



ESSER II School Nutrition Bonuses

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Background

- DPI allocated \$10 million in ESSER II funds for school nutrition operations across NC
- Funding must be used exclusively for recruitment/retention bonuses for school nutrition personnel
- WCPSS CNS allocation: \$1,034,945

Recommendation

- Provide up to three (3) \$450 retention bonuses to qualifying CNS personnel that have an active employee status on the following dates:

CNS Active Employee Status Date	Bonus
Bonus 1 - July 1, 2021	\$450
Bonus 2 - January 3, 2022	\$450
Bonus 3 - April 1, 2022	\$450

- Issue bonus payment to qualifying CNS staff that have an active employee status on May 29, 2022, with their June 29 payroll