FISCAL YEAR 2022 INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

The United States Department of Agriculture has issued the following income guidelines for the period July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022:

Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines Effective from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022											
	Free Meals 130% Federal Poverty Guideline						Reduced-Price Meals 185% Federal Poverty Guidelines				
Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly	Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	16,744	1,396	698	644	322	1	23,828	1,986	993	917	459
2	22,646	1,888	944	871	436	2	32,227	2,686	1,343	1,240	620
3	28,548	2,379	1,190	1,098	549	3	40,626	3,386	1,693	1,563	782
4	34,450	2,871	1,436	1,325	663	4	49,025	4,086	2,043	1,886	943
5	40,352	3,363	1,682	1,552	776	5	57,424	4,786	2,393	2,209	1,105
6	46,254	3,855	1,928	1,779	890	6	65,823	5,486	2,743	2,532	1,266
7	52,156	4,347	2,174	2,006	1,003	7	74,222	6,186	3,093	2,855	1,428
8	58,058	4,839	2,420	2,233	1,117	8	82,621	6,886	3,443	3,178	1,589
For each additional family member, add	5,902	492	246	227	114	For each additional family member, add	8,399	700	350	324	162

The following is the definition of income:

Income is defined as any monies earned before any deductions such as income taxes, social security taxes, insurance premiums, charitable contributions, and bonds. It includes the following: (1) monetary compensation for services including wages, salary, commissions, or fees; (2) net income from non-farm self-employment; (3) net income from farm self-employment; (4) social security; (5) dividends or interest on savings or bonds or income from estates or trusts; (6) net rental income; (7) public assistance or welfare payments; (8) unemployment compensation; (9) government civilian employee or military retirement or pensions or veteran payments; (10) private pensions or annuities; (11) alimony or child support payments; (12) regular contributions from persons not living in the household; (13) net royalties; and (14) other cash income. Other cash income would include cash amounts received or withdrawn from any source including savings, investments, trust accounts, and other resources which would be available to pay the price of a child's meal.