

**SERIES 700
SUPPORT SERVICES**

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FREE AND REDUCED PRICE MEALS

The district shall participate in the National School Lunch Program to ensure that all children attending district schools receive proper nourishment.

In selecting children to receive free and reduced price meals, consideration shall be given to children from families: (1) with income below that established yearly by the state; and/or, (2) eligible to receive any form of public assistance or certified to participate in the government donated commodities or food stamp programs.

In making individual determinations and in providing the free or reduced price meals, every effort shall be made to avoid overt identification to the peers of children receiving such meals. No child shall be required to work for a free or reduced price meal.

Application forms shall be available to parents/guardians of children who may request free or reduced price meals and a file of applications and/or authorizations shall be maintained.

The Business Manager shall maintain a system of collecting payments and accounting for free and reduced price meals in a manner which will protect the anonymity of students receiving free or reduced price meals.

Legal References: Sections 115.34 Wisconsin Statutes
 120.10(16)
 120.13(6) & (10)

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