

# Important School Nutrition Program Dates

## School Year 2017-2018

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>OCTOBER</b>	<b>NOVEMBER</b>
<p><b>-On or Before First Day of School:</b> Application for Free &amp; Reduced Price School Meals and accompanying documents must be distributed to all households</p> <p>1 Second run of Direct Certification (DC) opens</p> <p>12 Managing CEP Webinar</p> <p><b>25-29 Jersey Fresh Farm to School Week</b></p> <p>26 Verification Webinar</p> <p>30 Deadline to submit Application Packet</p> <p>30 Deadline to complete second run of DC</p> <p>30 Deadline for first ASSP onsite review</p>	<p>-National Farm to School Month</p> <p>1 Third run of DC opens</p> <p>1 Verification Collection Report Part 1 opens in SNEARS</p> <p>1 Deadline to submit Breakfast Improvement Plan</p> <p>3 Verification Live Training</p> <p><b>12-16 National School Lunch Week</b></p> <p>15 Complete Civil Rights Form</p> <p>30 Deadline to submit Food Safety Inspection Reports in SNEARS</p> <p>30 Deadline to submit Verification Collection Report Part 1 in SNEARS</p> <p>30 Deadline to complete third run of DC</p> <p>31 Verification Collection Report Part 2 opens in SNEARS</p>	<p>15 Deadline to complete verification process</p> <p>30 Deadline to submit Verification Collection Report Part 2 in SNEARS</p> <p>30 Application packet past due deadline—reimbursement &amp; USDA Foods are in jeopardy</p>
<b>DECEMBER</b>	<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>FEBRUARY</b>
<p>-Begin to conduct Onsite Review(s) for NSLP and SBP</p>	<p>-USDA Foods Show (TBA)</p> <p>-Jet's Eat Right, Move More Application Released</p>	<p>-Conduct Second Onsite Review for ASSP</p> <p>1 Deadline for NSLP and SBP onsite review(s)</p> <p>28 FFVP 50% of allocation should be spent</p>
<b>MARCH</b>	<b>APRIL</b>	<b>MAY</b>
<p>-National Nutrition Month</p> <p>-FFVP Application Opens</p> <p>1 Fourth run of DC opens</p> <p>1 CEP Site Data Collection Form opens in SNEARS</p> <p><b>5-9 National School Breakfast Week</b></p> <p>30 Deadline to complete fourth run of DC</p> <p>31 Deadline to submit CEP Site Data Collection Form in SNEARS</p>	<p>15 LEAs notified of CEP eligibility</p>	<p>-CEP Webinars (TBA)</p> <p>-Complete PLE Tool</p> <p>1 Schools and LEAs eligible for CEP posted on NJDA website</p> <p>15 CEP Application opens in SNEARS</p>
<b>JUNE</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>AUGUST</b>
<p>-New Sponsor Training (TBA)</p> <p>-Direct Certification webinar (TBA)</p> <p>30 SFAs required to conduct a second independent review of applications are notified</p> <p>30 Deadline to submit CEP Application in SNEARS</p>	<p>-Provisions 1 or 2 Application Opens</p> <p>1 Letter to Parent &amp; Application Packet Opens in SNEARS</p> <p>15 First run of DC opens</p>	<p>-Certification &amp; Benefit Issuance Trainings and Webinar (TBA)</p> <p>-FFVP Trainings (TBA)</p> <p>30 Deadline to complete first run of DC</p> <p>31 Deadline to submit Provision 1 or 2 application</p>