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This action reflects a key initiative of USDA's Regulatory Reform Agenda, developed in response to the President's Executive Order to alleviate unnecessary regulatory burdens.

The revised rules make school meals less nutritious. They allow schools to Serve flavored rather than plain low-fat milk (higher in sugar). Be exempt from serving whole grain-rich products. Have until the end of the 2020-2021 school year to reduce the salt in school meals. This rule will be in effect for the school year 2018-2019. USDA is accepting public comments for longer-term use [here](#).