**Food Thermometer Basics**

**Examples of Food Thermometers**

- [Image of Food Thermometers]

**Where to get a Food Thermometer:**

Examples of local retailers:
- Wal-mart
- Winn-dixie
- Target
- Food Giant

Examples of online retailers:
- Thermoworks.com
- Taylor.com

**if the thermometer is not digital, it needs to be able to read temperatures from 0° to 220°**

**How to Calibrate a Food Thermometer**

It is important to calibrate the thermometer regularly so you can be sure the thermometer is reading the correct temperature.

1. Fill a large container with crushed ice and water.
2. Put the thermometer stem or probe into the water.
3. Adjust the thermometer so it reads 32°F (0°C).