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## **Teacher Survey**

Your elementary school provides **free fruits & vegetables** to students as snacks separate from the school meal (breakfast or lunch). Below are statements or questions about the free fruit and vegetable snack program (FFVP).

Thinking about **this school year** and the students **in your classroom**, please mark **one answer** ( ) for each question or statement below, unless indicated otherwise.

|     |  | Agree<br>Strongly | Agree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Strongly | Don't Know<br>or Not<br>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 <b>fruits</b>                                 | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 4.  | I wish more students took the FFVP <b>vegetables</b>                             | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 5.  | Students eat more fruits and<br>vegetables at school offered<br>on FFVP days     | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 6.  | If not offered daily, the FFVP<br>should be offered more days<br>during the week | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 7.  | The FFVP should be offered more times a day                                      | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 8.  | I wish the FFVP <b>fruits</b> were better <b>quality</b>                         | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 9   | I wish the FFVP <b>vegetables</b> were better <b>quality</b>                     | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 10. | I think the <b>variety</b> of FFVP <b>fruits</b> is good                         | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 11. | I think the <b>variety</b> of FFVP<br><b>vegetables</b> is good                  | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |

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for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

|  | Agree<br>Strongly | Agree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Strongly | Don't Know<br>or Not<br>applicable |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 12. I think <b>students benefit</b> from the FFVP  |                   | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 13. I think the FFVP is <i>NOT</i> worth the effort it takes   | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 14. <b>My overall opinion</b> of FFVP is favorable   | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 15. I would like FFVP to <b>continue</b> in my school  | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 16 I <b>verbally encourage</b> the students to eat the FFVP snacks   | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                  |
| 17. If I could change one thing about<br>the free fruit and vegetable snack<br>program it would be:<br>( <i>Please specify</i> ) |                   |                   |                      |                      |                                    |

|   | All or<br>most<br>(>75%) | Much<br>(50-75%) | Some<br>(25-49%) | Little or<br>none<br>(<25%) | Don't know<br>or not<br>applicable |
|---|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 18a.How much of the <b>fruit</b> provided in the FFVP do students usually eat?            | 1                        | 2                | 3                | 4                           | 5                                  |
| 18b.How much of the <b>vegetables</b><br>provided in the FFVP do students<br>usually eat? | 1                        | 2                | 3                | 4                           | 5                                  |

19. How many days per week or per month do you provide nutrition education or food-related activities in your classroom?

|\_\_\_| DAYS

PER WEEK

2 PER MONTH

20. Which of the following factors is a challenge of the FFVP?

|   |               | Major<br>Challenge | Minor<br>Challenge | Not a<br>Challenge | Don't<br>Know |
|---|---------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| a) Students don't like fruits a                         | nd vegetables | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| b) Students waste too much                              |               | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| c) Messy to distribute and clea                         | an up         | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| d) Inadequate <b>teacher trainin</b><br>information     | g or          | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| e) Inadequate <b>teacher time</b>                       |               | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| f) Class time interrupted or t<br>from student learning | aken away     | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |
| g) Students don't like to try n                         | ew fruits &   | 1                  | 2                  | 3                  | 4             |

## Evaluation of the Canned, Frozen, or Dried Fruits and Vegetables Pilot Project in the FFVP Appendix C5b **SURVEY - CLASSROOM TEACHERS**

| vegetables                                   |   |   |   |   |
|--|---|---|---|---|
| h) Inadequate <b>quality</b> of FFVP produce | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| i) Inadequate <b>variety</b> of FFVP produce | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| j) Inadequate <b>amounts</b> of FFVP produce | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

## 21. Which of the following factors is a **benefit** of the FFVP?

|    |   | Major<br>Benefit | Minor<br>Benefit | Not a<br>Benefit | Don't<br>Know |
|----|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| a) | Students eat more fruits and vegetables                           | 1                | 2                | 3                | 4             |
| b) | Students are more <b>willing to try</b> new fruits and vegetables | 1                | 2                | 3                | 4             |
| c) | Students learn about healthy foods                                | 1                | 2                | 3                | 4             |
| d) | Students eat fewer unhealthy foods                                | 1                | 2                | 3                | 4             |
| e) | Improved student behavior   | 1                | 2                | 3                | 4             |

## [SPRING ONLY]

|     |  | Agree<br>Strongly | Agree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Somewhat | Disagree<br>Strongly | Don't<br>Know |
|-----|--|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| 22. | I wish the FFVP offered fresh fruits and vegetables only.  | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5             |
| 23. | Students generally like <b>fresh</b><br><b>fruit and vegetable snacks</b><br>rather than those that are<br>canned, frozen, or dried. | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5             |
| 24. | Students generally like <b>canned</b><br><b>fruit and vegetable snacks</b><br>rather than those that are fresh,<br>frozen or dried.  | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5             |
| 25. | Students generally like a <b>mix of</b><br>fresh, canned, frozen and<br>dried fruit and vegetable<br>snacks.                         | 1                 | 2                 | 3                    | 4                    | 5             |

| 26. I would like the changes made | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| this Spring in the FFVP to        |   |   |   |   |   |
| continue in my school.            |   |   |   |   |   |

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP.