

News & Updates

WPCSD Child Nutrition has applied for a waiver with USDA to operate Offer Vs. Serve for the Summer Food Service Meal Pattern. By utilizing OVS in the Summer Feeding program, it will allow student to decline some of the food offered. The goals of OVS are to reduce food waste in the summer meal program while permitting students to decline foods they do not intend to eat. It would be very difficult if we has to us OVS during summer under the National School Lunch pattern because of the different nutritional requirements for each grade level. USDA regulation 7CFR 225-16(f)(1)(ii), which limits the use of OVS to the SFAs using the NSLP meal pattern,

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