

# City of Bridgeport Lighthouse Program Sliding Fee Structure

Please use the following chart when calculating how much a parent will be asked to pay for their child’s participation in the Lighthouse Program

## USDA Income Eligibility Guidelines July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025

This chart is updated yearly.

Family size	Federal Poverty Guidelines	210%	185% USDA Income Eligibility Guideline – Reduced Meals
1	15,060	31,626	27,861
2	20,440	42,924	37,814
3	25,820	54,222	47,767
4	31,200	65,520	57,720
5	36,580	76,818	67,673
6	41,960	88,116	77,626
7	47,340	99,414	87,579
8	52,720	110,712	97,532
Each Add’l Family Member Add	5,380	11,298	9,953

### School Year 2024/25 After School Fees per Child

\$5.00 per week if below 185% USDA Income Eligibility guideline

\$10.00 per week if over 185% but below Income 210% USDA Income Eligibility guideline

\$15.00 per week if over 210% USDA Income Eligibility guideline

### Registration Fee:

For Families below the 185% USDA Income Eligibility guideline for their family size, the \$25.00 registration fee shall be applied toward the first five week’s payment

### Multiple Children:

For families below the 185% USDA Income Eligibility guideline for their family size who are able to pay, the following shall apply:

First Child is full price at \$5.00

Second Child is half price at \$2.50

Three or more children are free

To qualify families, please ask them to provide the top sheet of their most recent Tax Return first. If unable, they should be as asked for two recent consecutive paystubs for **each** working family member. Parents who are **unable or unwilling** to provide this information may still register but should do so with the Site Coordinator. No child regardless of where they fall on the scale above shall be turned away based on ability to pay.