

# Use the color-coded folders to separate your Free & Reduced Meal Applications and fill them into the corresponding blanks on the

## School Food Authority (SFA) Verification Collection Report

### Section 3: Students Approved as Free eligible Not subject to verification

\*Check the box only if all schools and/or RCCIs in the SFA were not required to perform direct certification with SNAP (i.e. NON BASE year Provision 2/3 for all schools)

Total number of **students** who were directly certified through Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). **Include children who are extended free eligibility because they are living within a household that is receiving SNAP:**

DC SNAP

Total number of **students** directly certified through other programs (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations, foster, homeless, migrant, runaway, head start or even star, or non-applicant but approved by local officials). **Do not include SNAP students already reported in previous question:**

DC TANF, FDPPIR +

Total number of **applications** approved as **State Free 200** based on household size and State Income Eligibility Guidelines

STATE FREE

Total number of **students** approved as **State Free 200** based on household size and State Income Eligibility Guidelines

STATE FREE

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### Section 4: Household applications and students approved as Free or Reduced Price eligible

Please enter the number of **approved application forms** on file for the following eligibility determinations:

Total number of applications approved as categorically Free eligible based on those providing information on an application form i.e. SNAP or TANF case number:

FREE Case Number

Total number of applications approved as Free eligible based on household size and income information:

FREE Income

Total number of applications approved as Reduced Price eligible based on household size and income information:

REDUCED Income

Please enter the number of **students** approved as Free or Reduced Price by the following eligibility determinations:

Total number of students approved as categorically Free eligible based on those providing information on an application form i.e. SNAP or TANF case number:

FREE Case Number

Total number of students approved as Free eligible based on household size and income information:

FREE Income

Total number of students approved as Reduced Price eligible based on household size and income information:

REDUCED Income

**Total FEDERAL FREE Eligible Students Reported:**

**Total REDUCED PRICE Eligible Students Reported:**

**FREE**  
**Income Eligible**  
 # APPLICATIONS \_\_\_\_\_  
 # STUDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

**FREE**  
**SNAP / TANF**  
**Case Number Provided**  
 # APPLICATIONS \_\_\_\_\_  
 # STUDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

**REDUCED**  
**Income Eligible**  
 # APPLICATIONS \_\_\_\_\_  
 # STUDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

Always Check your DC List in STARS and remove any applications that are indicated on that list.

**Change to DC**

**OCTOBER 1st**  
 After removing the Directly Certified Applications from your folders, count the remaining Applications and multiply it by 0.03.  
 This is the number of applications that your district must verify.  
 Always round up to the next whole number  
 Ex. 1.01 should be rounded to 2

**VERIFICATION**  
**3% round up**

From your DC Report in STARS, report record your students by category.

- DHS-FS = SNAP
- DHS-AF = TANF

Make sure these students are not counted in any of the folders above.

**DC**  
**SNAP**  
 # STUDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

**DC**  
**TANF, FDPIR +**  
**Foster, Homeless, Migrant,**  
**Runaway, Head Start**  
 # STUDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

**PAID**  
**Not Income**  
**Eligible**

**NEW**  
 This year we take our paid (over income) applications and match them against the New STATE FREE 200 Status.  
 Although Students will receive meals at no cost these applications are not subject to Federal Verification.

**STATE FREE**  
**Not Counted**  
**for Verification**