



# Federal & New Jersey Expanded Income Eligibility Guidelines

Effective School Year 2024-2025: July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

## Federal Free Meals

Participants qualify for free meals if the household income falls at or below the limits on this chart.

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
- 1 -	19,578	1,632	816	753	377
- 2 -	26,572	2,215	1,108	1,022	511
- 3 -	33,566	2,798	1,399	1,291	646
- 4 -	40,560	3,380	1,690	1,560	780
- 5 -	47,554	3,963	1,982	1,829	915
- 6 -	54,548	4,546	2,273	2,098	1,049
- 7 -	61,542	5,129	2,565	2,367	1,184
- 8 -	68,536	5,712	2,856	2,636	1,318
Each add'l household member add	6,994	583	292	269	135

## Federal Reduced Price Meals

Participants qualify for reduced price meals if the household income falls at or below the limits on this chart and above the limits on the Federal Free Meals chart.

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
- 1 -	27,861	2,322	1,161	1,072	536
- 2 -	37,814	3,152	1,576	1,455	728
- 3 -	47,767	3,981	1,991	1,838	919
- 4 -	57,720	4,810	2,405	2,220	1,110
- 5 -	67,673	5,640	2,820	2,603	1,302
- 6 -	77,626	6,469	3,235	2,986	1,493
- 7 -	87,579	7,299	3,650	3,369	1,685
- 8 -	97,532	8,128	4,064	3,752	1,876
Each add'l household member add	9,953	830	415	383	192

## New Jersey Expanded Income Guidelines (NJEIE)

New Jersey participants qualify for meals at no charge if the household income falls at or below the limits on this chart and above the limits on the Federal Reduced Price Meal chart.

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
- 1 -	33,735	2,812	1,406	1,298	649
- 2 -	45,786	3,816	1,908	1,761	881
- 3 -	57,837	4,820	2,410	2,225	1,113
- 4 -	69,888	5,824	2,912	2,688	1,344
- 5 -	81,940	6,829	3,415	3,152	1,576
- 6 -	93,991	7,833	3,917	3,616	1,808
- 7 -	106,042	8,837	4,419	4,079	2,040
- 8 -	118,093	9,842	4,921	4,543	2,272
Each add'l household member	12,052	1,005	503	464	232

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