Appendix H: Teacher Survey

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TEACHER SURVEY – FFVP SCHOOL

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Your elementary school provides **free fresh fruits and vegetables** to students as snacks – separate from the school meal (breakfast or lunch). Below are statements or questions about the free fresh fruit and vegetable snack program (**FFVP**). Thinking about **this school year and the students in your classroom**, please mark only **one** response to each statement or question, unless instructed otherwise.

		Agree Strongly	Agree Somewhat	Disagree Somewhat	Disagree Strongly	Don't know or not applicable
1.	Students like the FFVP fruits.	1	2	3	4	5
2.	Students like the FFVP vegetables.	1	2	3	4	5
3.	I wish more students took the FFVP fruit.	1	2	3	4	5
4.	I wish more students took the FFVP vegetables.	1	2	3	4	5
5.	Students eat more fruits and vegetables at school on FFVP days.	1	2	3	4	5
6.	Students eat fewer unhealthy snacks at school on FFVP days.	1	2	3	4	5
7.	<i>If not offered daily</i> , the FFVP should be offered more days during the week .	1	2	3	4	5
8.	The FFVP should be offered more times a day.	1	2	3	4	5
9.	I wish the FFVP fruits were better quality .	1	2	3	4	5
10.	I wish the FFVP vegetables were better quality .	1	2	3	4	5
11.	I think the variety of FFVP fruits is good.	1	2	3	4	5
12.	I think the variety of FFVP vegetables is good.	1	2	3	4	5
13.	I think students benefit from the FFVP.	1	2	3	4	5
14.	I think the FFVP is NOT worth the effort it takes .	1	2	3		5
15.	My overall opinion of FFVP is favorable.	1	2	3		5
16.	I would like FFVP to continue in my school.		2	3		5

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17.	If I could change one thing about the FFVP it would be: (<i>Please write in</i>)					
18.	How much of the fruits provided in the FFVP do students usually eat?	☐₁ All or most (>75%)	□₂ Much (50-75%)	□_₃ Some (25-49%)	Little or none (<25%)	□₅ Don't know or not applicable
19.	How much of the vegetables provided in the FFVP do students usually eat?	□₁ All or most (>75%)	□₂ Much (50-75%)	□_₃ Some (25-49%)	Little or none (<25%)	□₅ Don't know or not applicable
20.	I provide nutrition education or food-related activities to students.	Daily or almost daily	□2 Weekly or almost weekly	☐3 Monthly or almost monthly	A few times a year	☐₅ Rarely or never
21.	I verbally encourage the students to eat the FFVP snacks.	Daily or almost daily	□_₂ Weekly or almost weekly	₃ Monthly or almost monthly	A few times a year	☐₅ Rarely or never
22.	Which 3 fruits do students like best in the FFVP? (<i>Please write in</i>)					Don't know
23.	Which 3 fruits do students like least in the FFVP? (<i>Please write in</i>)					Don't know
24.	Which 3 vegetables do students like best in the FFVP? (<i>Please write in</i>)					Don't know
25.	Which 3 vegetables do students like least in the FFVP? (<i>Please write in</i>)					Don't know

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	•	Major Challenge	Minor Challenge	Not a Challenge	Don't Know
a)	Students don't like fruits and vegetables	1	2	3	4
b)	Students waste too much		2	3	4
c)	Messy to distribute and clean up		2	3	4
d)	Inadequate teacher training or information		2	3	4
e)	Inadequate teacher time		2	3	4
f)	Class time interrupted or taken away from student learning	1	2	3	4
g)	Students don't like to try new fruits and vegetables	1	2	3	4
h)	Inadequate quality of FFVP produce	1	2	3	4
i)	Inadequate variety of FFVP produce	1	2	3	4
j)	Inadequate amounts of FFVP produce		2	3	4
k)	Other (Please write in)				
Which of the following is a benefit of the FFVP?		Major Benefit	Minor Benefit	Not a Benefit	Don't Know
a)	Students eat more fruits and vegetables	1	2	3	4
b)	Students are more willing to try new fruits and vegetables	1	2	3	4
c)	Students learn about healthy foods		2	3	4
d)	Students eat fewer unhealthy foods		2	3	4
e)	Improved student behavior		2	3	4
f)	Other (Please write in)				
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THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THIS SURVEY!