

P-EBT Program

- **New 6-5-2020!** The letter is addressed to the oldest student in the home. Example: if FSSA received one address with three different students at this same address, the one envelope with one card is addressed to the oldest student. The card must then be activated to determine the benefit amount.
- For a flyer in English, click [here](#) and for a flyer in Spanish, click [here](#).
- Click [here](#) for Frequently Asked Questions.
- If parents or guardians have questions, <https://www.in.gov/fssa/dfp/5767.htm>, general questions to 1-800-403-0864, and specific questions to 317-233-7123.
- Click [here](#) for a sample letter and click [here](#) for a sample buck slip.
- In the meantime there should be Summer Food Service sites where households can get meals for students. Find sites on the map [here](#).
- IDOE is supporting Indiana's Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA) and their work with the federally funded Pandemic Electronic Benefits Transfer (P-EBT) Program.
- Indiana families qualifying for Free and Reduced Price meals are eligible under this program to receive direct assistance.
- This assistance will be based on the number of school days missed and the number of school-aged children in the household.
- In order for these benefits (approximately \$300/student) to be released to families, IDOE collected all student addresses from schools.
- Using these addresses, FSSA will be able to distribute these funds to qualified Hoosier families.
- IDOE has submitted the data to FSSA.
- The student names and addresses collection was a onetime data pull and at this time ***there is no way to add additional students in or change addresses.***
- **Parents do not need to submit any information.**
- IDOE is talking with FSSA on a solution for families that are eligible and didn't get the benefit. Nothing is available at this time, but hopefully, there will be a solution in the coming weeks.
- P-EBT distribution should be finalized by the beginning of June.