



## Are you missing out on a minimum of **£24** a week?

If you are responsible for bringing up a child who is

- under 16
- under 20 and in approved education or training

Then you could **claim Child Benefit**

**There's no limit to how many children you can claim for**

\*Only one person can get Child Benefit for a child.

\*To find out more scan the QR code or visit <https://www.gov.uk/child-benefit>

**Scan** to learn more about Child Benefit



## What you might be able to claim

There are 2 Child Benefit rates

Who the allowance is for	Rate (weekly)
Eldest or only child	£24.00
Additional children	£15.90 per child

If either you or your partner earns more than £50,000 a year before tax, you can still apply for Child Benefit, for more information please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/child-benefit/what-youll-get>

If you have **2 children** you could get **£39.90** a week

If you have **3 children** you could get **£55.80** a week

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# Make a claim



You can claim Child Benefit 48 hours after you've registered the birth of your child, or once a child comes to live with you. Child Benefit can be backdated for up to 3 months.

## Before you start

You'll need:

- your child's birth or adoption certificate
- your bank or building society details
- your National Insurance number
- your partner's National Insurance number, if you have one

## If your child's birth was registered outside the UK

You'll need to send:

- your child's original birth or adoption certificate
- your child's passport or the travel document they used to enter the UK

Any documents you send will usually be returned in 4 weeks.

If you do not have the certificate you need, make a claim now and send the certificate once you've got it.

# How to make a claim

## Claim online

You can claim online on the GOV.UK website by scanning the QR code or by visiting <https://www.gov.uk/child-benefit/how-to-claim>



## Claim by post

If you are unable to claim online you can download the child benefit claim form on the GOV.UK website: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/claim-child-benefit-if-you-cannot-claim-online>

## Claim by phone

Call HMRC for information about eligibility, claiming and stopping Child Benefit, changing your personal details and making a complaint.

Telephone: 0300 200 3100

Monday to Friday: 8am to 6pm