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Dear Editor:

The Ventura Unified School District's Food & Nutrition Services Department participates in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). To ensure access to the program by children within our community, we are required to notify the media in our service areas of our participation in the program.

Attached is our public announcement of participation. Please use this information as a free public service announcement.

Thank you for your assistance in serving the children of our community.

Sincerely,

Food & Nutrition Services

Ventura Unified School District

Child and Adult Care Food Program Public Media Release
Child Care Center—Nonpricing Program

Ventura Unified School District

_____ announces participation in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). The CACFP is available without charge to all enrolled children at the following location(s):

Center Address: See attached list

City: _____ Zip Code: 93001

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Nondiscrimination Statement

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.

Program information may be made available in languages other than English. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication to obtain program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotope, American Sign Language), should contact the responsible state or local agency that administers the program or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/ad-3027.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

1. Mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. Fax: (833) 256-1665 or 202-690-7442; or
3. Email: program.intake@usda.gov

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

For more information, contact:

Name: Kimberley Legeman Phone: 805-641-5000

Address: 255 W Stanley Ave Suite 100 City: Ventura Zip Code: 93001

Income Eligibility Scale

Effective from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

Centers Free Scale

Household size	Annual	Monthly	Twice per month	Every two weeks	Weekly
1	\$20,345	\$1,696	\$848	\$783	\$392
2	\$27,495	\$2,292	\$1,146	\$1,058	\$529
3	\$34,645	\$2,888	\$1,444	\$1,333	\$667
4	\$41,795	\$3,483	\$1,742	\$1,608	\$804
5	\$48,945	\$4,079	\$2,040	\$1,883	\$942
6	\$56,095	\$4,675	\$2,338	\$2,158	\$1,079
7	\$63,245	\$5,271	\$2,636	\$2,433	\$1,217
8	\$70,395	\$5,867	\$2,934	\$2,708	\$1,354
For each additional family member, add	\$7,150	\$596	\$298	\$275	\$138

Centers Reduced-price Scale

Household size	Annual	Monthly	Twice per month	Every two weeks	Weekly
1	\$28,953	\$2,413	\$1,207	\$1,114	\$557
2	\$39,128	\$3,261	\$1,631	\$1,505	\$753
3	\$49,303	\$4,109	\$2,055	\$1,897	\$949
4	\$59,478	\$4,957	\$2,479	\$2,288	\$1,144
5	\$69,653	\$5,805	\$2,903	\$2,679	\$1,340
6	\$79,828	\$6,653	\$3,327	\$3,071	\$1,536
7	\$90,003	\$7,501	\$3,751	\$3,462	\$1,731
8	\$100,178	\$8,349	\$4,175	\$3,853	\$1,927
For each additional family member, add	\$10,175	\$848	\$424	\$392	\$196

A household of one means a child who is their sole support. Foster children are one-member households only if the welfare or the placement agency maintains legal responsibility for the child. Household is synonymous with family and means a group of related or unrelated individuals who are not residents of an institution or boarding house, but who are living as one economic unit sharing housing and all significant income and expenses.

This scale does not apply to households that receive Food Stamps (known as CalFresh in California), California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWorks), or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations. Those children are automatically eligible for free meal benefits.

Site Name	Site Address
Pacific High	501 College Dr. Ventura 93003
Citrus Glen Elementary	9655 Darling Rd. Ventura 93004
Ventura High	2 N. Catalina St. Ventura 93001
Sunset Elementary	400 Sunset Ave. Oak View 93022
Lemon Grove	450 Valmore Ave. Ventura 93003
E.P. Foster Elementary	20 Pleasant Place Ventura 93001
Elmhurst Elementary	5080 Elmhurst St. Ventura 93003
Juanamaria Elementary	100 S. Crocker Ave Ventura 93004
Junipero Serra Elementary	8880 Halifax St. Ventura 93004
Lincoln Elementary	1107 E. Santa Clara St. Ventura 93001
Montalvo Elementary	2050 Grand Ave. Ventura 93003
Academy of Technology & Leadership at Saticoy	760 Jazmin Ave. Ventura 93004
Sheridan Way Elementary	573 Sheridan Way Ventura 93001
Will Rogers Elementary	316 Howard St. 93003
Anacapa Middle	100 S. Mills Rd. Ventura 93003
Balboa Middle	247 Hill Rd. Ventura 93003
De Anza Academy of Technology and the Arts	2060 Cameron St. Ventura 93001
Portola Elementary	6700 Eagle St. Ventura 93003