



Connecticut Farm-to-School Local Purchase Report

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All product published on this report is procured from growers and producers local to the state of Connecticut and within 30 miles of the border. All data has been purchased by school districts for the August 2016 through July 2017 School Year.

2016-2017 YTD Local Purchase Total	\$50,646
2016-2017 Local Fruit	\$49,561
2016-2017 Local Vegetables	\$1,084

Fruit

Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg
Apples				
<i>Whole</i>	44 lb Case	1,716	26.75 - 29.25	28.75
<i>Wedges/Slices</i>	6 lb Case	6	38.25 - 38.25	38.25

Vegetables

Product	Unit	Volume	Price Range	Wtd Avg
Cauliflower	14 lb Case	1	28.00 - 28.00	28.00
Carrots				
<i>Baby</i>	32 lb Case	1	30.50 - 30.50	30.50
<i>Sticks</i>	22 lb Case	3	30.50 - 30.50	30.50
Celery	22 lb Case	3	41.75 - 41.75	41.75
Cucumbers	45 lb Case	1	35.00 - 35.00	35.00
Leafy Greens				
<i>Kale</i>	7 lb Case	2	19.25 - 25.50	19.25
<i>Romaine</i>	12 lb Case	6	19.75 - 19.75	19.75
<i>Spinach</i>	12 lb Case	3	20.50 - 20.50	20.50
Peppers				
<i>Bell</i>	25 lb Case	1	16.00 - 16.00	16.00
<i>Other</i>	15 lb Case	1	20.00 - 20.00	20.00
	25 lb Case	1	14.00 - 14.00	14.00
	30 lb Case	2	21.75 - 25.50	23.63
Squash	22 lb Case	24	13.25 - 19.75	17.70
Tomatoes				
<i>Red</i>	11 lb Case	1.25	22.95 - 27.95	26.95

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

**Uncategorized items will still be included in YTD.

***This report is based on sales through the USDA Pilot for the Procurement of Unprocessed Fruits and Vegetables. Other local food purchases for schools are

not currently being reported for this state.

For more information regarding Farm-to-School visit
<https://www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/local-regional-food>

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