

HR 1269

Healthy Meals Help Kids Learn Act of 2023

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Davis, Donald G. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Mar 24, 2023
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Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Mar 24, 2023
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Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		May 9, 2023
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 9, 2023
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA		May 9, 2023
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Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		May 9, 2023
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		May 9, 2023
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		May 9, 2023
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		May 9, 2023
Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		May 9, 2023
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		May 9, 2023
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		May 9, 2023
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		May 11, 2023
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 11, 2023
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Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 7, 2023
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Jun 27, 2023
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jun 27, 2023
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-50]	D · CA		Jun 27, 2023
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-25]	D · CA		Jul 17, 2023
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Jul 26, 2023

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Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Sep 28, 2023
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Nov 14, 2023
Rep. Garcia, Robert [D-CA-42]	D · CA		Dec 4, 2023
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Rep. Carter, Troy A. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Oct 1, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 1, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 3093	Related bill	Oct 19, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

Summary (as of Mar 1, 2023)

Healthy Meals Help Kids Learn Act of 2023

This bill permanently increases the federal reimbursement rates for the school lunch and breakfast programs. Specifically, beginning July 1, 2023, the bill provides an additional 45 cents per lunch served in the National School Lunch Program and an additional 28 cents per breakfast served in the School Breakfast Program. These amounts must be adjusted annually for inflation beginning July 1, 2024.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 9, 2023:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1218)
- **Mar 1, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 1, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.