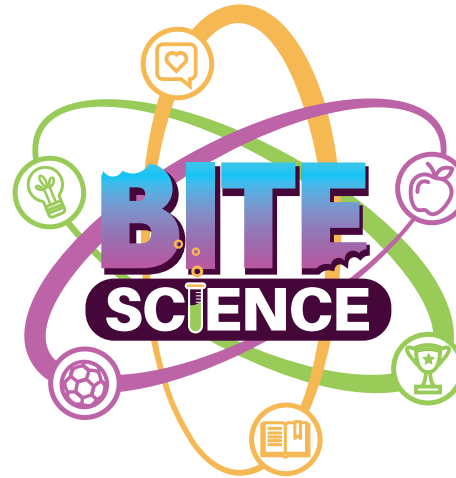


General Manager Overview: Fall 2025



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Welcome

Welcome to an exciting lineup of core promotions, wellness education, scratch-made LTO menu items, and engagement activities scheduled for this fall. Developed in alignment with our 2025-2026 Promotions Planner, each month's featured events are designed to engage and educate students, generate interest, encourage belonging, and increase satisfaction while showcasing the student nutrition program.

For quick reference, this Overview is divided according to month, grade level, and featured promotional content, including:



BITESCIENCE - BiteScience is an innovative science-based nutrition education program that offers students a hands-on approach to understanding how food fuels their bodies and minds and the benefits of balanced wellness habits.



NEW BiteScience Classroom/Lunchroom Activities -

Easy-to-implement activities created to reinforce each month's wellness education focus. Based on district and site considerations, the activities offer fun ways to spark students' imaginations and encourage hands-on participation.



SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES - Students are looking for something new, including fresh flavors and exciting twists on classic meals. Our new Scratch-Made Secondary LTO Menu Features introduce and promote limited-time offerings. These scratch-made menu items showcase the quality and freshness of the ingredients while satisfying students' food cravings and boosting participation.



FRESH PICK - Fresh Pick is a bi-monthly feature that showcases the best seasonal and local produce on school menus. By emphasizing fresh fruits and vegetables, we aim to nourish students with flavorful, nutrient-rich ingredients and promote lifelong healthy eating habits. Highlighting local and seasonal items helps minimize environmental impact, supports nearby farms, and exposes students to the variety of produce grown in their local communities.



NATIONAL FOOD DAYS - National Food Days are themed celebrations highlighting specific foods, such as National Apple Day, National Nacho Day, or Pancake Day. These enjoyable, food-centered events offer an excellent opportunity to break the lunchroom routine, add excitement and variety, boost student engagement and participation, and cultivate a sense of belonging and school spirit.



Our promotions are supported with a full complement of age-appropriate marketing materials created especially for your students. This kit contains print materials (one tube and one corevelope) for your Elementary, Middle, and High School sites. The contents of each are outlined on the following pages. As in the past, additional digital resources are available to enhance the promotions and can be accessed by visiting the Fall Promotions Link at sodexosites.com/2025/fall/k12

Finally, each school will receive a separate envelope containing our new **Segment Value Proposition** materials. These materials will support our value proposition's continuous deployment and integration with both our internal teams and external audiences. A value proposition is crucial to communicate our value and the benefits our clients and customers experience to grow our business and provide the best service possible.

Best of luck in making our 2025-2026 School Year a success.



August



Wellness Focus: Brain Health

Wellness Education:
Back to School BRAIN

Monthly Focus Ingredients:
Blueberries, Leafy Greens, Turmeric, Eggs

Featured Recipe:
Veggie Packed Chicken Biryani (SR5469)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:
Pickled Red Onions (Sour) (SR1276)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:
Brain Food Detective



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Recommended:
8/20 National Lemonade Day

Other Food Days:

8/19 National Potato Day – Feature Smiles/Emojis potatoes with every meal (SR3502)

8/28 National Burger Day – Great day to try a Scratch-made Secondary LTO burger or Back to School Grill-Out

📄 Available to download: [At School SharePoint>Marketing>Promotions](#)



Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:

Blueberries (SR3918/SR1384)
Leafy Green (SR3752/SR2129)
Turmeric (SR3693)

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Elementary School



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Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling

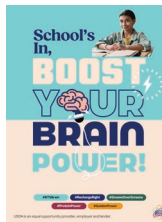


National Lemonade Day (Digital Only)

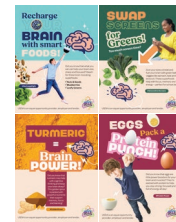


Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



Wellness Poster



Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Lemonade Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



Wellness Poster



Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Lemonade Day (Digital Only)



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Middle School and High School

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



SUMMER BERRY CRUNCH SALAD



HOT HONEY PEPPERONI PIZZA



CHERRY PEPPER CHICKEN SANDWICH

DELI/FAST TAKES:
Summer Berry Crunch Salad (SR5439)
PIZZA: Hot Honey Pepperoni (SR5609)
GRILL: Cherry Pepper Chicken Sandwich (SR5461)

September



Wellness Focus: Brain Health

Wellness Education:
Back to School BRAIN

Monthly Focus Ingredients:
Blueberries, Leafy Greens, Turmeric, Eggs

Featured Recipe:
Veggie Packed Chicken Biryani (SR5469)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:
Pickled Red Onions (Sour) (SR1276)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:
Mind-Body Connection



☆ Available to order on SDXaccess.com



Recommended:

9/26 National Pancake Day
Feature pancakes (SR2010) or serve breakfast for lunch with pancakes. (Bring it up a level and include warm berries (SR2617) as a topping.)

Other Food Days:

- 9/5 National Cheese Pizza Day
- 9/16 National Guacamole Day (SR3990)
- 9/18 National Cheeseburger Day - Great day to try a Scratch-made Secondary LTO burger or Back to School Grill-Out
- 9/22 National Ice Cream Cone Day (Retail ONLY)

📄 Available to download: At School SharePoint>Marketing>Promotions



Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:

- Pears (SR1585)
- Leafy Green (SR3752/SR2129)
- Turmeric (SR3693)

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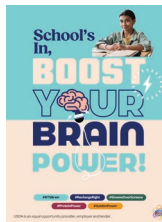


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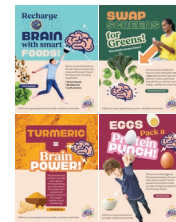


Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



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Featured Recipe



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National Pancake Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



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Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Pancake Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School and High School

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



DELI/FAST TAKES:
Summer Berry Crunch Salad (SR5439)
PIZZA: Hot Honey Pepperoni (SR5609)
GRILL: Cherry Pepper Chicken Sandwich (SR5461)

October



Wellness Focus: Bone Health

Wellness Education:

Spooky Strong SKELETON

Monthly Focus Ingredients:

Pumpkin, Mushrooms, Broccoli, Tofu

Featured Recipe:

Pumpkin Penne Alfredo (SR5431)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:

Sunflower Seed Gremolata (Crunchy/Savory) (SR5623)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:

The Powerful Pumpkin



☆ Available to order on SDXaccess.com



Recommended:

10/20 National Chicken & Waffles Day

Ask for SNM for your regional recipe.

Other Food Days:

10/6 National Noodle Day (SR5431/SR3994)

10/29 National Oatmeal Day (SR1942)

10/31 National Breadstick Day - Feature a Mummy Dog (SR5463/SR1119)

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Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:

Pumpkin (SR1664)

Mushrooms (SR1843)

Broccoli (SR1274)

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Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Chicken & Waffles Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



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Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Chicken & Waffles Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



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Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Chicken & Waffles Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School and High School

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



DELI/FAST TAKES:
Spicy Turkey Sub (SR5440)

PIZZA: Pumpkin Alfredo Pizza (SR5452)

GRILL: Sunbutter & Jalapeño Cheddar Burger (SR5460)

November



Wellness Focus: National Gratitude Month

Wellness Education:

Have an Attitude of GRATITUDE

Monthly Focus Ingredients:

Cranberries, Sweet Potatoes, Potatoes

Featured Recipe:

Pumpkin Penne Alfredo (SR5431)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:

Sunflower Seed Gremolata (Crunchy/Savory) (SR5623)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:

Bog To Bite: A Berry Big Adventure

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Elementary School



Wellness Poster



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Nacho Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



Wellness Poster



Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Nacho Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



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Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Nacho Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)



Recommended:

11/6 National Nacho Day -

Feature your school's favorite nachos.

Other Food Days:

11/3 National Sandwich Day -

Feature your school's favorite sandwich

Holiday Meal

Feature a holiday meal before Thanksgiving. Multiple recipes are available to support based on preferences.

Ⓢ Available to download: At School SharePoint>Marketing>Promotions



Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:

Cranberries (SR1889/SR1727)

Sweet Potatoes (SR2277)

Potatoes (SR2609)

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Middle School and High School

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



DELI/FAST TAKES:
Spicy Turkey Sub (SR5440)

PIZZA: Pumpkin Alfredo Pizza (SR5452)

GRILL: Sunbutter & Jalapeño Cheddar Burger (SR5460)

December



Wellness Focus: Moods

Wellness Education:

Feeling blue? Grab some MOOD food to chew

Monthly Focus Ingredients:

Bananas, Berries, Oats, Yogurt

Featured Recipe:

Thai Chicken & Pineapple Fried Rice (SR5766)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:

Lime Wedge (Citrus/Bitter) (SR1283)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:

Feed The Food To Match The Mood

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Elementary School



Wellness Poster



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



Eat a Red Apple Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



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Featured Recipe



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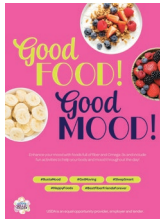


Eat a Red Apple Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



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Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



Eat a Red Apple Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)



Recommended:

12/1 Eat a Red Apple Day – Feature fresh red apples.

Other Food Days:

12/4 National Cookie Day

12/5 National Comfort Food Day – Feature your district's favorite comfort food or one of these suggestions:

Mac & Cheese, Meatloaf, Shepherd's Pie, Pot Pie

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Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:

Bananas (SR1591/SR3613)

Berries (SR2554/SR3613)

Oats (SR1942)

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DECEMBER/JANUARY SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



SESAME GINGER NOODLE SALAD



PIZZA BIANCA



CHICKEN KATSU SANDWICH

DELI/FAST TAKES:
Sesame Ginger Noodle Salad (SR5835)
PIZZA: Pizza Bianca (SR5453)
GRILL: Chicken Katsu Sandwich (SR4661)

January



Wellness Focus: Eye Health

Wellness Education:
EYE see a Bright Future

Monthly Focus Ingredients:
Carrots, Citrus, Lean Protein, Eggs

Featured Recipe:
Thai Chicken & Pineapple Fried Rice (SR5766)

Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost:
Lime Wedge (Citrus/Bitter) (SR1283)

Classroom/Lunchroom Activity:
Eye See An Eye Healthy Plate



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Elementary School



Wellness Poster



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Granola Bar Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

Middle School



Wellness Poster



Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Granola Bar Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)

High School



Wellness Poster



Wellness Mini Posters



Featured Recipe



Anatomy Of Taste Flavor Boost Cling



National Granola Bar Day (Digital Only)



Fresh Pick (Digital Only)



Recommended:
1/21 National Granola Bar Day (Retail Only)

Other Food Days:

1/16 International Hot & Spicy Food Day - Feature a Nashville Hot Chicken Sandwich or one of the "spicy" or "hot" Scratch-made Secondary LTOs like the Spicy Turkey Sub or Hot Honey Pepperoni Pizza

☆ Available to download: At School SharePoint>Marketing>Promotions



Fresh Pick

Minimum 2x per month:
Carrots (SR1540)
Citrus (SR2063/SR1131)
Pineapple (SR3689/SR3682)

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Middle School and High School

DECEMBER/JANUARY SCRATCH-MADE LTO MENU FEATURES



Optional For Elementary Sites



DELI/FAST TAKES:
Sesame Ginger Noodle Salad (SR5835)
PIZZA: Pizza Bianca (SR5453)
GRILL: Chicken Katsu Sandwich (SR4661)