## PUBLIC MEDIA RELEASE 2023-2024 CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM

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lame of Site(s)	Address of Site(s)				
Charlotte Head Start	125 Doyle Hill Charlotte, TN 37036				
Dickson Head Start	119 West Broad St. Dickson, TN 37055 3215 Hwy. 149 Erin, TN 37061 220 East Swift St. McEwen, TN 37101				
Houston Head Start					
McEwen Head start					
Stewart Head Start	500 Williams Rd. Big Rock, TN 37023				

## USDA Income Eligibility Guidelines Effective July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	FREE MEALS - 130 %				REDUCID PRICE MEALS - 185 %					
	ANNUAL	MONTHLY	TWICE PER WEEK	EVERY TWO WEEKS	WEEKLY	ANNUAL	MONTHLY	TWICE PER WEEK	EVERY TWO WEEKS	WEEKLY
1	18,954	1,580	790	729	365	26,973	2,248	1,124	1,038	519
2	25,636	2,137	1,069	986	493	36,482	3,041	1,521	1,404	702
	32,318	2,694	1,347	1,243	622	45,991	3,833	1,917	1,769	885
3	· ·				750	55,500	4,625	2,313	2,135	1,068
4	39,000	3,250	1,625	1,500						1,251
5	45,682	3,807	1,904	1,757	879	65,009	5,418	2,709	2,501	
6	52,364	4,364	2,182	2,014	1,007	74,518	6,210	3,105	2,867	1,434
7	59,046	4,921	2,461	2,271	1,136	84,027	7,003	3,502	3,232	1,616
	65,728	5,478	2,739	2,528	1,264	93,536	7,795	3,898	3,598	1,799
8	05,720	5,476	2,755	2,020						
For each add'l family	6,682	557	279	257	129	9509	793	397	366	183

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