

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0208412 - OCALA MIDDLE SCHOOL		Site Address 2800 OCALA AV, SAN JOSE, CA 95122		Inspection Date 09/18/2026		Placard Color & Score GREEN 95		
Program PR0301839 - SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE RISK CAT 2 - FP22			Owner Name ALUM ROCK UNION EL SCH		Inspection Time 11:00 - 12:10			
Inspected By MAMAYE KEBEDE		Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION		Consent By FRONT DESK				FSC Valerie Baes 7/26/2030

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS		IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
			Major	Minor				
K01	Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification	X						
K02	Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion	X						S
K03	No discharge from eyes, nose, mouth	X						
K04	Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use	X						
K05	Hands clean, properly washed; gloves used properly	X						S
K06	Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible	X						
K07	Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						S
K08	Time as a public health control; procedures & records					X		
K09	Proper cooling methods						X	
K10	Proper cooking time & temperatures	X						
K11	Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	X						
K12	Returned and reservice of food					X		
K13	Food in good condition, safe, unadulterated	X						
K14	Food contact surfaces clean, sanitized	X						
K15	Food obtained from approved source	X						
K16	Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display						X	
K17	Compliance with Gulf Oyster Regulations						X	
K18	Compliance with variance/ROP/HACCP Plan						X	
K19	Consumer advisory for raw or undercooked foods						X	
K20	Licensed health care facilities/schools: prohibited foods not being offered	X						
K21	Hot and cold water available	X						
K22	Sewage and wastewater properly disposed	X						
K23	No rodents, insects, birds, or animals			X				

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES		OUT	COS
K24	Person in charge present and performing duties		
K25	Proper personal cleanliness and hair restraints		
K26	Approved thawing methods used; frozen food		
K27	Food separated and protected		
K28	Fruits and vegetables washed		
K29	Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used		
K30	Food storage: food storage containers identified		
K31	Consumer self service does prevent contamination		
K32	Food properly labeled and honestly presented		
K33	Nonfood contact surfaces clean		
K34	Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips	X	
K35	Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity		
K36	Equipment, utensils, linens: Proper storage and use		
K37	Vending machines		
K38	Adequate ventilation/lighting; designated areas, use		
K39	Thermometers provided, accurate		
K40	Wiping cloths: properly used, stored		
K41	Plumbing approved, installed, in good repair; proper backflow devices		
K42	Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		
K43	Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned		
K44	Premises clean, in good repair; Personal/chemical storage; Adequate vermin-proofing		
K45	Floor, walls, ceilings: built, maintained, clean		
K46	No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47	Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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K48	Plan review	
K49	Permits available	
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted	

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

No major violations were observed during this inspection.

Minor Violations

K23 - 3 Points - Observed rodents, insects, birds, or animals; 114259.1, 114259.4, 114259.5

Inspector Observations: Multiple live ants were observed in the wash and storage area.

[CA] Eliminate insects from the facility by a legal method.

K34 - 2 Points - Warewashing facilities: not installed or maintained; no test strips; 114067(f,g), 114099, 114099.3, 114099.5, 114101(a), 114101.1, 114101.2, 114103, 114107, 114125

Inspector Observations: The sanitizer measuring strip in use is expired.

[CA] Replace it with a new one.

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

All responses to PBI questions were satisfactory.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Yogurt	Upright two door fridge	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Cut melon	Walk-in cooler	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment wareawash sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Ranch	Upright freezer	0.00 Fahrenheit	
Burger	Oven	155.00 Fahrenheit	
Chlorine	Three compartment sink	100.00 Fahrenheit	
Sandwiches	Walk-in cooler	36.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

Note:1. Lunch is prepared daily prior to service and left over hot PHF items are discarded at the end of service. Food is delivered from the Alum Rock School District warehouse located at 2930 Gay Ave, San Jose, and some outside vendors.

2. Food safety manager certificate: Valerie Baes - 7/26/2030

3. There is no designated handwash station in the kitchen. The two compartment preparation sink is directly connected to the sewer line. To prevent contamination during food preparation from backup of sewage, please modify the drain system of the preparation sink. Until the preparation sink is made to drain into a modified floor sink, preparation(washing, defrosting, or other operations) in the existing sink may only be done using colanders.

4. The school has outside detached walk-in cooler and freezer. There also is a container storage next to the walk-in cooler and freezer. Temperature of the walk-in cooler and freezer were found to be on appropriate range.

5. According to USDA regulation, schools serving lunch through the School Lunch program must have a written HACCP plan in place. Please keep a copy in the cafeteria.

6. This is a joint inspection with Belin Zepeda.

When required to determine compliance, a single reinspection will be conducted without additional charge. If subsequent reinspections are required, an hourly fee (minimum one hour) at the current rate approved by the Board of Supervisors will be assessed for each and every reinspection until the necessary changes or corrections are made. Unless otherwise noted by the inspector, all violations are to be corrected no later than **10/2/2026**. Any major change in menu or any change in ownership must have prior approval by this Department. This may require structural and/or equipment changes or remodeling to accommodate new operations.

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Legend:

[CA]	Corrective Action
[COS]	Corrected on Site
[N]	Needs Improvement
[NA]	Not Applicable
[NO]	Not Observed
[PBI]	Performance-based Inspection
[PHF]	Potentially Hazardous Food
[PIC]	Person in Charge
[PPM]	Part per Million
[S]	Satisfactory
[SA]	Suitable Alternative
[TPHC]	Time as a Public Health Control



Received By: Valerie Baes
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Signed On: September 18, 2026