



**DO YOU NEED
FOOD
ASSISTANCE?**



**NJ SNAP could
be your answer**



Student Eligibility Requirements

What is NJ SNAP?

NJ SNAP, formerly Food Stamps, is New Jersey's Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program that can help low-income families buy the groceries they need to eat healthy.

Overview

Students who are enrolled in post-secondary education are eligible to participate in NJ SNAP if they meet specific criteria, one which is a SNAP Employment & Training (SNAP E&T) component or a program whose student eligibility requirements are equivalent to an accepted NJ SNAP E&T component.

In addition to meeting the basic SNAP eligibility criteria, students must also meet one of the following exclusions:

1. Be age 17 and under or over age 50;
2. Be enrolled in an approved Career and Technical Education Program at a New Jersey Community College;
3. Be employed at least 20 hours per week and paid for such employment;
4. Be participating in a federal or state work study program during the school year;
5. Be participating in an on-the-job training program;
6. Be responsible for the care of a dependent household member under the age of 6;
7. Be a single parent enrolled full-time and responsible for a dependent under age 12;
8. Be unable to work due to a physical or mental disability;
9. Be receiving WFNJ/TANF benefits;
10. Be participating in a Job Opportunities and Basic Skills program under Title IV of the Social Security Act or its successor program;
11. Be assigned to or placed in an institution of higher education as part of the NJ SNAP E&T program.

Application Process

All students must complete a Student Eligibility Verification Form which is available in **The Office of Dean of Student Affairs** located in Room 5103 on the 5th Floor

For more information or to complete an application please contact:

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