

Texas State Profile: Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

Congress founded the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) in 2002 to expose low income elementary students to a wider variety of fresh fruits and vegetables. The program is overwhelmingly popular with schools, parents, and students – and extensive evaluation has shown that the program can reduce obesity rates and increase consumption both within the snack program and at school lunch.

Today, 7,600 schools reaching four million students participate in FFVP!

2018-2019 School Year

Number of Schools	School District
1	Belton
29	San Antonio
3	Texarkana
5	Harlingen
1	Port Isabel
1	Rio Hondo
8	San Benito
1	Santa Maria
1	Santa Rosa
1	Ralls
56	Dallas
21	El Paso
2	Fabens
4	San Elizario
2	Canutillo
1	Vinton
2	Tornillo
1	Marlin
1	Dilley
1	Brownsville
43	Houston
1	Karnack
13	Donna
3	Alamo
2	Edcouch
8	McAllen
3	Mercedes
4	Pharr
2	Progreso

8	Weslaco
1	La Villa
1	Monte Alto
2	Crockett
1	Port Arthur
3	Alice
1	Runge
1	Kingsville
9	Lubbock
1	Jefferson
1	Waco
4	Corpus Christi
3	Robstown
1	Clarksville
1	Refugio
3	Aransas Pass
1	Odem
2	Sinton
1	Taft
6	Roma
10	Forth Worth
1	Mount Pleasant
8	Austin
1	Placedo
1	Hempstead
21	Laredo
1	Lasara
1	Lyford
2	Raymondville
1	San Ygnacio
1	Zapata
2	Crystal City