

Plant Based Meals Grant

Form Package 245



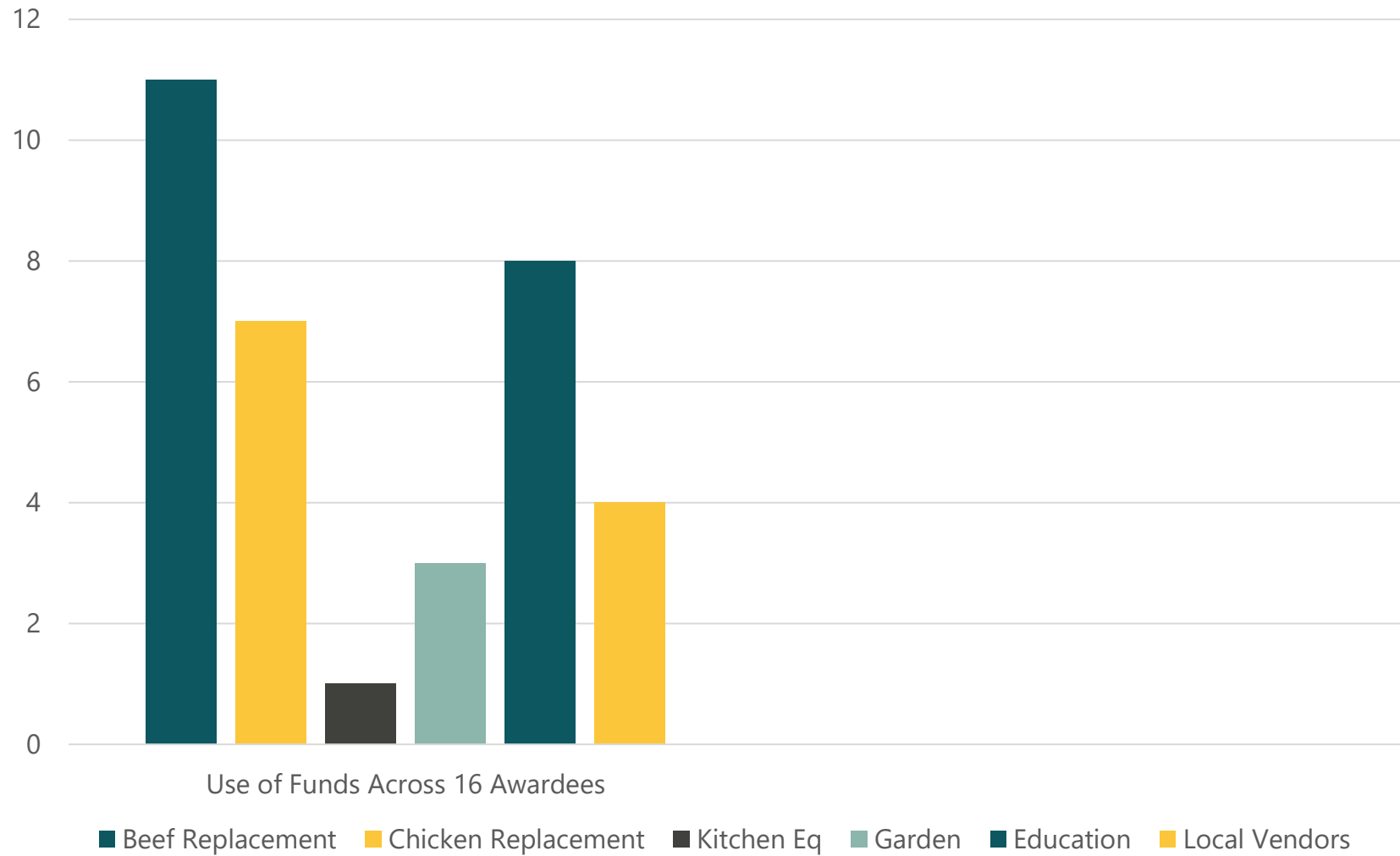
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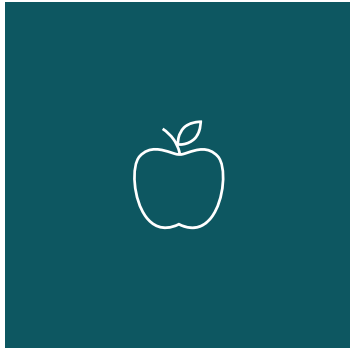
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Common Use of Funds



Bainbridge Island School District



Use of Funds

- Develop plant-based burger
- Elementary school taste test of salad using local farm lettuce
- Supplies to restart school gardens

Continuing Goals

Supply entire district with fresh, plant-based food from local farms & make it a permanent part of the menu

Students Impacted

3500 students in the district were able to have fresh, plant-based meals



Bellevue School District



Use of Funds

- Plant-based entrees; Impossible Burgers & Kickin' Tenders, featured twice this spring.
- Supported local vendor Rebellious Foods that supplied the Kickin' tenders

Continuing Goals

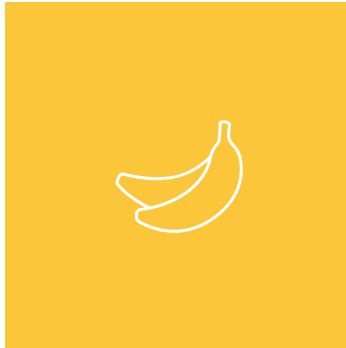
Students at the elementary school preferred the plant-based tenders to regular meat, so vegetarian students can be fed while also satisfying meat-eating students.

Students Impacted

4,926 students had the Kickin' Tenders
4,052 students had the Impossible Meat



Coupeville School District



Use of Funds

- 6 new recipes developed & tested
- 2,512 new lunch menu items served
- Created black bean brownies
- 760 students participated in garden/farm-based lessons

Continuing Goals

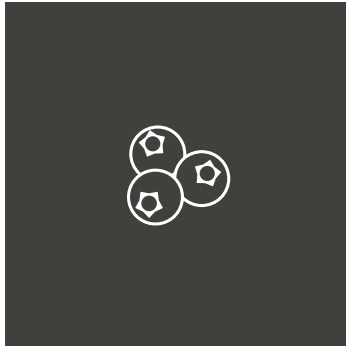
- Boin's Beans – planted in the spring by 4th graders and harvested in the fall by 5th graders, then served at lunch.
- New recipes created and served by Chef Andreas

Students Impacted

950 students impacted by grant funds



East Valley Yakima School District



Use of Funds

- Served vegan options
- Pay additional staff to prep plant-based meals

Continuing Goals

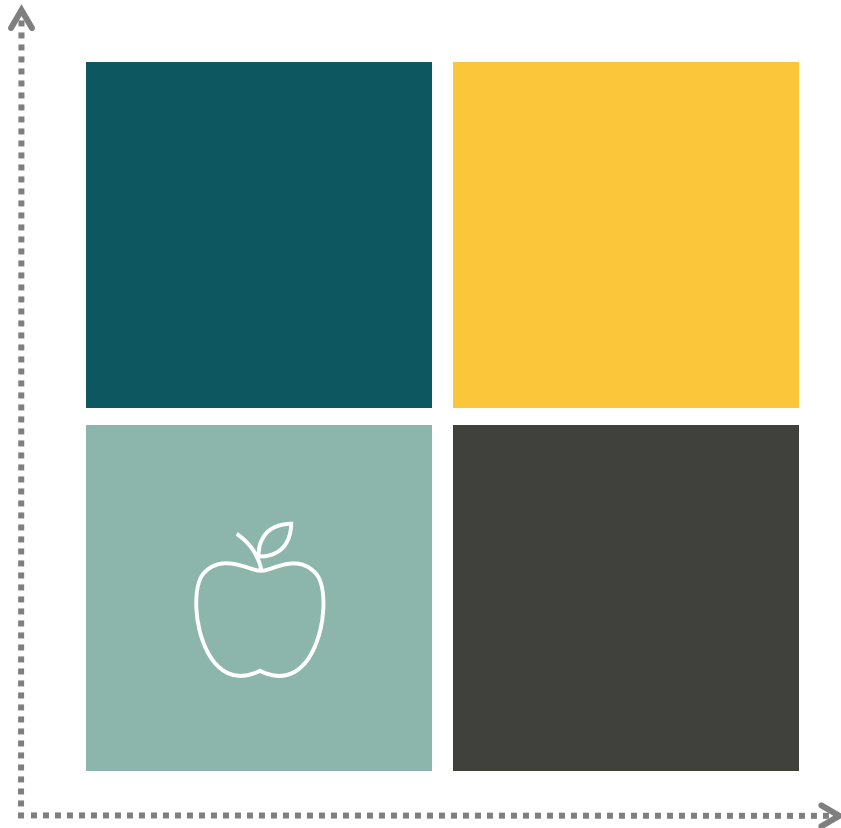
Increased lunch participation. More variety in healthy lunch options that students are excited about.

Students Impacted

2,074 students eating plant-based meals at lunch.



Enumclaw School District



Use of Funds

Taste test of plant-based patties & provided students with education about the benefits of plant-based food.

Continuing Goals

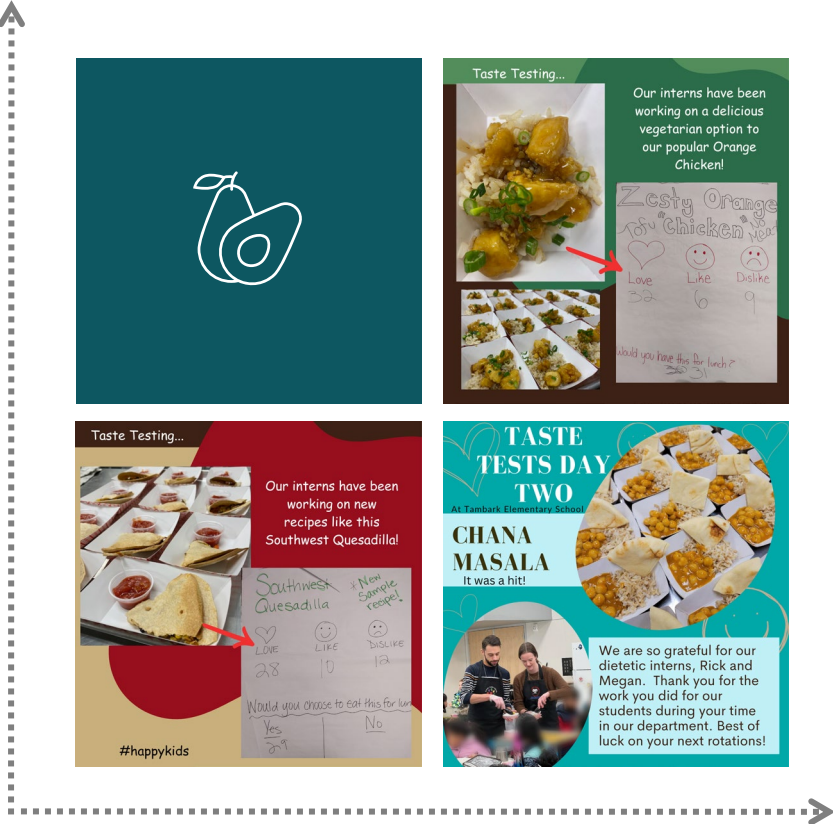
Serve more plant-based options that are preferred by the students.

Students Impacted

- 1200 Elementary students
- 300 high school students



Everett School District



Use of Funds

- Taste tests
- Plant-based Entrees
- Internal recipe development
- Pre-order app

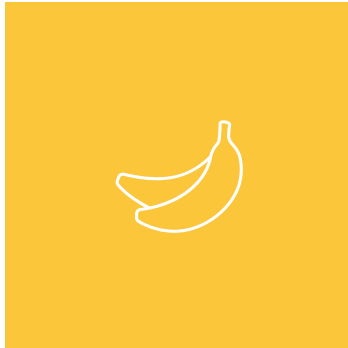
Continuing Goals

Recipe Standardization and more taste testing, Hoping to roll out plant-based meals district-wide. Creation and implementation of 'Pre-Order' app for plant-based foods

Students Impacted

- 2,757 tried Impossible burgers
- 5,279 tried black bean burgers
- 2,035 tried meatless chicken nuggets
- 9,761 tried Ripple plant-based milk
- 19,548 tried soy milk

McCleary School District



Use of Funds

- Plant-based sides and entrees
- Make it Try Day Tuesday
- Lessons on plant-based foods

Continuing Goals

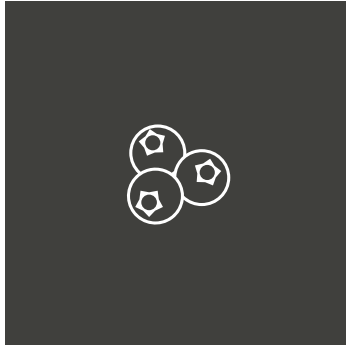
Continue to serve more plant-based options that students are excited about.

Students Impacted

200 students tried plant-based foods



Mead School District



Use of Funds

- Taste test of plant-based nuggets
- Served Believe-it Burrito Bowls
- Nutrition Education presentation by University of Idaho intern
- ProStart students received chef's knives

Continuing Goals

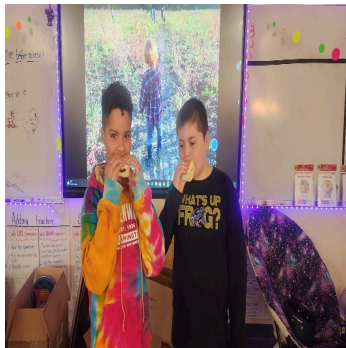
Recipe production and serving more plant-based options.

Students Impacted

- 2,995 students tried Impossible nuggets
- 250 burrito bowls served at the high school with positive feedback



Oakville School District



Use of Funds

- Taste tests
- Grab N Go lunch packs of hummus at lunch, a huge hit
- Foods offered: black bean burgers, hummus, vegan sausage patties, vegan burgers, egg plant parmesan

Continuing Goals

Continue to offer plant-based items on menus to bring a variety of options to students and continue educating students on nutritional growth.

Students Impacted

350 students district wide



Port Townsend School District



Use of Funds

- Plant based takeover, featured in local paper
- Purchase equipment for garden production
- Staff attended vegan cooking classes

Continuing Goals

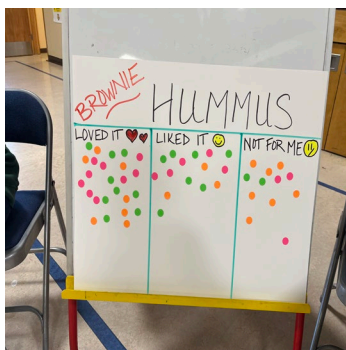
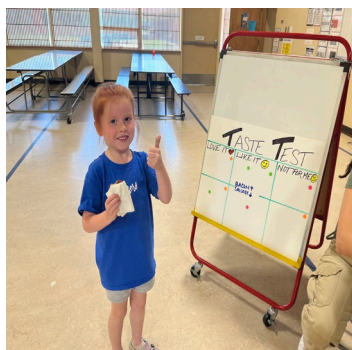
Expanded school garden production. Professional development to expand skill set and provide more plant-based recipes. Recognized by County Health Department 'Heroe's Award' for improving nutritional well-being of students.

Students Impacted

About 1200 students



Prescott School District



Use of Funds

- Tasting tables
- Expansion of plant-based options
- Nutrition education materials

Continuing Goals

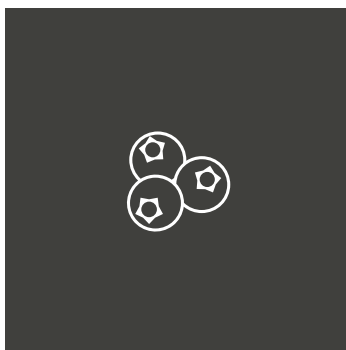
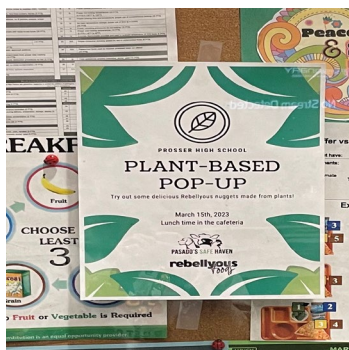
Ability to offer more plant-based menu options on a permanent basis. Continue with student led committee and building connections.

Students Impacted

About 250



Prosser School District



Use of Funds

- Taste test of Rebellyous foods
- Served vegetarian hamburgers, vegetarian chicken patties and nuggets, and shaker salads.

Continuing Goals

More recipe development and regularly adding more plant-based options to the menu to better serve the students with plant-based preferences. Offering even more fruit and vegetables options for the elementary school.

Students Impacted

- 300 students tried the salad bar at the elementary school
- 300 students participated in the taste test at the high school



Seattle School District



Use of Funds

- Worked with Kikkoman to create a plant-based Thai lettuce wrap, create a video of the production and nutrition education, and share out to students.
- Served plant-based Bolognese, tacos, and more.

Continuing Goals

Continue to serve the sweet Thai lettuce wraps and other plant-based items district wide.

Students Impacted

20,000 students district wide



Selah School District



Use of Funds

- Plant-based nuggets
- Taste tests and student feedback
- Nutrition education in partnership with CWU Dietetic interns

Continuing Goals

Plant-based nuggets will be a permanent menu item. Overall plant-based entrees will be offered more often.

Students Impacted

3,600 students district-wide
3,200 students chose vegetable flatbreads



Wahluke School District



Use of Funds

- Added 4 Robot Coupe machines for prepping fresh fruits and vegetables
- Purchase Beyond Meat to serve patties and crumbles
- Purchase local apples from K&C Farms

Continuing Goals

Recipe development to continue to offer plant-based options that students enjoy. Expansion of salad bar with Robot Coupe machines.

Students Impacted

1,800 students tried plant-based meals
2,200 students received local apples



West Valley Yakima School District



Use of Funds

- Grab N Go plant-based options
- Serve black bean burgers and meat-less nuggets
- Weekly roasted vegetables

Continuing Goals

Meatless Mondays in the new school year with student especially excited for tamales.

Students Impacted

- 1,223 student enjoyed green chile tamales for Cinco de Mayo
- 2,528 students taste tested tofu pudding
- 900 students tried vegetarian nachos
- 1,000 students has roasted asparagus

