



Local Food Purchasing:

School Nutrition purchases local food for school nutrition programs

**purchase from farmers who identify as historically underutilized businesses*



Local Food Recipes and Taste Tests:

Local food recipes are used in school nutrition programs and taste tests expose students to local foods.

**share POC cultural history and current food traditions*



Farmer and Food partners:

Students are connected to farmers and experience school visits from farmers or farm field trips

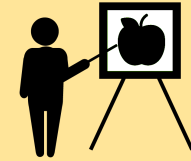
**partner with farmers who identify as historically underutilized businesses, exploring knowledge & history of POC agriculture*



Healthy, Local Food Environment:

Schools engage in programs and promotions for healthy school and community environments

**display images of current POC and women farmers and the rich cultural history of POC farmers*



Training:

F2s trainings offered, attended, and supported

**attend, support, offer trainings in Racial Equity to teachers and farm to school partners focusing on how to bring a racial equity lens to farm to school work*



Classroom Curriculum:

Lessons offer Food Systems; Agriculture; Food, Nutrition, Health, and Wellbeing

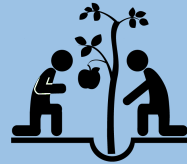
**teach the knowledge & history of POC food and agriculture*



Hands on Cooking:

Students are connected to hands-on cooking of local foods and safe food preparation

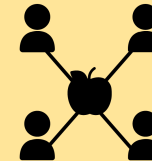
**explore POC cultural history and current food traditions and cooking practices*



Hands on Gardening:

Edible gardens located on school grounds or nearby are used by classes

**explore different plants related to cultural growing, foodways, or medicine practices*



Community Engagement:

Schools and/or LEAs engage community partners in farm to school activities

**prioritize POC leadership and collective work in working with community members*



Policy:

Farm to school is explicitly include in school and LEA-level written policies /practices

**address racial equity at the school board level and develop school-centered resiliency strategies for emergency times*



Racial Equity:

Visibility of equity principles related to farm to school, across criteria: racial equity addressed in policies, educational practices, and school environment;

**RE example possibilities in each category, such as engaged in reducing community hunger, food waste programs, response to disaster relief.*

*Please share how YOU address RE across farm to school efforts! **POC stands for people of color*