



# United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

Effective July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	Income Eligibility Guidelines				
	for 48 Contiguous States, District of Columbia, Guam and Territories <i>* Note: Income Eligibility Guidelines for Alaska &amp; Hawaii not shown here</i>				
Number of Members	Year	Month	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	22,311	1,860	930	859	430
2	30,044	2,504	1,252	1,156	578
3	37,777	3,149	1,575	1,453	727
4	45,510	3,793	1,897	1,751	876
5	53,243	4,437	2,219	2,048	1,024
6	60,976	5,082	2,541	2,346	1,173
7	68,709	5,726	2,863	2,643	1,322
8	76,442	6,371	3,186	2,941	1,471
Each Additional Member Add	7,733	645	323	298	149

## Have the eligibility guidelines changed from last school year?

Yes, the eligibility guidelines have changed and you do need to fill out a new application if you feel you still qualify for the meal benefits.

## INCOME CONVERSION:

- **Weekly Income x 52 = Yearly income**
- **Every 2 Weeks Income (Every other week, Bi-weekly) x 26 = Yearly income**
- **Twice a Month Income (Bi-monthly) x 24 = Yearly income**

THIS CHART IS TO BE USED BY INSTITUTIONS, SCHOOLS, CENTERS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS TO APPROVE AND CATEGORIZE COMPLETE APPLICATIONS FOR FREE AND REDUCED PRICED MEALS.