



# ARIZONA P-EBT REPORT

## School Year 2020–2021

WHO CARDS WERE ISSUED TO:  
**Head of household**

COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH PLAN FOR 2020–2021:  
**Bulletins to local school districts, meetings with local media, P-EBT informational landing page with FAQs, press and social media releases, partnering with community organizations for marketing, considering radio/TV spots.**

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:  
**631,000**

DATE TO START ISSUING SCHOOL-AGE BENEFITS:  
**April 17, 2021**

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:  
**134,304**

DATE TO START ISSUING CHILD CARE BENEFITS:  
**March 18, 2021**

## Summer 2021

STANDARD BENEFIT (Y/N):  
**Yes**

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:  
**750,000**

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:  
**150,000**

TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHOOL-AGE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:  
**\$281,250,000**

TOTAL ESTIMATED CHILD CARE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:  
**\$56,250,000**

## SUMMARIES

**SUMMARY OF HOW STATE COLLECTED NAMES FOR ISSUANCE:** The Department of Economic Security (DES) will use its list of eligible children as of the last transmission from the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) as the basis. DES expects to receive the file in early July 2021.

**SUMMARY OF HOW THE STATE IDENTIFIED NEWLY ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** ADE will generate a new file based on the NSLP application submissions from

schools through August. These will be cross-referenced with previous issuances to remove duplicative records before payment in September/October.

**SUMMARY OF HOW STATE COLLECTED NAMES FOR CHILDREN UNDER 6:** Arizona will take the 15 county designations for child care that will qualify and identify all child care children on SNAP in June for full summer benefits. Newly eligible will be included on an ongoing basis.

**SUMMARY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH PLAN FOR SUMMER 2021:** See School Year Communications and Outreach Summary.

**SUMMARY OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS:** Arizona DES hotline will refer disputes to Client Liaison Unit or Level 2 P-EBT support team for remediation.

**DATE TO START ISSUING BENEFITS:** August 1, 2021