

**North Carolina Food and Nutrition Services Participation Report
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Alamance	8,041	38.71%	9,378	45.14%	11,015	53.02%	12,302	59.22%	15,687	75.51%	16,212	78.04%	4,563	20,775	8,171	525
Alexander	2,821	66.61%	3,218	75.99%	3,376	79.72%	3,396	80.19%	4,261	100.61%	4,422	104.42%	-187	4,235	1,601	161
Alleghany	966	42.54%	1,069	47.07%	1,069	47.07%	1,197	52.71%	1,335	58.78%	1,382	60.85%	889	2,271	416	47
Anson	4,188	74.73%	4,484	80.01%	4,559	81.35%	4,849	86.53%	5,240	93.50%	5,236	93.43%	368	5,604	1,048	-4
Ashe	2,131	42.67%	2,363	47.32%	2,389	47.84%	2,596	51.98%	3,232	64.72%	3,378	67.64%	1,616	4,994	1,247	146
Avery	1,187	33.85%	1,319	37.61%	1,192	33.99%	1,340	38.21%	1,819	51.87%	1,906	54.35%	1,601	3,507	719	87
Beaufort	5,550	48.93%	6,095	53.73%	6,039	53.24%	6,258	55.17%	6,995	61.67%	6,941	61.19%	4,402	11,343	1,391	-54
Bertie	4,028	66.40%	4,115	67.84%	4,171	68.76%	4,037	66.55%	4,456	73.46%	4,507	74.30%	1,559	6,066	479	51
Bladen	5,519	61.04%	5,492	60.74%	5,460	60.38%	5,758	63.68%	6,055	66.97%	6,120	67.68%	2,922	9,042	601	65
Brunswick	6,986	51.59%	7,053	52.09%	7,447	55.00%	8,232	60.79%	10,250	75.70%	10,801	79.77%	2,740	13,541	3,815	551
Buncombe	17,675	51.73%	18,678	54.66%	19,148	56.04%	20,119	58.88%	24,040	70.35%	25,180	73.69%	8,990	34,170	7,505	1,140
Burke	7,971	55.39%	8,747	60.78%	8,896	61.82%	9,042	62.83%	10,971	76.24%	11,335	78.76%	3,056	14,391	3,364	364
Cabarrus	11,251	77.04%	12,848	87.97%	12,990	88.94%	14,033	96.08%	16,687	114.26%	17,357	118.84%	-2,752	14,605	6,106	670
Caldwell	8,911	73.61%	9,644	79.67%	9,885	81.66%	10,089	83.35%	12,302	101.63%	12,637	104.39%	-532	12,105	3,726	335
Camden	498	53.15%	566	60.41%	492	52.51%	589	62.86%	650	69.37%	662	70.65%	275	937	164	12
Carteret	3,705	40.79%	3,939	43.36%	4,064	44.74%	4,896	53.90%	6,175	67.98%	6,454	71.05%	2,630	9,084	2,749	279
Caswell	3,249	78.38%	3,494	84.29%	3,616	87.24%	3,528	85.11%	3,964	95.63%	4,023	97.06%	122	4,145	774	59
Catawba	12,854	69.00%	14,314	76.83%	14,986	80.44%	15,980	85.78%	19,916	106.90%	20,505	110.06%	-1,875	18,630	7,651	589
Chatham	2,739	39.25%	2,872	41.16%	2,948	42.25%	3,344	47.92%	3,991	57.19%	4,092	58.64%	2,886	6,978	1,353	101
Cherokee	2,139	39.28%	2,162	39.71%	2,263	41.56%	2,522	46.32%	3,407	62.57%	3,611	66.32%	1,834	5,445	1,472	204
Chowan	2,062	59.89%	2,226	64.65%	2,251	65.38%	2,267	65.84%	2,643	76.76%	2,625	76.24%	818	3,443	563	-18
Clay	912	58.02%	966	61.45%	997	63.42%	1,222	77.74%	1,665	105.92%	1,743	110.88%	-171	1,572	831	78
Cleveland	13,632	77.14%	14,430	81.65%	14,410	81.54%	14,965	84.68%	17,661	99.94%	18,208	103.03%	-536	17,672	4,576	547
Columbus	8,788	51.79%	9,510	56.04%	9,525	56.13%	9,531	56.16%	10,660	62.82%	10,788	63.57%	6,182	16,970	2,000	128
Craven	7,603	47.43%	8,180	51.03%	8,785	54.81%	9,414	58.73%	11,033	68.83%	11,274	70.34%	4,755	16,029	3,671	241
Cumberland	34,641	65.90%	36,938	70.27%	39,216	74.61%	40,283	76.64%	46,966	89.35%	47,129	89.66%	5,434	52,563	12,488	163
Currituck	1,088	36.96%	1,216	41.30%	1,220	41.44%	1,445	49.08%	1,865	63.35%	1,929	65.52%	1,015	2,944	841	64
Dare	756	22.51%	955	28.44%	1,180	35.14%	1,370	40.80%	1,897	56.49%	2,065	61.49%	1,293	3,358	1,309	168
Davidson	13,927	64.09%	15,206	69.97%	16,130	74.23%	17,269	79.47%	21,239	97.74%	21,740	100.04%	-9	21,731	7,813	501
Davie	1,848	41.04%	2,366	52.54%	2,634	58.49%	2,910	64.62%	3,578	79.46%	3,780	83.94%	723	4,503	1,932	202
Duplin	5,047	37.13%	5,484	40.34%	5,366	39.48%	5,582	41.07%	6,605	48.59%	6,703	49.31%	6,890	13,593	1,656	98
Durham	20,212	52.16%	21,852	56.39%	22,097	57.02%	23,390	60.36%	26,507	68.40%	27,111	69.96%	11,640	38,751	6,899	604
Edgecombe	10,919	75.27%	11,754	81.03%	11,441	78.87%	11,807	81.39%	13,204	91.02%	13,193	90.95%	1,313	14,506	2,274	-11
Forsyth	25,624	56.05%	28,385	62.09%	30,162	65.98%	30,714	67.18%	34,779	76.07%	36,055	78.87%	9,662	45,717	10,431	1,276
Franklin	5,111	59.84%	5,635	65.98%	5,855	68.55%	6,192	72.50%	7,270	85.12%	7,565	88.57%	976	8,541	2,454	295
Gaston	20,815	71.29%	22,881	78.36%	23,293	79.77%	24,563	84.12%	29,944	102.55%	30,888	105.78%	-1,689	29,199	10,073	944
Gates	1,041	43.52%	1,090	45.57%	1,142	47.74%	1,180	49.33%	1,395	58.32%	1,401	58.57%	991	2,392	360	6
Graham	858	38.93%	898	40.74%	976	44.28%	1,012	45.92%	1,217	55.22%	1,222	55.44%	982	2,204	364	5
Granville	4,004	53.85%	4,309	57.96%	4,655	62.61%	4,749	63.87%	5,383	72.40%	5,534	74.43%	1,901	7,435	1,530	151
Greene	3,018	61.50%	3,258	66.39%	3,163	64.46%	3,324	67.74%	3,624	73.85%	3,699	75.38%	1,208	4,907	681	75
Guilford	39,907	66.22%	43,442	72.09%	45,487	75.48%	49,636	82.36%	57,336	95.14%	59,235	98.29%	1,029	60,264	19,328	1,899
Halifax	12,306	69.66%	12,904	73.04%	12,801	72.46%	12,922	73.15%	13,849	78.39%	13,927	78.84%	3,739	17,666	1,621	78
Harnett	9,893	52.95%	10,658	57.05%	11,330	60.64%	11,634	62.27%	13,903	74.42%	14,324	76.67%	4,359	18,683	4,431	421
Haywood	5,517	59.06%	5,810	62.20%	5,889	63.04%	6,109	65.40%	7,389	79.10%	7,626	81.64%	1,715	9,341	2,109	237

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Henderson	5,598	43.16%	6,037	46.55%	5,522	42.58%	5,944	45.83%	7,619	58.75%	8,174	63.03%	4,795	12,969	2,576	555
Hertford	4,356	71.44%	4,708	77.22%	4,647	76.22%	4,661	76.45%	5,009	82.16%	5,021	82.35%	1,076	6,097	665	12
Hoke	4,453	53.72%	5,379	64.89%	5,408	65.24%	5,810	70.08%	6,969	84.07%	6,951	83.85%	1,339	8,290	2,498	-18
Hyde	766	67.37%	820	72.12%	856	75.29%	823	72.38%	875	76.96%	892	78.45%	245	1,137	126	17
Iredell	8,431	55.05%	9,331	60.92%	9,868	64.43%	10,242	66.87%	12,425	81.12%	13,097	85.51%	2,219	15,316	4,666	672
Jackson	2,651	43.46%	2,736	44.85%	2,610	42.79%	2,951	48.38%	3,552	58.23%	3,755	61.56%	2,345	6,100	1,104	203
Johnston	12,437	58.97%	13,688	64.90%	14,542	68.95%	15,156	71.86%	18,486	87.64%	19,333	91.66%	1,759	21,092	6,896	847
Jones	1,298	52.47%	1,365	55.17%	1,328	53.68%	1,404	56.75%	1,506	60.87%	1,550	62.65%	924	2,474	252	44
Lee	4,159	47.35%	4,764	54.23%	5,099	58.05%	5,394	61.41%	7,169	81.61%	7,433	84.62%	1,351	8,784	3,274	264
Lenoir	8,502	62.63%	9,305	68.54%	9,170	67.55%	9,651	71.09%	11,068	81.53%	11,245	82.83%	2,331	13,576	2,743	177
Lincoln	5,028	60.08%	5,961	71.23%	6,274	74.97%	6,506	77.74%	8,267	98.78%	8,606	102.83%	-237	8,369	3,578	339
Macon	2,452	43.32%	2,591	45.78%	2,536	44.81%	2,930	51.77%	4,087	72.21%	4,211	74.40%	1,449	5,660	1,759	124
Madison	1,753	43.87%	2,001	50.08%	2,010	50.30%	2,156	53.95%	2,884	72.17%	2,964	74.17%	1,032	3,996	1,211	80
Martin	3,539	51.34%	3,560	51.65%	3,660	53.10%	3,919	56.85%	4,334	62.88%	4,394	63.75%	2,499	6,893	855	60
McDowell	3,004	41.07%	3,416	46.70%	3,664	50.10%	4,299	58.78%	5,587	76.39%	5,816	79.52%	1,498	7,314	2,812	229
Mecklenburg	75,714	87.81%	73,538	85.29%	76,772	89.04%	82,383	95.55%	96,932	112.42%	102,212	118.55%	-15,990	86,222	26,498	5,280
Mitchell	1,632	52.32%	1,777	56.97%	1,715	54.99%	1,673	53.64%	1,824	58.48%	1,848	59.25%	1,271	3,119	216	24
Montgomery	2,845	47.12%	3,333	55.20%	3,314	54.89%	3,622	59.99%	4,389	72.69%	4,492	74.40%	1,546	6,038	1,647	103
Moore	5,447	46.95%	5,956	51.34%	5,983	51.57%	6,352	54.75%	7,631	65.77%	7,861	67.76%	3,741	11,602	2,414	230
Nash	9,355	58.38%	9,977	62.26%	10,323	64.42%	10,707	66.81%	12,825	80.03%	13,085	81.65%	2,940	16,025	3,730	260
New Hanover	15,280	55.05%	14,989	54.00%	14,656	52.80%	15,201	54.76%	17,276	62.24%	17,779	64.05%	9,979	27,758	2,499	503
Northampton	4,398	71.17%	4,684	75.79%	4,564	73.85%	4,597	74.39%	4,990	80.74%	5,036	81.49%	1,144	6,180	638	46
Onslow	10,413	39.75%	11,127	42.48%	11,989	45.77%	12,611	48.14%	13,318	50.84%	13,500	51.53%	12,696	26,196	3,087	182
Orange	6,142	31.07%	6,311	31.92%	6,111	30.91%	6,457	32.66%	7,402	37.44%	7,670	38.80%	12,099	19,769	1,528	268
Pamlico	1,187	46.10%	1,314	51.03%	1,321	51.30%	1,329	51.61%	1,584	61.51%	1,578	61.28%	997	2,575	391	-6
Pasquotank	4,410	54.97%	4,669	58.20%	4,675	58.28%	4,820	60.08%	5,540	69.06%	5,578	69.53%	2,444	8,022	1,168	38
Pender	4,528	57.47%	4,389	55.71%	4,576	58.08%	4,814	61.10%	5,860	74.37%	6,099	77.41%	1,780	7,879	1,571	239
Perquimans	1,542	59.72%	1,714	66.38%	1,721	66.65%	1,853	71.77%	2,067	80.05%	2,151	83.31%	431	2,582	609	84
Person	3,552	57.19%	3,952	63.63%	4,103	66.06%	4,621	74.40%	5,524	88.94%	5,612	90.36%	599	6,211	2,060	88
Pitt	16,634	49.19%	17,913	52.98%	18,340	54.24%	19,438	57.49%	22,092	65.33%	22,348	66.09%	11,466	33,814	5,714	256
Polk	903	35.43%	1,133	44.45%	1,279	50.18%	1,451	56.92%	1,943	76.23%	1,967	77.17%	582	2,549	1,064	24
Randolph	9,695	51.46%	11,615	61.65%	12,929	68.63%	14,777	78.44%	17,953	95.30%	18,715	99.34%	124	18,839	9,020	762
Richmond	7,202	58.72%	7,530	61.39%	7,240	59.03%	8,101	66.05%	9,309	75.90%	9,587	78.17%	2,678	12,265	2,385	278
Robeson	25,972	69.77%	27,141	72.91%	27,125	72.87%	26,875	72.20%	30,913	83.05%	31,232	83.91%	5,991	37,223	5,260	319
Rockingham	7,859	45.77%	8,819	51.36%	9,637	56.13%	10,194	59.37%	12,121	70.59%	12,370	72.04%	4,800	17,170	4,511	249
Rowan	10,974	55.60%	11,794	59.76%	12,436	63.01%	13,501	68.41%	16,327	82.73%	17,001	86.14%	2,735	19,736	6,027	674
Rutherford	7,908	63.60%	8,332	67.02%	8,212	66.05%	8,465	68.08%	10,253	82.47%	10,405	83.69%	2,028	12,433	2,497	152
Sampson	7,472	49.33%	7,917	52.27%	7,982	52.70%	8,615	56.88%	10,108	66.74%	10,411	68.74%	4,735	15,146	2,939	303
Scotland	7,456	77.25%	7,899	81.84%	8,327	86.27%	8,553	88.61%	9,171	95.02%	9,062	93.89%	590	9,652	1,606	-109
Stanly	4,872	56.04%	5,454	62.73%	5,852	67.31%	5,863	67.44%	7,011	80.64%	7,031	80.87%	1,663	8,694	2,159	20
Stokes	3,508	59.52%	3,943	66.90%	4,012	68.07%	3,992	67.73%	4,491	76.20%	4,476	75.94%	1,418	5,894	968	-15
Surry	6,557	47.42%	7,741	55.98%	8,261	59.74%	8,686	62.81%	10,418	75.34%	10,687	77.29%	3,141	13,828	4,130	269
Swain	1,619	52.68%	1,762	57.34%	1,796	58.44%	1,827	59.45%	2,257	73.45%	2,323	75.59%	750	3,073	704	66
Transylvania	2,651	66.64%	2,716	68.28%	2,626	66.01%	2,786	70.04%	3,626	91.15%	3,917	98.47%	61	3,978	1,266	291
Tyrrell	623	54.75%	665	58.44%	657	57.73%	721	63.36%	796	69.95%	839	73.73%	299	1,138	216	43

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Union	9,109	63.93%	9,668	67.86%	10,260	72.01%	10,979	77.06%	13,865	97.31%	14,717	103.29%	-469	14,248	5,608	852
Vance	8,695	74.85%	9,292	79.99%	9,413	81.03%	10,340	89.01%	11,562	99.53%	11,620	100.03%	-3	11,617	2,925	58
Wake	40,201	60.79%	42,516	64.29%	43,595	65.93%	45,184	68.33%	51,969	78.59%	54,528	82.46%	11,600	66,128	14,327	2,559
Warren	3,278	61.21%	3,305	61.72%	3,506	65.47%	3,531	65.94%	3,846	71.82%	3,952	73.80%	1,403	5,355	674	106
Washington	2,331	56.66%	2,493	60.60%	2,448	59.50%	2,545	61.86%	2,688	65.34%	2,718	66.07%	1,396	4,114	387	30
Watauga	1,700	19.02%	1,956	21.88%	2,005	22.43%	1,995	22.32%	2,348	26.27%	2,497	27.94%	6,441	8,938	797	149
Wayne	12,152	54.40%	13,451	60.22%	14,049	62.90%	14,777	66.15%	16,338	73.14%	16,325	73.09%	6,012	22,337	4,173	-13
Wilkes	5,824	51.29%	6,894	60.71%	7,412	65.27%	8,017	70.60%	9,620	84.71%	10,007	88.12%	1,349	11,356	4,183	387
Wilson	8,883	50.10%	9,637	54.35%	10,075	56.82%	10,462	59.00%	11,851	66.84%	11,926	67.26%	5,805	17,731	3,043	75
Yadkin	2,306	42.59%	2,691	49.70%	2,741	50.62%	3,112	57.47%	3,866	71.39%	4,131	76.29%	1,284	5,415	1,825	265
Yancey	2,357	60.68%	2,554	65.76%	2,542	65.45%	2,656	68.38%	2,913	75.00%	3,021	77.78%	863	3,884	664	108
Total	795,551	58.47%	852,426	62.65%	879,784	64.66%	927,926	68.20%	1,089,699	80.09%	1,122,281	82.48%	238,371	1,360,652	326,730	32,582