



NC Pandemic Electronic Benefits (P-EBT) Information for Fall 2020

Who Will Get P-EBT Benefits?

| INCLUDED | NOT INCLUDED |
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| <p>The school district or charter school attended must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Participate in the National School Lunch Program; AND 2. Have had virtual learning at least 5 days in a row for all students between August 17, 2020 and September 30, 2020 <p>AND</p> <p>The student meets at least one of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Received P-EBT benefits last school year, OR 2. Qualify automatically (without application) for free and reduced lunch for the current school year because the student or household participates in a designated public assistance program, OR 3. Attend a school where all students receive free or reduced lunch for the current school year. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students enrolled in school districts or charter schools not participating in the National School Lunch Program. • Students enrolled in school districts or charter schools not meeting the criteria for virtual learning 5 or more days in a row for all students during identified time frames. • P-EBT recipients last school year that are no longer enrolled at a school that participates in the National School Lunch Program. (Examples: students who graduated, dropped out of school, transferred to a school not participating, etc.) • Students who did not receive P-EBT benefits last school year, and who do not automatically qualify for free or reduced lunch for the current school year through participation in designated public assistance programs OR attend a school where all students receive free and reduced lunch. (Examples: Student applied for free and reduced lunch this school year (2020-2021) but the student did not receive P-EBT last year and is not directly certified for free and reduced lunch via public assistance.) |

New Kindergartners

To be receive P-EBT benefits for the 2020-2021 school year, Kindergartners must be:

Enrolled in a school district or charter school that:

1. Participates in the National School Lunch Program, **AND**
2. Has had virtual learning at least 5 days in a row for all students between August 17, 2020 and September 30, 2020.

AND

The student meets at least one of the following:

1. Qualify automatically (without application) for free and reduced lunch for the current school year because the student or household participates in a designated public assistance program, **OR**
2. Attend a school where all students receive free or reduced lunch for the current school year.

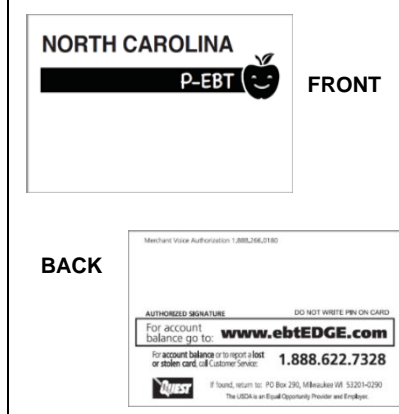
Need to Activate a New Card?

Just do one of these:

1. Visit www.ebtedge.com. Click on "More Information" under EBT Cardholder. You will be prompted to login and/or register your account.
2. Download the ebtEDGE mobile app. The app is available on Apple Store and Google Play.
3. Call 1-888-622-7328 and follow the prompts to activate your PIN.

To set a PIN for activation, you will need to enter the date of birth of the youngest school age child in your household. Enter the date of birth using two digits for the month, two digits for the day, and four digits for the year. For example, if the date of birth is June 1, 2008, you would enter 06012008.

P-EBT Card Sample



Lost Your P-EBT card?

You can order a replacement card by:

- Visiting www.ebtedge.com if you created an account prior to losing or destroying the card.
- Using the **EBT Edge** mobile app (can be downloaded on Google Play or Apple Store) if you registered your phone prior to losing or destroying the card.

Calling the EBT Call Center at 1-866-719-0141 for directions on obtaining a new card.