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Connecting Education with Local Food
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Farm to School is a national program that began after the USDA identified a need to connect students to local food.

The program allows schools to purchase locally produced farm-fresh foods such as fruits and vegetables, eggs, honey, meat, dairy products and more.

Looking to Learn More?
If you are interested in learning more about the Farm to School Program contact NDDA at 701-328-2659.

Ready to contribute? If you are a producer and would like to provide fresh fruit and vegetables, meat, dairy or even honey to North Dakota students, contact Deb Egeland with the North Dakota Department of Public Instruction at 701-328-3718.

Through the program, schools also incorporate nutrition-based curriculum and activities that provide students with a deeper understanding of where their food comes from and the benefits of eating fresh local food.