2017-2018 Household Application for Free and Reduced Price School Meals Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil).

Definition of Household Member: "Anyone who is living with you and shares income and expenses, even if not related."  Children in Foster care and children who meet the definition of Homeless, Migrant or Runaway are eligible for free meals. Read How to Apply for Free and Reduced Price School Meals for more information.	Child's First Name		MI Child	's Last Nam	e							G	rade	Studer Yes	nt? No		oster M	omeless, digrant, Runaway
STEP 2 Do any H	lousehold Members (including you) curre	ently participat	e in one or	more of the	following	g ass	istance progran	ns: SN	AP, TAI	NF, or F	DPIR?							
	If NO > Go to STEP 3.	ES > Write a c	ase number	here then go	to STEP 4	↓ <u>(</u> Do	not complete STE	<u>EP 3</u> )	Ca	se Num	ber:							
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STEP 3 Report In	come for ALL Household Members (Skip th	nis step if you ar	iswered 'Ye	s' to STEP 2														
	A. Child Income							C	hild incom	e	Weekly	T	often?	Monthly				
	Sometimes children in the household earn or Household Members listed in STEP 1 here.	receive income. F	Please include	₃ the TOTAL i	ncome rece	eived l	by all	\$				0		0				
Are you unsure what income to include here?  Flip the page and review	B. All Adult Household Members (inc List all Household Members not listed in STEI for each source in whole dollars (no cents) on	P 1 (including you	rself) even if		ource, write	'0'. If				nk, you a		fying (pı		that there			to repo	
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STEP 4 Contact in	nformation and adult signature. Mail Co	ompleted Forn	To:															
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Sources of Inc	come 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>	<ul> <li>- A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits</li> <li>- A Parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits</li> </ul>				
-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				

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

## **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): Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino Race (check one or more): American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian

American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

White

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 of the adult household member who signs the application. 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 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.

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fax: (202) 690-7442; or email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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Annual Income Conversion: Weekly	52, Every 2 Weeks	x 26, Twice a Month x 24 Monthly x 12		Eligibility:	
•	How often?	•			
Total Income	Weekly Bi-Weekly 2x Month	Monthly Household Size		Free Reduced Denied	
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Determining Official's Signature	Date	Confirming Official's Signature	Date	Verifying Official's Signature	Date