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**Food Service - Purposes and Facilities**

The school lunch program shall be an integral part of the Bethany Public School District’s total educational program. Administration of the food services program will be coordinated by the Food Services Director under the direction of the Superintendent or his/her designee. Business functions to be centralized will include central purchasing of food and supplies, planned nutritionally-balanced menus, and regular audit of all accounts.

The educational aspects of the school lunch program will be the responsibility of the Principal, subject to advice, counsel, and direction from the Superintendent and Food Services Director.

Legal References: Connecticut General Statutes § 10-215

Connecticut General Statutes § 10-215a

Connecticut General Statutes § 10-215b

Connecticut General Statutes § 10-215d

Connecticut General Statutes § 10-216

Connecticut General Statutes § 10-217

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