

Greywolf Elementary 2022-23

SEPTEMBER 23, 2022 ♦ FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Greywolf families,

The school year is well underway and our building is busy! Last week we had our first assembly of the year attended by first through fifth grades and they did a tremendous job following our assembly expectations! We are back to eating lunch in the gym which is a first for several grade levels, and they are loving it! Speaking of lunch, we are at a critical point in the year for school program funding. We receive funding for certain staffing, programs, and materials based on the percentage of our students who meet income eligibility requirements for free or reduced meals. While all meals are "no cost" for all students this year, it is still critical that the free/reduced applications are completed and returned by families who meet the income guidelines so we can continue to have our educational needs funded. At Greywolf, we have 8 staff members who work in our reading and math support services that are paid for with these funds. Without meeting the qualification guidelines, we would not have these staff members to support our students. Without this information, we may be ineligible to apply for grants for other school needs. **Please complete the application that was sent home with your child this week if you meet the income eligibility requirements below.** It would really help us out if the applications are returned by **September 28th**. If you prefer to complete the application online, use the following [link](#): . You will need your Skyward login information to complete the online application. If you do not know your login information, please contact the school office **360-582-3300** or Greywolf@sequimschools.org. Thank you for helping ensure that we can fund and continue these critical student support services!

WHO SHOULD FILL OUT AN APPLICATION?

Fill out the application if:

- Total household income is the SAME or LESS than the amount on the chart
- You receive Basic Food, take part in the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), or receive Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) for your children
- You are applying for foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court

If completing a non-electronic version, turn in the application to your Child's School or to the District Office. Be sure to submit **ONLY ONE application per household**. We will notify you if the application is approved or denied. If any child you are applying for is homeless (McKinney-Vento), or migrant, check the appropriate box.

WHAT COUNTS AS INCOME? WHO IS CONSIDERED A MEMBER OF MY HOUSEHOLD?

Look at the income chart below. Find your household size. Find your total household income. If members in the household are paid at different times during the month and you are unsure if your household is eligible, fill out an application and we will determine your income eligibility for you. The information you give will be used to determine your child's eligibility for free or reduced-price meals. Foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals regardless of personal use income. If you have questions about applying for meal benefits for foster children, please contact us at 360-582-3260.

HOUSEHOLD is defined as all persons, including parents, children, grandparents, and all people related or unrelated who live in your home and share living expenses. If applying for a household with a foster child, you may include the foster child in the total household size. **HOUSEHOLD INCOME** is considered to be the income each household member received before taxes. This includes wages, social security, pension, unemployment, welfare, child support, alimony, and any other cash income. If including a foster child as part of the household, you must also include the foster child's personal income. Do not report foster payments as income.

Jennifer Lopez, GWE Principal

USDA Child Nutrition Program Income Guidelines Effective July 1, 2022–June 30, 2023

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Twice Per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	\$25,142	\$2,096	\$1,048	\$967	\$484
2	\$33,874	\$2,823	\$1,412	\$1,303	\$652
3	\$42,606	\$3,551	\$1,776	\$1,639	\$820
4	\$51,338	\$4,279	\$2,140	\$1,975	\$988
5	\$60,070	\$5,006	\$2,503	\$2,311	\$1,156
6	\$68,802	\$5,734	\$2,867	\$2,647	\$1,324
7	\$77,534	\$6,462	\$3,231	\$2,983	\$1,492
8	\$86,266	\$7,189	\$3,595	\$3,318	\$1,659
For each add'l family member, add:	\$8,732	\$728	\$364	\$336	\$168



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