

## FOOD STAMPS

Food stamps attempt to help low income households stretch their food dollars. Food coupons can be used to buy good, hunting and fishing gear (with the exception of firearms and ammo and as long as it is for subsistence living), and seeds or plants to grow your own food. The coupons may also be used to purchase group meals for the elderly.

Amount of coupons received depends on the size of the household and the households' monthly income. Necessary living expenses and income are considered for eligibility so proof of these must be shown. Also, some type of identification is needed. If you think you are eligible, go to the local food stamp office or the eligibility worker who covers your village.

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