

Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)
Brentwood UFSD Household Income Eligibility Form (2026-2027)

Brentwood Union Free School District is participating in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). All children in the school will receive meals at **no charge** regardless of household income or completion of this form. This form is to determine eligibility for additional state and federal program benefits that your child(ren) may qualify for. Read the instructions on the back, complete **only one form** for your household, **sign your name and return your child's school**. Call 621-434-2316 (Brentwood Food Service) if you need help.

1. List all children in your household who attend school:

Student Name	School	Grade	Student ID #	Foster Child	Homeless, Migrant, Runaway
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2. SNAP/TANF/FDPIR Benefits: If anyone in your household receives either SNAP, TANF or FDPIR benefits, list their name and CASE # here. Skip to Part 4, and sign the form.

Name: _____ CASE # _____

3. Household Gross Income: List all people living in your household, how much and how often they are paid (weekly, every other week, twice per month, monthly, or yearly). Do not leave income blank. If no income, check box. If you have listed a foster child above, you must report their personal income.

Name of all household members	Earnings from work before deductions <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Child Support, Alimony <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Pensions, Retirement Payments <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Other Income, Social Security <i>Amount / How Often</i>	No Income
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4. Signature: An adult household member must sign this form.

I certify (promise) that all the information on this form is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the information is being given so the school may receive federal funds. The school officials may verify the information and if I purposely give false information, I may be prosecuted under applicable State and federal laws, and my children may lose meal benefits.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE – FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY

Annual Income Conversion (Only convert when multiple income frequencies are reported on application)
Weekly X 52; Every Two Weeks (bi-weekly) X 26; Twice Per Month X 24; Monthly X 12

Free Eligibility ____ Reduced Eligibility ____ Denied Eligibility ____

Household members ____ Date processed ____

Signature of Reviewing Official: _____

CEP Household Income Form INSTRUCTIONS

PART 1 ALL HOUSEHOLDS MUST COMPLETE STUDENT INFORMATION. DO NOT FILL OUT MORE THAN ONE FORM FOR YOUR HOUSEHOLD.

- (1) Print the names of the children, including foster children, for whom you are applying on one form.
- (2) List their grade and school, etc.
- (3) Check the box to indicate a foster child living in your household and check the box for each child with no income.

PART 2 HOUSEHOLDS GETTING SNAP, TANF OR FDPIR SHOULD COMPLETE PART 2 AND SIGN PART 4.

- (1) List a current SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program), TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) or FDPIR (Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations) case number of anyone living in your household. Do not use the 16-digit number on your benefit card. The case number is provided on your benefit letter.
- (2) An adult household member must sign the form in PART 4. **SKIP PART 3** - Do not list names of household members or income if you list a SNAP, TANF or FDPIR number.

PARTS 3 & 4 ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS MUST COMPLETE ALL OF PARTS 3 AND 4.

- (1) Write the names of everyone in your household, whether or not they get income. Include yourself, the children you are completing the form for, all other children, your spouse, grandparents, and other related and unrelated people living in your household. Use another piece of paper if you need more space.
- (2) Write the amount of current income each household member receives, before taxes or anything else is taken out, and indicate where it came from, such as earnings, welfare, pensions and other income. If the current income was more or less than usual, write that person's usual income. **Specify how often this income amount is received: weekly, every other week (bi-weekly), 2 x per month, monthly, or yearly. If no income, check the box.** The value of any childcare provided or arranged, or any amount received as payment for such childcare or reimbursement for costs incurred for such care under the Child Care and Development Block Grant, TANF and At Risk Child Care Programs should **not** be considered as income for this program.

PRIVACY STATEMENT (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents/ guardians and students over 18 years of age (referred to as "eligible students" in this notice) certain rights with respect to the student's education records. They are:

- 1) The right to inspect and review the student's education records within 45 days of the day the Brentwood School District receives a request for access. Parents/guardians or eligible students shall submit a written request to the school principal that identifies the records they wish to inspect. The principal will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.
- 2) The right to request the amendment of student's education records that the parent/guardian or eligible student believes are inaccurate or misleading. Parents/guardians or eligible students may ask the Brentwood School District to amend a record that they believe is inaccurate or misleading. They should write to the school principal, clearly identifying the part of the record that they want to change, and specify why they believe it is inaccurate or misleading. If the Brentwood School District decides not to amend the record as requested by the parent/guardian or eligible student, it will notify the parent/ guardian or eligible student of the decision and advise them of their right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent/guardian or the eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing.
- 3) The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent. One exception that permits disclosure without consent is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the Brentwood School District as an administrator, supervisor, instructor, or support staff member (including health or medical staff and security staff); a person serving on the Board of Education; a person or company with whom the Brentwood School District has contracted to perform a certain task (such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant, or therapist), or a parent/guardian or student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing his/her tasks.

A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his/her professional responsibilities. Upon request, the Brentwood School District discloses education records without consent to officials of another school district in which a student seeks or intends to enroll. Additionally, the revised Elementary and Secondary Education Act requires high schools to release student directory information (name, address, phone numbers) to military recruiters and "institutes of higher learning," which includes colleges, trade schools and technical schools. However, under FERPA, parents/guardians have the right to prohibit the release of directory information without prior parental consent. If parents/guardians or students over the age of 18 wish to exercise this right, a written request must be sent within one (1) month from the first day of school to the, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education, at the Anthony F. Felicio Administration Building, 52 Third Avenue, Brentwood, NY 11717.

- 4) The right to file a complaint with the United State Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the Brentwood School District to comply with the requirements of FERPA. Further information about FERPA regulations is available in each school building in the District. FERPA is administered through the Family Policy Compliance Office, United States Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202-4605.