

# The EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme



## Annual monitoring report

2021/2022 school year

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Figures on budget execution (31 December 2021) are preliminary: corrections are possible and payments may still be made.

# 1. Budget execution

## 1.1. Expenditure for the supply/distribution of products (EUR)

	School fruit and vegetables			School milk			Total	
	Fresh	Processed	Total fruits and vegetables	Drinking milk and lactose-free versions	Cheese, curd, yoghurt and other milk products with no added flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	Milk products with added flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa		Total milk and milk products
<b>EU aid</b>	1 250 864	0	<b>1 250 864</b>	2 557 430	148 340	163 409	<b>2 869 179</b>	<b>4 120 043</b>
<b>National Funds</b>	0	0	<b>0</b>	0	0	0	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>of which: Public</i>			<i>0</i>				<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>of which: Private</i>			<i>0</i>				<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<b>Comments</b>								

## 1.2. Expenditure for the educational measures (EUR)

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
<b>EU aid</b>	157 155	366 696	<b>523 851</b>
<b>National Funds</b>	0	0	<b>0</b>
<i>of which: Public</i>			
<i>of which: Private</i>			
<b>Comments</b>			

## 1.3. Expenditure for information, monitoring and evaluation (EUR)

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
<b>EU aid</b>	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>National Funds</b>	0	0	<b>0</b>
<i>of which: Public</i>			
<i>of which: Private</i>			
<b>Comments</b>			

## 2.1 Participating children

	Participating children		
	Number of children	Number of children who participated in the school fruit and vegetables part	Number of children who participated in the school milk part
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	166 345	65 532	165 888
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>			
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>			
<b>Primary schools</b>	490 735	201 785	487 541
<b>Secondary schools</b>	153 348	49 840	151 540
<b>Total</b>	<b>810 428</b>	<b>317 157</b>	<b>804 969</b>
<b>Comments</b>	<i>For primary schools we count all the children in comprehensive schools (classes 1-10). Tehcnically classes 7-10 could be considered secondary school but for the purposes of the scheme this division is more appropriate.</i>		

## 2.2 Number of children in the target group

	Number of children in the target group set out in the strategy
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	
<b>Primary schools</b>	
<b>Secondary schools</b>	
<b>Total</b>	
<b>Comments</b>	



## 2.3 Total number of children

	Number of children eligible for the EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	
<b>Primary schools</b>	
<b>Secondary schools</b>	
<b>Total</b>	
<b>Comments</b>	



### 3.1 Participating schools

	Participating schools		
	Number of schools	Number of schools that participated in the school fruit and vegetables part	Number of schools that participated in the school milk part
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	2 524	959	2 510
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>			
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>			
<b>Primary schools</b>	2 287	940	2 270
<b>Secondary schools</b>	372	113	371
<b>Total</b>	<b>5 183</b>	<b>2 012</b>	<b>5 151</b>
<b>Comments</b>			

### 3.2 Number of schools in the target group

	Number of educational establishments in the target group set out in the strategy
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	
<b>Primary schools</b>	
<b>Secondary schools</b>	
<b>Total</b>	
<b>Comments</b>	

### 3.3 Total number of schools

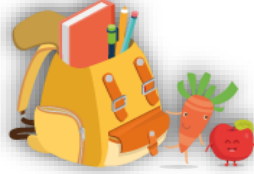
<b>Nurseries/Pre-schools</b>	
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	
<b>Primary schools</b>	
<b>Secondary schools</b>	
<b>Total</b>	
<b>Comments</b>	



## 4.1 Products supplied/distributed to schoolchildren and, if applicable, tasted by schoolchildren as part of educational measures

### 4.1.1 Fresh fruit

	List
Apples	✓
Apricots	
Aromatic Herbs	
Avocadoes	
Bananas	✓
Berries	✓
Cherries	
Citrus Fruit	✓
Figs	
Grapes	
Guavas/Mangoes	
Kiwis	
Melons	
Nuts	
Peaches/Nectarines	
Pears	
Pineapples	
Plums	
Quinces	
Strawberries	✓
Watermelons	
Comments	

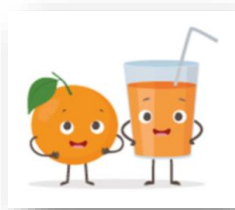


### 4.1.2 Fresh vegetables

	List
Artichokes	
Asparagus	
Aubergines	
Beet	✓
Broccoli	
Cabbages	✓
Carrots	✓
Cauliflowers	✓
Celery	
Chicory	
Courgettes	
Cucumbers	✓
Fennel	
Kohlrabi	
Kale	
Garlic	
Gherkins	
Leeks	
Lettuce	
Mushrooms	
Onions	
Parsnips	
Peas	✓
Peppers	
Pulses	
Pumpkins	
Radishes	
Rutabagas	✓
Salad beetroot	
Salsifis	
Spinach	
Tomatoes	✓
Turnips	
Comments	

### 4.1.3 Processed fruit and vegetables

	List
Fruit Juices	
Fruit Purées/Compotes	
Jams/Marmalades	
Dried Fruits	
Vegetable Juices	
Vegetables Soups	
Other:	
Comments	



#### 4.1.4 Milk and milk products

	List
Drinking milk or lactose-free versions	✓
Cheese and curd	✓
Plain yoghurt	✓
Milk products without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	✓
Milk products without fruit juice, naturally flavoured	
Milk products with fruit juice, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	
Milk-based drinks with cocoa, with fruit juice or naturally flavoured	
Fermented or non-fermented milk products with fruit, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	
Comments	



#### 4.1.5 Other agricultural products that children tasted as part of educational measures

	List
Table olives	
Olive oil	
Honey	
Other:	
Comments	



#### 4.1.a) Priorities for the choice of school fruit, vegetables and milk

	Yes/No	Comments
Local/regional purchasing		
Organic products		
Short supply chains		
Quality schemes		
Fair trade		
Other:		

#### 4.2 Average size of portion of school fruit, vegetables and milk (Kg/Lt)

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Kg	0.03	0.01
Liters	0.00	0.09
Comments		<i>The calculation for school milk/kg is in fact 0,003 but due to the restrictions on the table it is marked 0,01.</i>

#### 4.3 Average cost of portion of school fruit, vegetables and milk (EUR)

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
EU aid	0.03	0.02
National aid (private/public)		
Comments		

#### 4.3.a Average cost of portion of apples in bulk (EUR)

	Portion of apples in bulk
EU aid	
National aid (private/public)	
Comments	

#### 4.3.b Average cost of portion of drinking milk (EUR)

	Portion of drinking milk
EU aid	
National aid (private/public)	
Comments	



#### 4.4. Frequency of supply/distribution of school fruit, vegetables and milk

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Once per week		
Twice per week		
Three times per week		
Four times per week		
Daily	✓	✓
Other:		
Comments	Daily during two application periods 1.8.-31.12.2021 and 1.2.-30.4.2022	

#### 4.5. Duration of supply/distribution of fruit, vegetables and milk

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
≤ 2 weeks		
> 2 and ≤ 4 weeks		
> 4 and ≤ 12 weeks		
> 12 and ≤ 24 weeks		
> 24 and ≤ 36 weeks	✓	
Entire school year		✓
Other: please specify under comments		
Comments		

#### 4.5.a. Supplied/distributed portions

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Number of portions supplied/distributed per child	139	197
Comments		

#### 4.6. Quantities of school fruit, vegetables and milk supplied/distributed and, if applicable, of other agricultural products that children tasted under educational measures

##### 4.6.1 Fresh fruit and vegetables

		Quantity	Of which organic products	Comments
Fresh fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg	1 309 173		
<i>Of which: Fruit</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	<i>470 743</i>		
<i>Of which: Vegetables</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>	<i>838 430</i>		

##### 4.6.2 Processed fruit and vegetables

		Quantity	Of which organic products	Comments
Processed fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg	0		
	Quantity in litres	0		
<i>Of which: Fruit juices</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>			
<i>Of which: Fruit purees/compotes</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>			
<i>Of which: Jams/Marmalades</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>			
<i>Of which: Dried fruits</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>			
<i>Of which: Vegetable juices</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>			
<i>Of which: Vegetable soups</i>	<i>Quantity in litres</i>			
<i>Of which: Other</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>			

##### 4.6.3 Milk and milk products

		Quantity	Of which organic products	Comments
Drinking milk and lactose-free versions	Quantity in litres	12 845 002		
Cheese and curd	Quantity in kg	221 465		
Plain yoghurt	Quantity in kg	214 400		
Milk products without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	Quantity in kg	0		
	Quantity in litres	1 048 600		
Milk products without fruit juice, naturally flavoured	Quantity in kg	0		
Milk products with fruit juice, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg	0		
Milk-based drinks with cocoa, with fruit juice or naturally flavoured	Quantity in litres	0		
Milk products with fruit, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg	0		

##### 4.6.4 Other agricultural products

		Quantity	Of which organic products	Comments
Olive/olive oil	Quantity in kg	0		
	Quantity in litres	0		
Honey	Quantity in kg	0		
Others:	Quantity in kg	0		



## 5.1 Educational measures carried out

		Number of schoolchildren	Comments
Type of measure	School gardens	0	<i>RuokaTutka doesn't have measures that involve school gardens</i>
	Visits to farms, dairies, famers' markets and similar activities	134 250	<i>"Totally eleven remote farm, dairy and farmer's market visit in digital lessons (includes two recordings) for children. Topics were dairy cattle, the journey of milk, dairy, vegetables in farm and markets. Two Youtube-video visits to milkfarm and tomato garden. Combined number of schoolchildren is an estimate based on attendees and YouTube, Facebook, and Instagram viewers and reach of the videos and recordings."</i>
	Tasting classes, cooking workshops, other	89 522	<i>"Two remote school visit digital lessons (includes two recordings) with the theme of Taste School and cooking. Two YouTube videos on what you can make from milk or tomatoes. RuokaTutka enjoy digital classes on taste and basic flavors for school classes. Combined number of schoolchildren is an estimate based on attendees and YouTube, Facebook, and Instagram viewers and reach of the recordings and videos."</i>
	Lessons, lectures, workshops	324 947	<i>"Two digital lesson for children about school lunch and senses. Digital lesson for children about good diet. Webinars and workshops about food education for teacher's has been produced in RuokaTutka. These have potentially reached thousands of children indirectly. In addition to the number of participants, the total number includes the views or reach of social media."</i>
	Other activities: competitions, games, themed periods ...	698 491	<i>"The number includes unique viewers of online games, ThingLink learning environments, theme week materials and other exercises and learning matherial on website and social media, reach of incluncer campaigns on social media and number of nutrition themed printed excercise books sent. RuokaTutka has also approached teachers through online fairs and marketing, print ads and newsletters which have potentially indirectly reached thousands of children. In addition to this number RuokaTutka has been present in schools and daycare centers because of the mandatory poster (approx. 5800 schools/daycare centers that means about 820 000 children ). Note! This is not included in the number of children."</i>

## 5.2 Theme(s) of the educational measures carried out

		Yes/No	Comments
Theme(s)	Reconnection of children to agriculture	Yes	
	Healthy eating habits	Yes	
	Local food chains	Yes	
	Organic	Yes	
	Sustainable production	Yes	
	Food waste	Yes	
	Other: please specify under comments	Yes	<i>Cooking, Tasting, Media education, School lunch</i>



## 6. Communication activities carried out

		Yes/No	Comments
Activity carried out/tool used	Poster at school premises	Yes	<i>Part of the RuokaTutka campaign</i>
	Poster at other relevant places	No	
	Dedicated website(s)	No	
	Informative graphic material	No	
	Information and awareness campaign (TV, radio, social media)	No	
	Others (e.g. networking activities)	No	



## 7. Authorities and stakeholders involved

		Name	Involved in Planning	Involved in Implementation	Involved in Monitoring	Involved in Evaluation	Responsible for implementation / supervision / advice (if yes, please specify for which of those under comments)	Member of Steering / Consultative or Coordination / Monitoring Committee (if yes, please specify which committee or group under comments)	Participation in regular meetings	Events (conferences/seminars, workshops ...) (if yes, please specify which event/s under comments)	Surveys or other information / communication activities, including through web and social media (if yes, please specify which activity/ies under comments)	Other (if yes, please specify under comments)	Comments	
Public authority/ Private stakeholder	Agriculture	Authority	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No		
		Stakeholder	The Central Union for Agricultural Producers and Forest Owners (MTKO)	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	<i>Commented on national legislation.</i>
	Health and Nutrition	Authority	The Ministry of Social Affairs and Health	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	<i>Had the opportunity to comment on national legislation, chose not to comment.</i>
		Stakeholder	The Finnish Institute for Health and Welfare (THL)	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	<i>Commented on national legislation.</i>
	Education	Authority	Ministry of Education and Culture	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	<i>Commented on national legislation.</i>
		Stakeholder	The Finnish National Agency for Education	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	<i>Commented on national legislation.</i>
	Other	Authority	Ministry of Finance	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	<i>Commented on national legislation.</i>
		Stakeholder	Cocomms Oy	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	<i>Carries out/implements the additional educational measures RuokaTutka.</i>