



Dorchester County
Public Schools
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SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

Diana L. Mitchell., Ed.D., Superintendent

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Maryland Farm to School Week September 24-28, 2018

Dorchester County Public Schools celebrates Maryland Farm to School Week by offering students locally grown tomatoes, cucumbers, yellow squash, white corn on the cob, broccoli, kale, red apples, yellow apples, and peaches. Farm-to-School programs feature school purchases of food (usually fresh fruits and vegetables) from local farmers. Nutrition lessons are often coordinated with the fresh produce being served for lunch. Programs can also include Ag-in-the-Classroom curriculum, school gardens, food tastings, cooking classes, and farm/farmer visits, all of which get kids excited about healthy food.

Local produce has been secured from Bartenfelder Farms, Blades Orchard, and Dennis Reid Farms.

