

**Not Allowable/Non-Reimbursable Purchases for the USDA FFVP**

**Effective July 1, 2023**

**\*\*\*This list includes *most* of the restrictions; there may be others. Inquire first, if in doubt! \*\*\***

**No “flavor enhanced” fruits or vegetables i.e. “Grapples” (These *are* allowable for NSLP.)**

**No dried fruits (Note: raisins are *dried* grapes; prunes are *dried* plums)**

**No coconuts, ginger root, sprouts, horseradish, garlic, herbs (i.e. parsley, cilantro, dill, etc.)**

**No condiments of any kind for FFVP “fruit” snacks**

**No purchased juice…not even 100% juice (unless it is made fresh at the FFVP school)**

**No processed fruit cups if they contain preservatives (chemicals) or use gas for packaging**

**No frozen fruit bars…not even 100% fruit**

**No fruit leather, fruit roll-ups, fruit chews, trail mix, granola bars, or nutrition/energy bars**

**No fruit/vegetable baskets/trays for school office, nurses’ station, teachers’ lounge, etc.**

**No ingredients (other than fresh fruits/fresh vegetables equivalent to one serving/student) will be reimbursed for purpose of nutrition education activities or cooking demonstrations**

**No *excessive* claims for FFVP “Operational” and/or “Administrative” Labor**

**No nutrition education materials (books, CDs, DVDs, videos, games, flash cards, etc.), or promotional materials (banners/posters, stickers, note pads, stress balls, balloons, toys, etc.)**

**No technological devices (computer, laptop, Think Pad, printer, ink cartridge, phone, data projector, television, radio, fax machine, copy machine, scanner, walkie-talkie, adding machine, etc.) or office supplies (markers, label maker, tape, staples, etc.)**

**No decorations, visual aids, or murals painted anywhere on any surface**

**No expenses for field trips (to include entry fees, transportation fees, labor, fuel costs, etc.)**

**No supplies for school gardens**

**No clothing articles (t-shirts, uniforms, aprons, hats, etc.) for SN Staff, students, or anyone**