



OKLAHOMA P-EBT REPORT

School Year 2020–2021

WHO CARDS WERE ISSUED TO:

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COMMUNICATIONS AND OUTREACH PLAN FOR 2020–2021:

Press and social media release, letter to households.

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:

425,732

DATE TO START ISSUING SCHOOL-AGE BENEFITS:

August 1, 2021

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:

82,862

DATE TO START ISSUING CHILD CARE BENEFITS:

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Summer 2021

STANDARD BENEFIT (Y/N):

Yes

NUMBER OF SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN SERVED:

382,941

NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE SERVED:

0

TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHOOL-AGE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:

\$131,250,000

TOTAL ESTIMATED CHILD CARE BENEFIT ISSUANCE FOR SUMMER:

\$0

SUMMARIES

SUMMARY OF HOW STATE COLLECTED NAMES FOR ISSUANCE: Oklahoma Department of Human Services (DHS) will issue benefits based upon the May 2021 eligible child file as provided by the State Department of Education (SDE). FNS has made the simplified assumption that graduating seniors will be eligible to receive Summer P-EBT, and therefore, will be included in the benefit.

SUMMARY OF HOW THE STATE IDENTIFIED NEWLY ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: DHS will ask SDE to report children that were enrolled during the 20–21 school year that became newly eligible for the National School Lunch Program over the summer.

SUMMARY OF HOW STATE COLLECTED NAMES FOR CHILDREN UNDER 6: Oklahoma will use the child care data file for May 2021 to issue Summer P-EBT benefits. All children in that data file under the age of 6 will be included in the Summer P-EBT benefit issuance, even if they resided in a county where no children were eligible for P-EBT benefits in May 2021, the last month of the school year.

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

SUMMARY OF DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS:

Eligibility questions as well as the benefit amounts (based on the number of virtual instruction days per month) will be addressed by the local school districts. Card issuance and benefits transmission issues will be handled by DHS. There will be an email box set up for schools to contact DHS if they are showing that they have the correct data for a child entered into reduced-price and that the benefits were not issued. Said email box will be monitored by the DHS SNAP unit at state office.

DATE TO START ISSUING BENEFITS: January 2022