

Child & Family Tax Credit

Get \$440 for every qualifying dependent

For tax year 2024, Massachusetts residents may claim a refundable child and family tax credit of \$440 for every qualifying dependent listed below:



- Children under age 13 who qualify as a dependent
- A dependent, or the taxpayer's spouse, who is physically or mentally incapable of taking care of themselves and principally lives with the taxpayer
- A dependent who is age 65
- A dependent who is disabled

How do I claim my credit?

To claim the Child & Family Tax Credit, you must file a Massachusetts income tax return, even if you don't have any income to report.

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