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to the Commission**
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Subject: EU school fruit, vegetables and milk scheme

As demonstrated by the Commission's recent monitoring reports, in the 2016-2017 school year, more than 12.2 million children in 79 000 schools participated to the EU fruit and vegetables scheme, and around 18 million children were involved in the EU milk scheme. In addition to providing these products, the EU school scheme aims to promote healthy eating habits among children and also involves dedicated educational programmes about the importance of good nutrition and how food is produced. Therefore, the educational aspect of the scheme has also been strengthened to make sure that key objectives – teaching children of the benefits of healthy eating and helping to reconnect them to agriculture – are fulfilled.

Do these schemes foresee giving priority to vulnerable regions and people in the EU?

Does the educational programme cover aspects such as organic farming, sustainable production and food waste?