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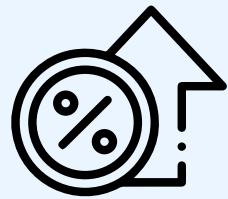
# Child Care Subsidy

has changed

## Child care is now more affordable for more families

Making early childhood education and care more affordable has benefits for many children and their families, communities and the Australian economy.

### What you need to know



The income limit is **increasing to \$530,000 a year.**

**90%**

Families earning \$80,000 or less will get **90% subsidy.**



Families earning below \$362,408 with more than one child aged 5 or under in care can get a **higher rate of Child Care Subsidy** for one or more of their children.



Families with **Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander children** can get at least **36 hours of subsidised care** per fortnight per child.

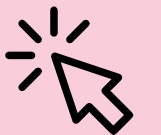
### What you need to do

If you **already get Child Care Subsidy**, you **don't need to do anything.** Services Australia will apply these changes for you.

If you **don't get Child Care Subsidy**, you may now be eligible. Go to **[www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/childcaresubsidy](http://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/childcaresubsidy)** for more information.



If you are a family with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander children, you can contact Services Australia to update your child's Child Care Subsidy details. For more information go to **[Services Australia](http://ServicesAustralia.gov.au)**.



Use the Child Care Subsidy Calculator at **[startingblocks.gov.au](http://startingblocks.gov.au)** to find out what your family might pay.

For more information visit **[childcaresubsidy.gov.au](http://childcaresubsidy.gov.au)**

