Uxbridge Public Schools Food Service Department Uxbridge, Ma 01569

## **Public Release Statement**

Uxbridge Public Schools is pleased to announce our participation in the National School Lunch and Breakfast Program. Meals will be available to all children our following schools: Uxbridge High School, Whitin Intermediate School and Taft Early Learning Center.

The Uxbridge Public Schools utilizes the website <u>www.uxbridgepublicschools.com</u> to inform parents of the availability of the National School Lunch and Breakfast programs. You will find various information regarding the Free and Reduced Lunch Program under the Food Service tab.

Annually, we update the information and forms on our website. Forms are also sent home to all students in opening day packets each year. Forms are also available at all schools, the Central Office and can be mailed home when necessary. Additionally, we post information in our local newspaper.

Your family may qualify for free or reduced meals if you have children receiving **MA SNAP**, **MA TAFDC**, **or specific categories of Medicaid**, or **Foster Children** that are under legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court, or children that meet the definition of homeless, runaway or migrant, or if your household income is within the limits of the 2020-2021 Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines listed below:

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	Household Size	Free Meals Yearly Income	Reduced Price Yearly Income		
	1	\$16,588	\$23,606		
	2	\$22,412	\$31,894		
	3	\$28,236	\$40,182		
	4	\$34,060	\$48,470		
	5	\$39,884	\$56,758		
	6	\$45,708	\$65,046		
	7	\$51,532	\$73,334		
	8	\$57,356	\$81,622		
For e	ach additional family membe	r add: \$ 5,824	\$ 8,288		

Applications are accepted all year and only one (1) application is needed per family.

Students approved by the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (Virtual Gateway) will be notified by mail. Families that receive this letter from the School Nutrition Director DO NOT need to fill out an application. If you have children that are not listed on the letter, please inform your School Nutrition Director. This letter should be kept for your records.

Meal Prices					
	Grades K-5	Grades 8-12	Reduced		
Breakfast	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$.30		
Lunch	\$3.00	\$3.25	\$.40		
Milk	\$.60	\$.60	.65		