

More than a Meal

Filling out a Free or Reduced-price Meal Application affects many areas—check it out!

School Funding

Increased funding ensures that students receive the support they need at school.



College App Fees

Discount on fees associated with applying to college are available.



SAT, ACT, AP Fees

Discounts on fees for academic tests are available.



Internet Access

Discounted Internet access is available. Please go online to www.getemergencybroadband.org to find out more.



P-EBT

Pandemic related food benefits for families are available by going online to <https://capandemic-ebt.org> or by calling the helpline at 877-328-9677



Child Care/Camperships

Discounts or fee waivers are available. Check with your local organization.

Complete an Application

Visit <https://family.titank12.com> to submit an application online.

You only need to complete one application for your entire household. Visit your school office for a paper copy of the application. Completing an application helps ensure that your school gets the funding it deserves even if you do not qualify for the program.

Frequently Asked Questions

How does the free/reduced-priced meal program affect school funding?

Every student who is under a certain income, who is learning English, or is homeless or in foster care, generates 20% more funding. In districts where at least 55% of students fall into these categories, they receive even more funding. In Burbank Unified, additional dollars are given to each school to increase or improve services for these students. Completing the meal application ensures that your school receives all available funds.

Do I need to fill out an application for each child?

No, you fill out one form for multiple children in the same household.

Who will know that our family submitted an application?

Our system is confidential. Your permission is required to share the information with other agencies or programs.

Do I still need to fill out a form if I qualify for other benefits?

If you are currently receiving CalFresh or CalWORKS benefits you may automatically qualify. Call the Food Service Office to check.

How can qualifying for free/reduced-priced meals help with SAT/ACT/AP or college application fees?

Any 11th or 12th grade student that qualifies for the free/reduced-priced meal program is eligible for SAT/ACT/AP fee waivers or discounts. Students who take the SAT using a test fee waiver can choose four colleges from over 2,000 participating colleges and apply for free.

Can I still fill the application out online?

Yes, visit <https://family.titank12.com> and click on the link for the online application or visit www.busdfoods-services.com and click on the meal application link.

Do I have to list a social security number?

Yes, you must print the last four (4) digits of your social security number (SSN) or check the box next to "NO SSN" if you do not have one.

How is internet access connected to the free/reduced-price meal program?

The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is a Federal program available at this time for eligible families because of the Covid-19 Pandemic.

