

Pre-Approved Capital Equipment List

USDA (WRO) approved 10/25/18

Any equipment selected from this Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) approved equipment list is automatically approved by the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) Health and Nutrition Services (HNS). School Food Authorities (SFAs) may purchase these equipment items, following proper Federal, state, or local procurement procedures, as applicable, without submitting a Capital Expenditure Pre-Approval Reguest Form to HNS.

SFAs choosing to purchase equipment that was not included on this FNS-approved list must complete and submit a Capital Expenditure Pre-Approval Request Form to HNS for approval prior to purchasing the equipment as required by 2 CFR 200.439. The Capital Expenditure Pre-Approval Request Form is located on the HNS webpage under the Financial Forms and Instructions header at http://www.azed.gov/hns/nslp/forms/.

During an administrative review, as required by 7 CFR Part 210.18, and procurement audits, as required by 2 CFR 200.501, HNS must ensure appropriate equipment purchases were made based on either the approved equipment list or the State agency prior approval process. If any equipment purchases are identified as unallowable, HNS may disallow these purchases and require the SFA to replenish the nonprofit school food service account as appropriate.

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Braisers/Tilting Skillet	Range/Oven Combo
Cash Registers/POS Hardware (software requires prior ADE approval)	Reach-in Coolers (walk-in requires prior ADE approval)
Dishwasher	Reach-in Freezers (walk-in requires prior ADE approval)
Dough Divider/Bun Cutter	Refrigerated Prep Tables
Dough Roller/Sheeter	Serving Line: Refrigerated/heated, including serving shelf/guards
Food Processors/Cutters	Slicers
Holding/Proofing Cabinets: Stationary and/or Mobile	Steam Tables
Merchandiser (glass-sided or open front refrigerator for displaying food or beverages)	Steamers
Milk Coolers	Storage Racks
Mixers	Stovetops
Oven, Combi Oven	Vehicle to transport food
Oven, Convection, Electric, or Gas	Vertical Cutter Mixer
Oven, Conveyer or Impinger	Warmers, Countertop, and Drawers