

# SUN Bucks Summer EBT for School Children

SUN Bucks or Summer EBT (S-EBT) provides families with \$120 for each eligible child to buy groceries during the summer of 2024.

Note: Children who get SUN Bucks can still participate in other summer meal programs. SUN Bucks will not affect immigration status.

## Children who are eligible for SUN Bucks S-EBT

Your child will automatically get SUN Bucks if they are:

- Attending Head Start, experiencing homelessness, living in foster care, or are in a migrant family
- Age 6 to 18 years and get CalFresh, CalWORKs, or Medi-Cal
- Or, age 0 to 22 years and attend schools participating in the National School Lunch or School Breakfast Programs. Students must also be approved for free or reduced-price meals. Check with your child's school to make sure your free or reduced-price meal application or Alternative Income Form is on file.

## How to get SUN Bucks S-EBT

If your children are eligible for SUN Bucks, you do not need to fill out an application. An S-EBT card for each eligible child will be automatically mailed to your home.

Make sure your mailing address is current by updating it at [BenefitsCal.com](https://www.benefitscal.com). If you qualify for free or reduced-price meals, you can change your address at your child's school.

## How to use SUN Bucks S-EBT

Use the S-EBT card just like a debit card to buy food like fruits, vegetables, meat, whole grains, and dairy at grocery stores, farmers' markets, and other places that accept CalFresh EBT benefits.

### Learn more

- Please visit <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/sun-bucks>
- See S-EBT details on the California Department of Education's [Summer EBT 2024 Announcement](#)
- View flyer: [English](#) | [Español](#)