	-	0.56	0.50	0.52
<i>Russet</i>	Pound	500	0.50	-	0.50	0.50	0.48
<i>Yellow</i>	Pound	0					0.50
<i>Yukon</i>	Pound	150	0.56	-	0.56	0.56	
<i>Sweet</i>	Pound	240	0.80	-	1.13	0.94	1.76
<i>for processing</i>	Pound	0					0.60
Peppers							
<i>All Peppers</i>	Bushel	9	30.00	-	55.00	49.44	
<i>All Peppers</i>	Pound	1,094	1.50	-	6.00	3.02	1.21
<i>All Peppers</i>	Each	0					
Radishes	Pound	225	1.75	-	2.20	1.93	2.20
Squash							
<i>Butternut</i>	Pound	545	0.68	-	1.89	1.41	0.86
<i>Butternut</i>	Bushel	0					
<i>Pumpkins</i>	Each	0					
<i>Zucchini</i>	Pound	1,020	1.00	-	1.06	1.04	0.96
<i>Zucchini</i>	Bushel	2	38.00	-	38.00	38.00	
<i>Yellow</i>	Pound	0					0.90
Sweet Corn	Dozen	20	6.00	-	6.00	6.00	
<i>Husked</i>	Dozen	0					6.25
<i>Kernels, frozen</i>	Pound	7,443	1.22	-	1.81	1.76	1.43
Tomatoes							
<i>For slicing</i>	Pound	891	2.00	-	3.60	2.80	1.19
<i>Cherry</i>	Pints	114	2.90	-	6.00	3.52	2.96
<i>Cherry</i>	Pound	680	3.20	-	5.00	3.95	3.61
<i>Grape</i>	Pound	648	4.45	-	4.45	4.45	
<i>Grape</i>	Pints	0					
<i>Red</i>	Pound	75	1.60	-	2.00	1.87	2.32
<i>Red</i>	Each	0					

Dairy

<u>Product</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Price Range</u>		<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Prior Year Wtd. Avg</u>	
Cottage Cheese	Pound	3,618	2.39	-	2.71	2.51	2.39
Cheese:							
<i>Cheddar, blocked</i>	Pound	502	6.27	-	7.20	7.01	7.16
<i>Cheddar, sliced</i>	Pound	240	7.50	-	7.50	7.50	6.86
<i>Curds</i>	Pound	1,514	3.65	-	5.20	4.76	4.34
<i>Curds,flavored</i>	Pound	95	4.79	-	6.77	5.08	4.17
<i>Curds,battered</i>	Pound	1,654	6.00	-	6.15	6.01	4.99
<i>Cream</i>	Pound	3,675	2.75	-	4.50	2.99	2.80
Cream	Gallon	48	20.00	-	22.50	20.52	20.00
Milk	Gallon	1,366	3.25	-	5.31	4.19	4.05
Milk	1/2 Gallon	92	2.32	-	2.85	2.67	2.67
Milk	5 Gallon	1,238	15.16	-	19.75	18.26	18.27
Milk	Pint	4,645	1.00	-	1.12	1.11	1.05
Salted Butter	Pound	1,107	4.28	-	7.00	5.10	4.17
Ice Cream	Gallon	216	14.25	-	15.33	15.17	14.31

Ice Cream Bar	Each	0				2.15
Vanilla, soft serve	Gallon	0				6.80
Choc, soft serve	Gallon	0				8.39
Yogurt:						
Bulk	Pound	8,485	1.35	-	1.88	1.53
Greek, bulk	Pound	2,450	1.50	-	2.00	1.60
6 ounces	Cup	204	0.94	-	1.14	1.12
5 ounces	Cup	6,864	0.45	-	1.56	1.40
4 ounces	Cup	8,496	0.56	-	0.83	0.66
Greek, 6 ounce	Cup	708	1.14	-	1.14	1.14
Frozen - 5 ounce	Cup	12,384	1.50	-	1.56	1.53
Frozen	Gallon	350	12.50	-	15.83	13.74

Meat

<u>Product</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Prior Year Wtd. Avg</u>
Beef					
Whole	Pound	0			
Ground	Pound	13,800	5.21	-	7.00
Patties	Pound	8,827	5.00	-	10.00
Chicken					
Whole	Pound	0			2.68
Pork					
Whole	Pound	0			
Butt	Pound	0			2.79
Ground	Pound	25	5.50	-	5.50
Burgers	Pound	0			
Loin	Pound	0			
Picnic Shldr	Pound	0			2.26
Buffet Ham	Pound	0			4.26
Ham, Bnls	Pound	0			
Bacon	Pound	5	10.50	-	10.50
Sausage bulk	Pound	0			3.09
Turkey					
Whole	Pound	0			
Breast	Pound	0			
Thighs	Pound	0			2.86

Miscellaneous

<u>Product</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Prior Year Wtd. Avg</u>
Basil	Pound	0			
Cilantro	Pound	0			9.00
Parsley	Pound	0			
Tofu, Firm	Pound	973	3.37	-	4.90
Honey	Pound	1,877	3.20	-	7.20
	32 oz bottle	0			7.45
Maple Syrup	Gallon	6	70.00	-	75.00
Eggs					
Shell-Large	Dozen	1,277	2.93	-	5.75
Organic-Large	Dozen	0			
Shell-Medium	Dozen	1,380	2.13	-	2.13
Liquid	Pound	10,600	2.40	-	2.40

*YTD may be updated retroactively as more sales are reported.

**Uncategorized items will still be included in YTD.

For more information regarding Iowa Farm to School visit: <http://www.iowaagriculture.gov/AgDiversification/FarmToSchoolProgram.asp>

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