

Income Eligibility Guidelines

For Day Care Home Providers Qualifying as Tier I

Children who participate in the following programs are automatically eligible for the Tier I reimbursement rate:

- CalFresh Program (formerly known as Food Stamps)
- California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Program
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservation
- Foster Care Program

The eligibility scale is for determining participating children's eligibility category for federal meal reimbursement if they are not recipients of any of the programs listed above. Participants from households with total gross incomes at or below the following levels may be eligible for free or reduced-price reimbursement rates.

Income Eligibility Scale

Effective from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026

Day Care Home Tier I Scale

Household size	Annual	Monthly	Twice per month	Every two weeks	Weekly
1	\$28,953	\$2,413	\$1,207	\$1,114	\$557
2	\$39,128	\$3,261	\$1,631	\$1,505	\$753
3	\$49,303	\$4,109	\$2,055	\$1,897	\$949
4	\$59,478	\$4,957	\$2,479	\$2,288	\$1,144
5	\$69,653	\$5,805	\$2,903	\$2,679	\$1,340
6	\$79,828	\$6,653	\$3,327	\$3,071	\$1,536
7	\$90,003	\$7,501	\$3,751	\$3,462	\$1,731
8	\$100,178	\$8,349	\$4,175	\$3,853	\$1,927
For each additional family member, add	\$10,175	\$848	\$424	\$392	\$196

The term household means a group of related or unrelated individuals who are not residents of an institution or boarding house but who are living as one economic unit, sharing housing and all significant income and expenses.

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