



# SUN Bucks Benefits Eligibility

## What does this mean?

This chart provides a very basic overview of student eligibility requirements for SUN Bucks benefits.

**SFAs** are encouraged to connect with their assigned HNS Specialist with questions.

**Parents and Families** are encouraged to connect with their school contact or visit [azed.gov/SUNBucks](http://azed.gov/SUNBucks) for more information.

**Streamlined Eligible:** Received benefits under SNAP, TANF, FDPIR, Medicaid (with a reported household income at or below 185% of the federal poverty level), Foster, McKinney-Vento Homeless, Migrant, or Head Start. Please note, a match in Foster, Migrant, or Homeless does not extend free meal or SUN Bucks benefits to other household members.

\*The eligibility period for SUN Bucks changes each year, please visit [azed.gov/SUNBucks](http://azed.gov/SUNBucks) for more information.

**Enrolled in an NSLP School for at least one instructional school day between July 1 - June 30  
(Not Operating a Special Provision Option or in a Provision 2 or 3 Base Year)**

Direct Certification Match or Extended Match

OR

Free or Reduced by Income Eligibility Application

OR

SUN Bucks Application

**Enrolled in an NSLP School operating a Special Provision Option (CEP or Provision Non-Base Year) for at least one instructional school day between July 1 - June 30**

Direct Certification Match or Extended Match

OR

SUN Bucks Application

**Enrolled in a Non-NSLP School**

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Ages 6-16 during the SUN Bucks Eligibility Period\*