

Nutrition Problem

Fall 2008

Natrona County School District #1 has recently implemented nutritional guidelines for cafeterias and vending machines. Questions have been raised as to whether these changes are nutritionally beneficial.

Present your recommendations to interested community on March 5th. After they have been given to an audience, review the plan and offer recommendations for improvement to the Board of Trustees.

Food Labs

Fast Food Nation : Eric Schlosser
The Omnivore's Dilemma: Michael Pollan

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Nutrition Standards 2006

Science

Concepts & Processes (1)

- Matter, Energy and Organization in living systems
- Chemical Reactions
- The Cell

Inquiry(2)

- Research
- Science and technology
- Use of lab equipment

History and nature of science in personal and social decisions (3)

- Scientific information and decision making

Social Studies

Culture/Cultural Diversity(2)

- Analyze how cultural influences and diversity have influences groups and institutions

Time, Continuity and Change (4)

- Analyze the interaction and impact of people, places, technology and events.
- Make predictions about the impact of situations on community and nation.

Language Arts

Reading (1)

- Understanding of literacy text
- Variety of sources
- Understanding of informational resources

Writing (2)

- Bibliography
- Writing w/ audience in mind
- Organization/focus

Speaking & Listening (3)

- Formal presentation
- Details to support ideas
- Group discussion
 - consider other's ideas before speaking
 - constructive criticism
 - lead,particpate & moderate