



**2021 Celebration  
Friday,  
September 24<sup>th</sup> at  
12 noon**

## **A Celebration of Georgia Apples: September 24, 2021**

**Friday, September 24**, The Georgia Department of Education School Nutrition Program, in partnership with the Georgia Department of Agriculture, is celebrating apples in Georgia on Friday, September 24, 2021. Apples are also celebrated as part of the Georgia Harvest of the Month initiative during the entire month of September.

### **What is the Georgia Crunch 4 Lunch?**

Join in the Georgia statewide celebration of apples by crunching into locally grown apples at **12:00** noon on **Friday, September 24, 2021**. This collective crunch encourages healthy eating and supports farm to school initiatives throughout Georgia.

If you are unable to participate on September 24th or at the exact time of 12:00 noon that day, we encourage you to still celebrate local apples during the month of September.

### **Additional Apple Celebration Activities**

In addition to the **Crunch 4 Lunch**, here are some other ideas for celebrating Georgia Apples:

- Taste test multiple apple varieties and vote on your favorite variety.
- Share your apple pictures on social media with the hashtags #GACrunch4Lunch, #FuelingGA, and #GeorgiaGrown.

### **CONNECT TO LEARNING**

The **Crunch 4 Lunch** and apple celebrations can be celebrated with apple-based learning activities for a creative way to meet learning requirements for language, math, science, art, and more! Check out the following resources for apple-themed learning activities:

- [Food Based Learning: Apples](#) from the Georgia Department of Education School Nutrition Program.
- [Harvest of the Month Resources](#) from the Georgia Department of Education School Nutrition Program.
- Classroom resources from the Georgia Department of Agriculture can be found at [feedmyschool.org](http://feedmyschool.org).

For more information about Georgia Farm to School programs, visit <http://gafarmtoschool.org/>

