## 2016-2017 Application for Free and Reduced Price School Meals

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Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil) In Community Eligibility Schools (CEP), receipt of free breakfast and lunch meals does not depend on returning this application; however, this information is necessary for other programs. STEP 1 List ALL infants, children, and students up to and including grade 12 who are Household Members If more spaces are required for additional names, attach another sheet of paper. Definition of Household Member: "Anyone who is living with you and shares income and expenses, even if not related." School the child attends or Foster Migrant, Hear Grade NA if not in school Child's First Name Child's Last Name STEP 2 Do any Household Members (including you) currently participate in any of the following assistance programs: FoodShare, W-2 Cash Benefits, or FDPIR? Yes / No Case Number: **Program Name:** If you answered NO > Complete STEP 3. If you answered YES > Write a case number here, then go to STEP 4 (Do not complete STEP 3) Write only one case number in this space. Badger Care is not a qualifier for free meals STEP 3 Flip the page and review the charts titled "Sources of Income" for more information. Report Income for ALL Household Members (Skip this step if you answered 'Yes' to STEP 2) How often? A. Child Income Child income Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month Monthly Sometimes children in the household earn income. Please include the TOTAL income earned by all infants, children and students up to and including grade 12 of all Household Members listed in STEP 1 here. Special Situations Seasonal Workers. B. All Adult Household Members (including yourself) Annual contract paid over List all Household Members not listed in STEP 1 (including yourself) even if they do not receive income. For each Household Member listed, if they do receive income, report total gross income (before taxes) a shorter period of time for each source in whole dollars only (no cents). If they do not receive income from any source, write '0' or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report. (school employees). D. Public Assistance/ fluctuating income. E. Pensions/Retirement/ How often? How often? How often? Child Support/ Annualize income and Social Security, Name of Adult Household Members (First and Last) Earnings from Work Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month Monthly Alimony/SSI/VA Benefits Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month Monthly report here. Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month Monthly Other Income \$ \$ **G.**Total Household Members H.Last Four Digits of Social Security Number (SSN) of Χ Χ Χ Χ Χ Check if no SSN (Children and Adults) Primary Wage Earner or Other Adult Household Member Contact information and adult signature STEP 4 "I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of Federal funds, and that school officials may verify (check) the information. I am aware that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted under applicable State and Federal laws. City Street Address (if available) Apt# State Zip Daytime Phone and Email (optional)

Printed Name of Adult Completing the Form Signature of Adult Completing the Form

Today's Date Mo./Day/Yr.

Sources of Income for Children		
Sources of Child Income	Example(s)	
- Earnings from work	A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages	
<ul><li>Social Security</li><li>Disability payments</li><li>Survivor's benefits</li></ul>	A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits     A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits	
- Income from person outside the household	A friend or extended family member regularly gives a child spending money	
- Income from any other source	A child receives regular income from a private pension fund, annuity, or trust	

Sources of Income for Adults			
Earnings from Work	Public Assistance / Alimony / Child Support	Pensions / Retirement / All Other Income	
<ul> <li>Salary, wages, cash bonuses</li> <li>Net income from self-employment (farm or business); calculated by subtracting the total operating expenses of your business from its gross receipts or revenue; refer to Schedule C or F</li> <li>If you are in the U.S. Military:</li> <li>Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA or privatized housing allowances)</li> <li>Allowances for off-base housing, food and clothing</li> </ul>	Unemployment benefits     Worker's compensation     Supplemental Security Income (SSI)     Cash assistance from State or local government     Alimony payments     Child support payments     Veteran's benefits     Strike benefits	Social Security (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits)     Private pensions or disability benefits     Regular income from trusts or estates     Annuities     Investment income     Earned interest     Rental income     Regular cash payments from outside household	

OPTIONAL Children's Racial and Ethnic Identities
We are required to ask for information about your children's race and ethnicity. This information is important and helps to make sure we are fully serving our community. Responding to this section is optional and does not affect your children's eligibility for free or reduced price meals.
Ethnicity Check one
The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last four digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application. The application does not have a social security number. We will use your information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals, and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules.  In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity conducted or funded by USDA.  Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program is houd on added, hard of hearing of hearing of headily, had of hearing of hearing of hearing of headily, program information (e.g. Braille, place in the place of the place in the place in the place of the place in the place of the place in the place in the place of the place in the place in the place in the place of the place in the place in the place in the place in the pla
Do not fill out For School Use Only Annual Income Conversion: Weekly x 52, Every 2 Weeks x 26, Twice a Month x 24, Monthly x 12
Total Income  How often?  Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month Monthly Yearly  Size Eligibility Free Reduced Denied Date Denied Reason for Denial or Withdrawal
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For schools participating in CEP only: