

## Dried Beans, Peas or Lentils



Any Brand  
1 lb bag  
No Flavorings

## Tuna



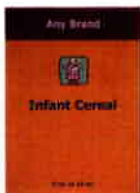
Least Expensive Brand  
Chunk Light Tuna  
6 to 6 1/2 oz Can Only

## Carrots



Any Brand  
1 lb Bag Fresh Carrots or  
14 to 16 oz Canned Sliced Carrots

## Infant Cereal



Any Brand  
Rice, Oatmeal, Mixed, or Barley  
8 oz or 16 oz Box Only  
No Added Formula or Fruit

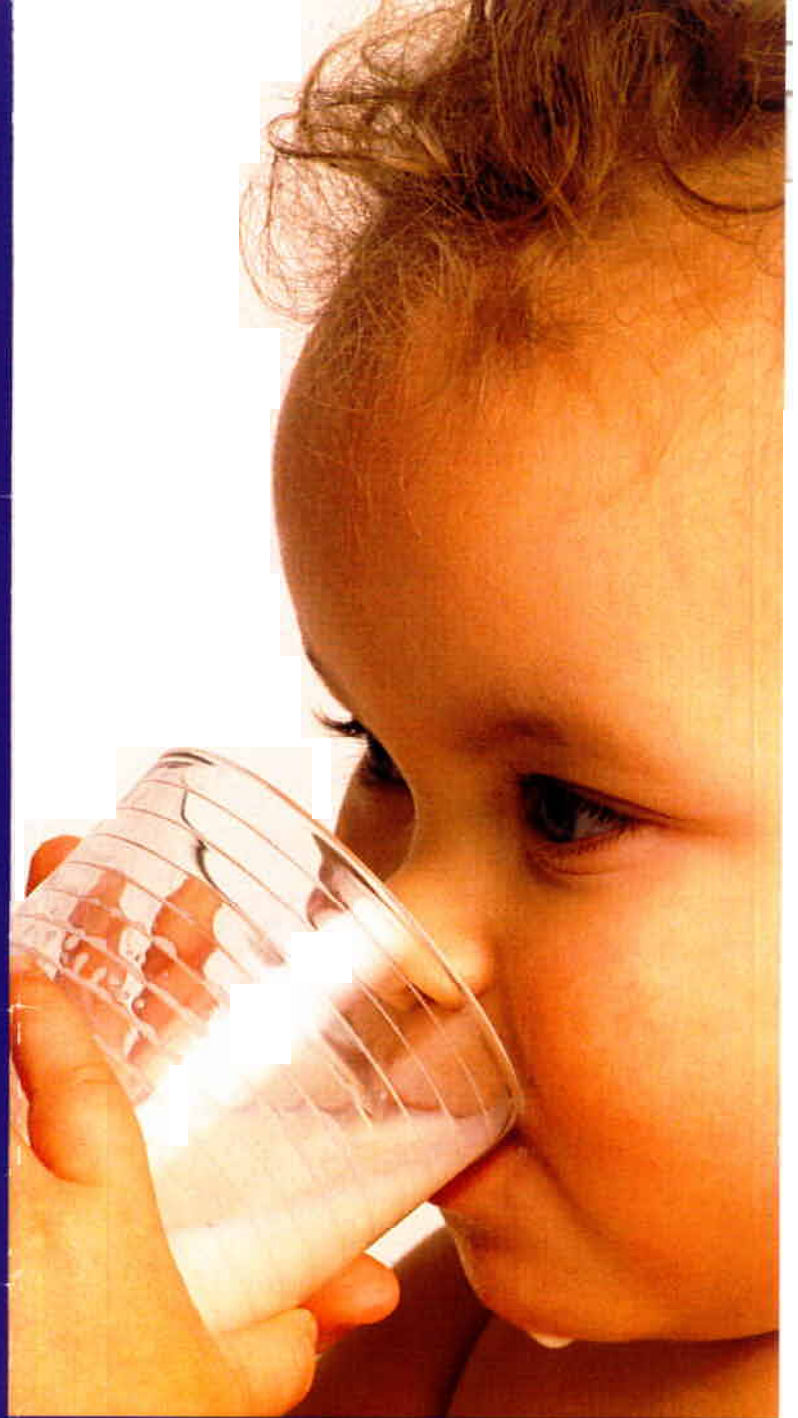
## Infant Formula



Concentrate or Powder Infant Formula  
As Listed on WIC Check

For more information, call the  
Family Health Information Line at 1-800-942-7434

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# Rhode Island WIC Approved Foods Cashier Guide

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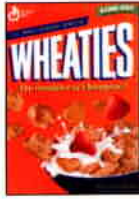
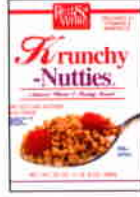
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# Cereals

(12 oz Box or Larger)



Cereal		Cereal		=	36 oz
18 oz	+	18 oz			

Cereal		Cereal		=	36 oz
20 oz	+	16 oz			

Cereal		Cereal		=	36 oz
24 oz	+	12 oz			

Cereal		Cereal			Cereal		=	36 oz
12 oz	+	12 oz	+	12 oz				



## Juices

All Juices Must be 100% Juice

### Juicy Juice - All Flavors



46 oz Fluid Can



11.5 oz Liquid Concentrate

### Grape Juice - Frozen Concentrate



Welch's, 11.5 oz  
Yellow Stripe Only



Welch's White Grape, 11.5 oz  
Yellow Stripe Only

### Apple Juice - Frozen Concentrate



Seneca, 12 oz  
Red Can Only



Shaw's, 12 oz



IGA, 12 oz



Stop & Shop, 12 oz

### 100% Orange Juice Any Brand



46 oz Fluid Can  
12 oz Frozen Concentrate

### 100 % Grapefruit Juice Any Brand



46 oz Fluid Can  
12 oz Frozen Concentrate

### 100% Pineapple Juice Any Brand Vitamin C Fortified



46 oz Fluid Can  
12 oz Frozen Concentrate

## Check Cashing Procedure

1. Ask the shopper for the WIC ID folder.
2. Check that the Payee Name and the Participant Number on the WIC check match the ID folder.
3. Do not accept the check if the check or the folder is altered.
4. Verify the dates on the WIC check. Do not accept checks before the "FIRST DAY TO USE" or after the "LAST DAY TO USE" listed on the WIC check.
5. Make sure the shopper has selected only WIC approved foods.
6. Make sure the amount of food does not exceed the amount listed on the check.
7. Process the order. Ring in or scan in all items.
8. Enter the total amount of the sale on the WIC check. Please print clearly.
9. Ask the shopper to sign the WIC check with a pen.
10. Verify that the signature on the check matches the signature on the ID folder.

### Important Points to Remember:

- ◆ WIC shoppers must be allowed to buy all the foods in the amounts listed on the check.
- ◆ WIC shoppers can use manufacturer and store coupons. Deduct the value of the coupon(s) before entering the total amount of the sale on the WIC check.
- ◆ WIC shoppers are entitled to promotions (for example, buy one get one free) offered to other shoppers.
- ◆ Print clearly and carefully.

For more detailed information,  
ask the manager or refer to the  
WIC Managers Guide.

## How to Correct a Pricing Error on a WIC Check

A pricing error is an incorrect price, an unclear number, or a number that has been altered or traced over.

1. Cross out the original price.
2. Write the correct price to the left.
3. Ask the shopper to sign the check in the signature box at the bottom of the WIC check.
4. Ask the shopper to sign the check again in the price correction box.

WIC checks with corrections and/or alterations that do not follow this procedure will not be paid by the bank.

The image shows a WIC check from the State of Rhode Island. It includes a header with the state name and program details. The main body contains a list of items: 1 GAL MILK, 1/2 GAL MILK, 1 JAR (16-18 OZ) PEANUT BUTTER, and 36 OZ (OR LESS) WIC CEREAL. The price for the milk is listed as 15.23. There are four numbered arrows pointing to specific areas: 1 points to the signature box, 2 points to the price correction box, 3 points to the signature line, and 4 points to the price correction box.

## Milk

Whole, Low Fat or Nonfat



Store Brand or  
Least Expensive Brand

## Cheese



American, Cheddar, Colby, Monterey Jack,  
Mozzarella, Muenster or Provolone

Any Brand  
One Package Only, Up to 16 oz  
Sliced, Shredded or Block. No Individually Wrapped Slices.  
Domestic Cheese Only. No Imported Cheese.

## Eggs



Least Expensive Brand  
Grade A Large  
Brown or White

## Peanut Butter



Any Brand  
Smooth or Chunky  
No Added Honey or Jelly  
18 oz Jar