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| **Important Dates** | **REPORT/APPLICATION** |
| July 1, 2021 | Start Date for School Year 2021/2022 |
| First Day of School – 2021/2022 | Income Eligibility Applications are Provided for Parents/Guardian to Complete. |
| August 31, 2021 | 1st Direct Certification is Due |
| August 31, 2021 | Financial Report (Worksheet, Net Cash Resource, Non Federal Funds worksheet) |
| September 1, 2021 | Paid Lunch Price Report due to State Agency |
| September 15, 2021 | Second Review of Income Eligibility Application |
| October 1, 2021 | School Food Safety Inspections (2 per school year required) |
| October 3, 2021 | SFAs start Verification for Income Eligibility Applications. |
| October 30, 2021 | Paid Lunch Price Report Due – FNS 828 |
| November 1, 2021 | SFAs Verification Collection Report is Submitted to State Agency. Form: FNS - 742 |
| November 30, 2021 | 2nd Direct Certification is Due |
| December 31, 2021 | NSLP Year End Balance Report Due for Paid Lunch Price |
| February 1, 2022 | 3rd Direct Certification is Due |
| March 1, 2022 | Application Renewal Process Begins for Private Schools for 2022-2023 |
| April 2, 2022 | Application Update Process Begins for all SFAs for 2022-2023 |
| May 1, 2022 | 4th Direct Certification is Due |
| June 30, 2022 | End of School Year |

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