



The following is meant to inform you on the benefits of the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). The need to increase participation in summer meals is necessary. Studies have found that in 2014, 21.7 million children were eligible for the free and reduced lunch during the school year. **Only 3.8 million** of these children used federal nutrition programs during their summer break. The small participation puts these children at risk for gaining weight during the summer. In addition, inadequate nutrition can lead to loss of knowledge and skills which put these children at a higher risk to require re-teaching, which can turn into a financial burden for the family and school. The cost to re-teach a child can be as high as \$1,500. The SFSP is **FREE** to all children and teens under the age of 18.

The Meet Up and Eat Up Summer Food Service Program provides children and teens with healthy, nutritious meals that contain essential nutrients that promote healthier bodies and lifestyles. The sites that provide the summer meals are always safe and local.

For more information, call the Food Service Department at 313-591-7444 or the Michigan Department of Education at 517-241-5374. Below is the information for the SFSP in your community. Thank you.

Kosciuszko Middle School  
2333 Burger  
Hamtramck, MI 48212  
Breakfast 7:30 to 8:00 a.m.  
Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Horizon High School  
3225 Caniff  
Hamtramck, MI 48212  
Breakfast 8:00 to 8:30 a.m.  
Lunch 12:00 noon to 12:30 p.m.

