Summary of USDA regulations on Geographic Preference

Local

Minimally Processed

Unprocessed agricultural products retain their inherent character.

Applies To

This

Not This

Products, not vendors

Defined by the School District

Frozen Sliced Washed Packaged Dried **Pasteurized**

Cooked Heated Canned **Pickled**

What products are allowable?

















Fruits

Vegetables

Meats - Including fresh or unprocessed frozen

Fish - Including whole, form, filets or nuggets that contain no additives or fillers

Poultry -Including whole, form, or various cuts

Dairy - Unflavored fluid milk is allowed, but flavored milk or any processed dairy products such as yogurt, cheeses, etc. is not

Eggs

Grains - Including quinoa, rice, barley, etc. in whole form and other grains in ground form such as flour

For more information see **USDA** memos: SP 18-2011 & SP 03-2013 products and formed products, such as patties, that contain no additives or fillers