

Farm to School Resources

Purchasing Michigan Products: A Step By Step Guide

<http://www.mifarmtoschool.msu.edu/assets/farmToSchool/docs/MIFTS_Purchasing_Guide.pdf> This is specifically for Food Service Directors. <http://www.mifarmtoschool.msu.edu/index.php?q=guide>
<<http://www.mifarmtoschool.msu.edu/index.php?q=guide>> (this website has some great resources that are also on our site, but easier to find here!)

* Bearing Fruit: Farm to School Impacts and Evaluation resource :

<http://departments.oxy.edu/uepi/cfj/bearingfruit.htm> <<http://departments.oxy.edu/uepi/cfj/bearingfruit.htm>>

* Introductory Farm to School brochure now available:

http://www.farmtoschool.org/files/publications_198.pdf

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* Farm to School in the Northeast: great document on how to get started with assessments, checklists, etc.

http://farmtoschool.cce.cornell.edu/files/all/fts_toolkit_oct07_print_version_new_1.pdf

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* New Jersey's Quick Steps to Fruits and Vegetables Toolkit New Jersey Department of Agriculture's

Team Nutrition Project: <http://www.nj.gov/agriculture/divisions/fn/pdf/frt&vegtoolkit.pdf>

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This toolkit was designed to be a cooperative project and extend the experience of increased fruit and vegetable consumption into the classroom, school cafeteria and at home. This program can be implemented in many different ways based on your school's needs and desires.

* How Local Farmers and School Food Service Buyers Are Building Alliances Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service: <http://attra.ncat.org/attra-pub/farmtoschool.html> <<http://attra.ncat.org/attra-pub/farmtoschool.html>>

* And to witness what farm to school programs are all about:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a4rlXUmzOwE> <<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a4rlXUmzOwE>>