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The Northwood School Food Service Department is pleased to announce our participation in the National School Lunch Program. Meals will be available to all children at our school. Meals meet nutritional standards set by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Our school participates in the National School Lunch Program, and the School Breakfast Program.

If your income is less than or equal to the following guidelines you are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. These guidelines are effective **July 1, 2014** through **June 30, 2015**. If you have children who approved for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) formerly known as Food Stamps, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or Native Family Assistance Program (NFAP), they are automatically able to receive free meals by filing an application that includes their assistance number from one of those programs. Students who are migrant, homeless, or runaways are automatically eligible and do not need to fill out an application. Foster children receive free meals regardless of the income of the household with which they reside. Note: Medicaid and Denali Kid Care case numbers do not qualify for eligibility.

Your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on this chart.

<i>FEDERAL ELIGIBILITY INCOME CHART</i> For School Year 2014-2015							
Household size	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly	Household size	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$ 21,590.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 416.00	5	51,634.00	4,303.00	993.00
2	29,101.00	2,426.00	560.00	6	59,145.00	4,929.00	1,138.00
3	36,612.00	3,051.00	705.00	7	66,656.00	5,555.00	1,282.00
4	44,123.00	3,677.00	849.00	8	74,167.00	6,181.00	1,427.00
				Each additional person	\$ 7,511.00	\$ 626.00	\$ 145.00

For more information, or to get an application for free or reduced-price school meals, contact us at: Northwood School Food Service Department, 511 First NH Turnpike, Northwood, NH 03261 or Phone: 942-5488. You can find more information on our website at: <http://www.northwood.k12.nh.us>

We can't approve your application unless it's complete. The information you give us on your application may be checked at any time. You may apply for free or reduced price meals at any time during the school year if your situation changes. If you become unemployed, your child(ren) may be able to have free or reduced priced meals based on your unemployment income. If we deny your free or reduced price meals application, we will give you a chance to appeal the decision.

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