

Senate Fiscal Summary
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Senate Bill 28

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Agency:	SDE
Senate Author:	Hicks
House Author:	
FY'26 Impact:	\$102,060,708
Full Year Impact:	\$102,060,708

**Bill Summary and
Fiscal Analysis:**

For the 2025-26 and 2026-27 school years school districts shall provide meals at no cost to a child whose annual household income during the preceding year did not exceed 250% of the federal poverty level.

The Department reviewed all meals served in SY 23-24, less the reimbursement difference of the free and paid rate for both breakfast and lunch. Lunch cost is \$63,113,951 and for breakfast the amount is \$15,577,720. The reduced counts for lunch is \$17,621,336 and breakfast is \$5,747,700. Total approximate cost is \$102,060,708.

Fiscal Impact provided by the State Department of Education.