



Pandemic EBT 4.0: Outcomes Report

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Pandemic EBT (P-EBT) 4.0 was a disaster response program intended to support school-aged children and young children under age six who lost access to free or reduced-price school meals due to facility closures, a transition to a virtual learning model, or absences from school due to COVID-19 illness during the months of August 2022 through May 11, 2023, the end of the Public Health Emergency (PHE). P-EBT 4.0 also authorized summer benefits for eligible school-aged children for June 2023 through August 2023.

P-EBT 4.0 was administered by the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) in partnership with the California Department of Education (CDE).

P-EBT 4.0 Statewide Data Outcomes

The tables below summarize aggregate P-EBT 4.0 data statewide. All data is up to date as of December 2023.

Summary of Statewide P-EBT 4.0 Data for Young Children under Age Six	Value
Total Eligible Children	851,817
Total Benefits Issued	\$222,744,730
Total Number of Pinned Cards	711,837
PIN Rate	84%
Total Benefits Used	189,309,356

Summary of Statewide P-EBT 4.0 Data for School-Aged Children	Value
Total Eligible Children	5,201,680
Total Benefits Issued	\$620,783,939
Total Number of Pinned Cards	4,093,690
PIN Rate	79%
Total Benefits Used	\$473,776,596

P-EBT 4.0 County by County Data Outcomes*

The tables below summarize county-by-county P-EBT data. All data is up to date as of December 2023.

County	Total Children Served	Total Benefits Issued	Total Cards Pinned	Total Pin Rate
Alameda	159,251	\$26,615,557	82,324	51.7%
Alpine	68	\$10,376	28	41.2%
Amador	3,647	\$583,530	1,940	53.2%
Butte	27,931	\$5,307,013	16,259	58.2%
Calaveras	4,528	\$734,743	2,490	55.0%
Colusa	4,951	\$719,430	3,109	62.8%
Contra Costa	142,674	\$21,201,653	72,657	50.9%
Del Norte	4,683	\$812,305	2,765	59.0%
El Dorado	12,160	\$1,848,944	6,080	50.0%
Fresno	218,589	\$37,298,792	143,501	65.6%
Glenn	5,596	\$881,544	3,408	60.9%
Humboldt	17,116	\$3,568,784	9,753	57.0%
Imperial	39,321	\$6,269,733	25,872	65.8%
Inyo	3,168	\$491,105	1,745	55.1%
Kern	207,167	\$33,148,719	135,915	65.6%
Kings	30,542	\$4,995,594	19,926	65.2%
Lake	11,614	\$1,949,080	7,060	60.8%
Lassen	3,001	\$635,135	1,620	54.0%
Los Angeles	1,250,092	\$201,392,754	768,301	61.5%
Madera	35,674	\$6418,730	23,948	67.1%
Marin	14,242	\$2,176,361	7,675	53.9%
Mariposa	2,107	\$361,038	1,137	54.0%
Mendocino	14,161	\$2,435,624	8,440	59.6%
Merced	67,360	\$10,723,560	44,770	66.5%
Modoc	1,253	\$207,859	759	60.6%
Mono	1,123	\$150,005	461	41.1%
Monterey	75,392	\$11,415,648	49,664	65.9%
Napa	16,166	\$2,406,945	8,662	53.6%
Nevada	5,893	\$991,012	3,018	51.2%
Orange	348,233	\$52,462,069	194,631	55.9%
Placer	27,811	\$4,126,660	14,018	50.4%
Plumas	2,328	\$330,586	1,204	51.7%
Riverside	403,300	\$64,464,364	246,106	61.0%
Sacramento	215,219	\$36,614,063	124,660	57.9%
San Benito	9,777	\$1,422,335	5,998	61.3%
San Bernardino	403,305	\$70,245,925	254,482	63.1%
San Diego	392,614	\$60,170,441	209,315	53.3%
San Francisco	59,719	\$9,204,285	30,367	50.8%
San Joaquin	143,615	\$23,508,175	89,279	62.2%
San Luis Obispo	31,012	\$4,737,849	15,642	50.4%
San Mateo	46,058	\$6,557,626	22,761	49.4%
Santa Barbara	69,467	\$10,499,560	42,520	61.2%

County	Total Children Served	Total Benefits Issued	Total Cards Pinned	Rate (%)
Santa Clara	152,736	\$22,589,136	77,831	51.0%
Santa Cruz	27,579	\$4,721,489	16,442	59.6%
Shasta	23,164	\$3,562,926	13,127	56.7%
Sierra	176	\$27,545	103	58.5%
Siskiyou	5,676	\$1,367,618	3,243	57.1%
Solano	55,681	\$8,911,082	31,017	55.7%
Sonoma	42,763	\$6,708,880	23,820	55.7%
Stanislaus	109,721	\$18,436,259	69,492	53.3%
Sutter	18,155	\$2,760,515	11,068	61.0%
Tehama	11,332	\$1,871,979	6,873	60.7%
Trinity	1,911	\$331,163	1,075	56.3%
Tulare	118,313	\$19,828,734	79,235	67.0%
Tuolumne	3,412	\$568,928	1,856	54.4%
Ventura	95,506	\$14,687,308	58,495	61.2%
Yolo	23,566	\$3,618,601	13,538	57.4%
Yuba	16,405	\$2,815,357	9,972	60.8%
County Unavailable	6,812	\$1,475,212	1,914	28.1%

P-EBT 4.0 Children Under Age Six Data Outcomes

County	Children Under Age Six Served	Children Under Age Six Benefits Issued	Children Under Age Six Cards Pinned	Children Under Age Six PIN Rate
Alameda	21,848	\$5,545,663	15,526	71.1%
Alpine	18	\$4,376	9	50.0%
Amador	653	\$170,728	474	72.6%
Butte	5,050	\$1,329,400	3,758	74.4%
Calaveras	889	\$223,449	581	65.4%
Colusa	538	\$132,912	426	79.2%
Contra Costa	16,488	\$4,254,541	12,250	74.3%
Del Norte	868	\$228,049	616	71.0%
El Dorado	1,865	\$468,678	1,209	64.8%
Fresno	47,283	\$12,790,881	37,889	80.1%
Glenn	779	\$198,424	591	75.9%
Humboldt	3,660	\$969,011	2,686	73.4%
Imperial	7,603	\$2,032,484	6,051	79.6%
Inyo	381	\$99,195	267	70.1%
Kern	39,144	\$10,382,374	31,558	80.6%
Kings	5,869	\$1,551,561	4,674	79.6%
Lake	2,374	\$632,513	1,894	79.8%
Lassen	715	\$185,847	469	65.6%
Los Angeles	220,812	\$59,181,299	167,304	75.8%
Madera	7,202	\$1,941,507	5,835	81.0%
Marin	2,267	\$611,600	1,681	74.2%
Mariposa	399	\$103,051	287	71.9%
Mendocino	2,503	\$659,127	1,873	74.8%
Merced	12,132	\$3,227,997	9,775	80.6%

County	Children Under Age Six Served	Children Under Age Six Benefits Issued	Children Under Age Six Cards Pinned	Children Under Age Six PIN Rate
Modoc	311	\$80,537	232	74.6%
Mono	134	\$31,290	102	76.1%
Monterey	13,789	\$3,422,697	11,035	80.0%
Napa	1,572	\$386,501	1,152	73.3%
Nevada	1,393	\$353,209	940	67.5%
Orange	41,751	\$10,604,048	30,988	74.2%
Placer	3,556	\$862,797	2,400	67.5%
Plumas	344	\$90,011	251	73.0%
Riverside	58,595	\$15,031,238	44,594	76.1%
Sacramento	41,850	\$10,792,290	29,974	71.6%
San Benito	1,405	\$351,036	1,081	76.9%
San Bernardino	67,414	\$17,742,447	52,164	77.4%
San Diego	57,082	\$14,454,075	39,210	68.7%
San Francisco	8,804	\$2,319,355	6,269	71.2%
San Joaquin	22,507	\$5,853,069	17,669	78.5%
San Luis Obispo	3,579	\$893,182	2,431	67.9%
San Mateo	5,530	\$1,302,056	3,893	70.4%
Santa Barbara	12,119	\$3,051,171	9,419	77.7%
Santa Clara	16,834	\$4,313,300	12,294	73.0%
Santa Cruz	4,614	\$1,182,909	3,373	73.1%
Shasta	4,333	\$1,098,117	3,125	72.1%
Sierra	42	\$9,963	23	54.8%
Siskiyou	1,202	\$310,395	861	71.6%
Solano	8,763	\$2,195,320	6,043	69.0%
Sonoma	6,164	\$1,559,524	4,409	71.5%
Stanislaus	15,735	\$3,969,779	12,305	78.2%
Sutter	2,701	\$713,369	2,128	78.8%
Tehama	2,085	\$532,891	1,519	72.9%
Trinity	385	\$102,309	284	73.8%
Tulare	24,699	\$6,780,122	20,133	81.5%
Tuolumne	816	\$199,150	556	68.1%
Ventura	14,065	\$3,586,294	10,595	75.3%
Yolo	3,110	\$803,084	2,341	75.3%
Yuba	3,192	\$845,157	2,472	77.4%
County Unavailable	2	\$360	2	100%

P-EBT 4.0 School-Aged Data Outcomes

County	School-Aged Children Served	School-Aged Benefits Issued	School-Aged Cards Pinned	School-Aged PIN Rate
Alameda	137,403	\$21,069,894	66,798	48.6%
Alpine	50	\$6,000	19	38.0%
Amador	2,994	\$412,802	1,466	49.0%
Butte	22,881	\$3,977,613	12,501	54.6%
Calaveras	3,639	\$511,294	1,909	52.5%
Colusa	4,413	\$586,518	2,683	60.8%
Contra Costa	126,186	\$16,947,112	60,407	47.9%
Del Norte	3,815	\$584,256	2,149	56.3%
El Dorado	10,295	\$1,380,266	4,871	47.3%
Fresno	171,306	\$24,507,911	105,612	61.7%
Glenn	4,817	\$683,120	2,817	58.5%
Humboldt	13,456	\$2,599,773	7,067	52.5%
Imperial	31,718	\$4,237,249	19,821	62.5%
Inyo	2,787	\$391,910	1,478	53.0%
Kern	168,023	\$22,766,345	104,357	62.1%
Kings	24,673	\$3,444,033	15,252	61.8%
Lake	9,240	\$1,316,567	5,166	55.9%
Lassen	2,286	\$449,288	1,151	50.3%
Los Angeles	1,029,280	\$142,211,455	600,997	58.4%
Madera	28,472	\$4,477,223	18,113	63.6%
Marin	11,975	\$1,564,761	5,994	50.1%
Mariposa	1,708	\$257,987	850	49.8%
Mendocino	11,658	\$1,776,497	6,567	56.3%
Merced	55,228	\$7,495,563	34,995	63.4%
Modoc	942	\$127,322	527	55.9%
Mono	989	\$118,715	359	36.3%
Monterey	61,603	\$7,993,951	38,629	62.7%
Napa	14,594	\$2,020,444	7,510	51.5%
Nevada	4,500	\$673,803	2,078	46.2%
Orange	306,482	\$41,858,021	163,643	53.4%
Placer	24,255	\$3,263,863	11,618	47.9%
Plumas	1,984	\$240,575	953	48.0%
Riverside	344,705	\$49,433,126	201,512	58.5%
Sacramento	173,369	\$25,821,773	94,686	54.6%
San Benito	8,372	\$1,071,299	4,917	58.7%
San Bernardino	335,891	\$52,503,478	202,318	60.2%
San Diego	335,532	\$45,716,366	170,105	50.7%
San Francisco	50,915	\$6,884,930	24,098	47.3%
San Joaquin	121,108	\$17,655,106	71,610	59.1%
San Luis Obispo	27,433	\$3,844,667	13,211	48.2%
San Mateo	40,528	\$5,255,570	18,868	46.6%
Santa Barbara	57,348	\$7,448,389	33,101	57.7%

County	School-Aged Children Served	School-Aged Benefits Issued	School-Aged Cards Pinned	School-Aged PIN Rate
Santa Clara	135,902	\$18,275,836	65,537	48.2%
Santa Cruz	22,965	\$3,538,580	13,069	56.9%
Shasta	18,831	\$2,464,809	10,002	53.1%
Sierra	134	\$17,582	80	59.7%
Siskiyou	4,474	\$1,057,223	2,382	53.2%
Solano	46,918	\$6,715,762	24,974	53.2%
Sonoma	36,599	\$5,149,356	19,411	53.0%
Stanislaus	93,986	\$14,466,480	57,187	60.8%
Sutter	15,454	\$2,047,146	8,940	57.8%
Tehama	9,247	\$1,339,088	5,354	57.9%
Trinity	1,526	\$228,854	791	51.8%
Tulare	93,614	\$13,048,612	59,102	63.1%
Tuolumne	2,596	\$369,778	1,300	50.1%
Ventura	81,441	\$11,101,014	47,900	58.8%
Yolo	20,456	\$2,815,517	11,197	54.7%
Yuba	13,213	\$1,970,200	7,500	56.8%
County Unavailable	6,810	\$1,474,852	1,912	28.1%

Data Sources

Source: California Department of Social Services Research and Data Division Internal Pandemic EBT Database, as of 12/01/2023

*County-by-county breakout dollar amounts are estimates due to data limitations on how county information was tracked and will not equal the sum of the statewide data.



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