

FEDERAL INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

(As announced by the United States Department of Agriculture)

FREE MEALS OR MILK						REDUCED PRICE MEALS					
HOUSE-HOLD SIZE	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly	HOUSE-HOLD SIZE	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	19,578	1,632	816	753	377	1	27,861	2,322	1,161	1,072	536
2	26,572	2,215	1,108	1,022	511	2	37,814	3,152	1,576	1,455	728
3	33,566	2,798	1,399	1,291	646	3	47,767	3,981	1,991	1,838	919
4	40,560	3,380	1,690	1,560	780	4	57,720	4,810	2,405	2,220	1,110
5	47,554	3,963	1,982	1,829	915	5	67,673	5,640	2,820	2,603	1,302
6	54,548	4,546	2,273	2,098	1,049	6	77,626	6,469	3,235	2,986	1,493
7	61,542	5,129	2,565	2,367	1,184	7	87,579	7,299	3,650	3,369	1,685
8	68,536	5,712	2,856	2,636	1,318	8	97,532	8,128	4,064	3,752	1,876
Each Additional Household Member	6,994	583	292	269	135	Each Additional Household Member	9,953	830	415	383	192

When all income is reported with the same frequency i.e., all reported as weekly (W), every 2 weeks (2W), monthly (M), or twice a month (2M), total the income and the number of household members and compare it to this chart. **Cannot annualize if all income reported is the same frequency.**

When income is reported with different frequencies, annualize the number, total the income and the number of household members and compare it to the annual income column on this chart.

Annual Income Conversion: Weekly x 52, Every 2 weeks x 26, Twice a month x 24, and Monthly x 12

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Weekly: \$0 -\$25 below the free or reduced price income eligibility limit.

Every two weeks or twice a month: \$0 - \$ 50 below the free or reduced price income eligibility limit.

Monthly: \$0 - \$100 below the free or reduced price income eligibility limit.

Annually: \$0 - \$1200 below the free or reduced price income eligibility limit.

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