

The EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme



Annual monitoring report

2018/2019 school year

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Figures on budget execution (31 December 2018) 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
EU aid	911.423		911.423	78.316			78.316	989.739
National Funds	58.176		58.176	4.999			4.999	63.175
<i>of which: Public</i>	58.176		58.176	4.999			4.999	63.175
<i>of which: Private</i>								
Comments								

1.2. Expenditure for the educational measures (EUR)

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
EU aid	124.093	70.289	194.382
National Funds	11.043	10.184	21.227
<i>of which: Public</i>	11.043	10.184	21.227
<i>of which: Private</i>			
Comments			

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

	On school fruit and vegetables	On school milk	Total
EU aid	92.047	40.100	132.147
National Funds	18.738	8.176	26.914
<i>of which: Public</i>	18.738	8.176	26.914
<i>of which: Private</i>			
Comments			

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
Nurseries/Pre-schools	93.271	74.817	18.454
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>			
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	93.271	74.817	18.454
Primary schools	189.796	156.757	33.039
Secondary schools	10.353	8.607	1.746
Total	293.420	240.181	53.239
Comments	<i>Nurseries are not part of the strategy</i>		

2.2 Number of children in the target group

	Number of children in the target group set out in the strategy
Nurseries/Pre-schools	264.575
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	264.575
Primary schools	467.059
Secondary schools	20.544
Total	752.178
Comments	<i>Nurseries are not part of the strategy. Only secondary schools for special needs children are targeted. Schools can have multiple establishments of the same (educational) level or of a different (educational) level. This explains why the total number of eligible students is less than the sum of the students in the different levels.</i>



2.3 Total number of children

	Number of children eligible for the EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme
Nurseries/Pre-schools	264.575
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	264.575
Primary schools	467.059
Secondary schools	448.000
Total	1.179.634
Comments	



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
Nurseries/Pre-schools	892	850	204
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>			
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	892	850	204
Primary schools	977	932	211
Secondary schools	57	55	12
Total	1.124	1.837	427
Comments	<i>Nurseries are not part of the strategy. Schools can have different multiple establishments of the same or different (educational) levels (eg. one school can have 1 pre-school and 2 primary school establishments). This explains why the total number of participating schools (1124) is lower than the sum of the schools in each level.</i>		

3.2 Number of schools in the target group

	Number of schools in the target group	School fruit and vegetables part of the scheme	School milk part of the scheme
Nurseries/Pre-schools	2.393	2.393	2.393
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>			
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	2.393	2.393	2.393
Primary schools	2.467	2.467	2.467
Secondary schools	120	120	120
Total	4.980	4.980	4.980
Comments			

3.3 Total number of schools

Nurseries/Pre-schools	2.393
<i>Of which: Nurseries</i>	
<i>Of which: Pre-schools</i>	2.393
Primary schools	2.467
Secondary schools	1.060
Total	5.920
Comments	



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	Yes	
Organic products	Yes	
Short supply chains	Yes	
Quality schemes	No	
Fair trade	No	
Other:		

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

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
Kg	0,14	
Liters		0,20
Comments	average fruit: apples: 0,2 - pears: 0,16 - grapes: 0,1 - mandarins 0,09 - bananas: 0,16 --- average vegetables: 0,10	

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

	School fruit and vegetables	School milk
EU aid	0,28	0,19
National aid (private/public)	0,02	0,01
Comments		

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

	Portion of apples in bulk
EU aid	0,28
National aid (private/public)	0,02
Comments	

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

	Portion of drinking milk
EU aid	0,19
National aid (private/public)	0,01
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		



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	<i>schools may distribute 10 or 20 weeks (depending on the number of disadvantaged students) 62% of participating schools distributed 20 weeks</i>	

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	Comments
Fresh fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg	436.320	<i>Estimation (calculation based on average portions and amount of aid paid)</i>
<i>Of which: Fruit</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>		
<i>Of which: Vegetables</i>	<i>Quantity in kg</i>		

4.6.2 Processed fruit and vegetables

		Quantity	Comments
Processed fruit and vegetables	Quantity in kg		
	Quantity in litres		
<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: 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	Comments
Drinking milk and lactose-free versions	Quantity in litres	83.315	<i>Estimation (calculation based on average portions and amount of aid paid)</i>
Cheese and curd	Quantity in kg		
Plain yoghurt	Quantity in kg		
Milk products without added sugar, flavouring, fruit, nuts or cocoa	Quantity in kg		
Milk products without fruit juice, naturally flavoured	Quantity in kg		
Milk products with fruit juice, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg		
Milk-based drinks with cocoa, with fruit juice or naturally flavoured	Quantity in litres		
Milk products with fruit, naturally flavoured or non-flavoured	Quantity in kg		

4.6.4 Other agricultural products

		Quantity	Comments
Olive/olive oil	Quantity in kg		
	Quantity in litres		
Honey	Quantity in kg		
Others:	Quantity in kg		

5.1 Educational measures carried out

		Number of schoolchildren	Comments
Type of measure	School gardens		
	Visits to farms, dairies, farmers' markets and similar activities		
	Tasting classes, cooking workshops, other		
	Lessons, lectures, workshops		
	Other activities: competitions, games, themed periods ...	752.178	<i>all Flemish schools (including non-participating schools) have access to all the educational measures via the website. Educational tools are designed for children in the target group</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	No	
	Organic	No	
	Sustainable production	No	
	Food waste	No	
	Other: please specify under comments		



6. Communication activities carried out

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



7. Authorities and stakeholders involved

		Name	Involved in Planning	Involved in Implementation	Involved in Monitoring	Involved in Evaluation	How	
Public authority/ Private stakeholder	Agriculture	Authority	Vlaamse overheid - Departement Landbouw en Visserij (Department of Agriculture and Fisheries)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<i>Implementing organization. Part of steering committee + Part of the monitoring and evaluation committee</i>
		Stakeholder	VLAM (Flemish Center for Agro- and Fisheries Marketing)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	<i>Part of steering committee + Part of the monitoring and evaluation committee</i>
	Health and Nutrition	Authority	Vlaamse overheid - Agentschap Zorg en Gezondheid	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	<i>Part of the monitoring and evaluation committee + Part of steering committee</i>
		Stakeholder	Instituut voor Gezond Leven	No	No	Yes	Yes	<i>Part of the monitoring and evaluation committee</i>
	Education	Authority	Vlaamse overheid -Departement Onderwijs	No	No	Yes	Yes	<i>Part of the monitoring and evaluation committee</i>
		Stakeholder						
	Other	Authority						
		Stakeholder						