



Indiana Department of Education

Dr. Katie Jenner, Secretary of Education

2025-2026 MEDIA RELEASE FOR NONPRICING CACFP ORGANIZATIONS

Living Waters Assembly of God / Creative Steps Learning Minisy, today announced sponsorship of the Child and Adult Care Food Program and the policy for meals for enrolled children. Meals will be available to all enrolled children without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. Listed below are the USDA income eligibility guidelines which are effective July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026. Children from households whose income is at or below the level shown may be eligible for free or reduced-price meals or snacks.

Household Size	Reduced Price Meals – 185%				
	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	28,953	2,413	1,207	1,114	557
2	39,128	3,261	1,631	1,505	753
3	49,303	4,109	2,055	1,897	949
4	59,478	4,957	2,479	2,288	1,144
5	69,653	5,805	2,903	2,679	1,340
6	79,828	6,653	3,327	3,071	1,536
7	90,003	7,501	3,751	3,462	1,731
8	100,178	8,349	4,175	3,853	1,927
For each additional person, add	10,175	848	424	392	196

Free Meals – 130%				
Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
20,345	1,696	848	783	392
27,495	2,292	1,146	1,058	529
34,645	2,888	1,444	1,333	667
41,795	3,483	1,742	1,608	804
48,945	4,079	2,040	1,883	942
56,095	4,675	2,338	2,158	1,079
63,245	5,271	2,636	2,433	1,217
70,395	5,867	2,934	2,708	1,354
7,150	596	298	275	138

Participants who are members of households receiving TANF or SNAP benefits, are head start participants, or are foster children are automatically eligible to receive free meal benefits.

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To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/USDA-OASCR%20P-Complaint-Form-0508-0002-508-11-28-17Fax2Mail.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

1 mail:
U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or

2. fax:
(833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or

3. email:
program.intake@usda.gov

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INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Send the above information to your local media source (newspaper, radio, etc.)
2. Document who the information was sent to below, and submit both pages with your CACFP application.

Media source: Connorsville News Examiner

Date sent: April 27, 2026

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