

Working for Families Tax Credits 2021

WEEKLY PAYMENTS (1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021)

FAMILY TAX CREDIT (FTC) AND IN-WORK TAX CREDIT (IWTC)

Family tax credit is paid regardless of your source of income.
In-work tax credit is for families who are normally in paid work.

FAMILY INCOME (BEFORE TAX)		NUMBER OF CHILDREN											
		ONE		TWO		THREE		FOUR		FIVE		SIX	
Weekly \$	Annual \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$	FTC \$	IWTC \$
0 to 821	0 to 42700	113.00	72.00	204.00	72.00	295.00	72.00	386.00	87.00	478.00	102.00	569.00	117.00
822 to 846	42701 to 44000	106.00	72.00	198.00	72.00	289.00	72.00	380.00	87.00	471.00	102.00	563.00	117.00
847 to 875	44001 to 45500	99.00	72.00	190.00	72.00	282.00	72.00	373.00	87.00	464.00	102.00	555.00	117.00
876 to 904	45501 to 47000	92.00	72.00	183.00	72.00	274.00	72.00	366.00	87.00	457.00	102.00	548.00	117.00
905 to 933	47001 to 48500	85.00	72.00	176.00	72.00	267.00	72.00	358.00	87.00	450.00	102.00	541.00	117.00
934 to 962	48501 to 50000	77.00	72.00	169.00	72.00	260.00	72.00	351.00	87.00	442.00	102.00	534.00	117.00
963 to 990	50001 to 51500	70.00	72.00	161.00	72.00	253.00	72.00	344.00	87.00	435.00	102.00	526.00	117.00
991 to 1019	51501 to 53000	63.00	72.00	154.00	72.00	246.00	72.00	337.00	87.00	428.00	102.00	519.00	117.00
1020 to 1048	53001 to 54500	56.00	72.00	147.00	72.00	238.00	72.00	330.00	87.00	421.00	102.00	512.00	117.00
1049 to 1077	54501 to 56000	49.00	72.00	140.00	72.00	231.00	72.00	322.00	87.00	414.00	102.00	505.00	117.00
1078 to 1106	56001 to 57500	41.00	72.00	133.00	72.00	224.00	72.00	315.00	87.00	406.00	102.00	498.00	117.00
1107 to 1135	57501 to 59000	34.00	72.00	125.00	72.00	217.00	72.00	308.00	87.00	399.00	102.00	490.00	117.00
1136 to 1163	59001 to 60500	27.00	72.00	118.00	72.00	209.00	72.00	301.00	87.00	392.00	102.00	483.00	117.00
1164 to 1192	60501 to 62000	20.00	72.00	111.00	72.00	202.00	72.00	294.00	87.00	385.00	102.00	476.00	117.00
1193 to 1221	62001 to 63500	13.00	72.00	104.00	72.00	195.00	72.00	286.00	87.00	378.00	102.00	469.00	117.00
1222 to 1250	63501 to 65000	5.00	72.00	97.00	72.00	188.00	72.00	279.00	87.00	370.00	102.00	462.00	117.00
1251 to 1279	65001 to 66500		72.00	90.00	72.00	181.00	72.00	272.00	87.00	363.00	102.00	454.00	117.00
1280 to 1308	66501 to 68000		63.00	82.00	72.00	173.00	72.00	265.00	87.00	356.00	102.00	447.00	117.00
1309 to 1337	68001 to 69500		56.00	75.00	72.00	166.00	72.00	257.00	87.00	349.00	102.00	440.00	117.00
1338 to 1365	69501 to 71000		49.00	68.00	72.00	159.00	72.00	250.00	87.00	341.00	102.00	433.00	117.00
1366 to 1394	71001 to 72500		42.00	61.00	72.00	152.00	72.00	243.00	87.00	334.00	102.00	426.00	117.00
1395 to 1423	72501 to 74000		35.00	53.00	72.00	145.00	72.00	236.00	87.00	327.00	102.00	418.00	117.00
1424 to 1452	74001 to 75500		27.00	46.00	72.00	137.00	72.00	229.00	87.00	320.00	102.00	411.00	117.00
1453 to 1481	75501 to 77000		20.00	39.00	72.00	130.00	72.00	221.00	87.00	313.00	102.00	404.00	117.00
1482 to 1510	77001 to 78500		13.00	32.00	72.00	123.00	72.00	214.00	87.00	305.00	102.00	397.00	117.00
1511 to 1538	78501 to 80000		6.00	24.00	72.00	116.00	72.00	207.00	87.00	298.00	102.00	389.00	117.00
1539 to 1567	80001 to 81500			17.00	72.00	109.00	72.00	200.00	87.00	291.00	102.00	382.00	117.00
1568 to 1596	81501 to 83000			10.00	72.00	101.00	72.00	193.00	87.00	284.00	102.00	375.00	117.00
1597 to 1625	83001 to 84500			3.00	72.00	94.00	72.00	185.00	87.00	277.00	102.00	368.00	117.00
1626 to 1654	84501 to 86000				68.00	87.00	72.00	178.00	87.00	269.00	102.00	361.00	117.00
1655 to 1683	86001 to 87500				61.00	80.00	72.00	171.00	87.00	262.00	102.00	353.00	117.00
1684 to 1712	87501 to 89000				54.00	72.00	72.00	164.00	87.00	255.00	102.00	346.00	117.00
1713 to 1740	89001 to 90500				46.00	65.00	72.00	156.00	87.00	248.00	102.00	339.00	117.00
1741 to 1769	90501 to 92000				39.00	58.00	72.00	149.00	87.00	241.00	102.00	332.00	117.00
1770 to 1798	92001 to 93500				32.00	51.00	72.00	142.00	87.00	233.00	102.00	325.00	117.00
1799 to 1827	93501 to 95000				25.00	44.00	72.00	135.00	87.00	226.00	102.00	317.00	117.00
1828 to 1856	95001 to 96500				18.00	36.00	72.00	128.00	87.00	219.00	102.00	310.00	117.00
1857 to 1885	96501 to 98000				10.00	29.00	72.00	120.00	87.00	212.00	102.00	303.00	117.00
1886 to 1913	98001 to 99500				3.00	22.00	72.00	113.00	87.00	204.00	102.00	296.00	117.00
1914 to 1942	99501 to 101000					15.00	72.00	106.00	87.00	197.00	102.00	289.00	117.00
1943 to 1971	101001 to 102500					8.00	72.00	99.00	87.00	190.00	102.00	281.00	117.00
1972 to 2000	102501 to 104000						72.00	92.00	87.00	183.00	102.00	274.00	117.00
2001 to 2029	104001 to 105500						66.00	84.00	87.00	176.00	102.00	267.00	117.00
2030 to 2058	105501 to 107000						58.00	77.00	87.00	168.00	102.00	260.00	117.00
2059 to 2087	107001 to 108500						51.00	70.00	87.00	161.00	102.00	252.00	117.00
2088 to 2115	108501 to 110000						44.00	63.00	87.00	154.00	102.00	245.00	117.00
2116 to 2144	110001 to 111500						37.00	56.00	87.00	147.00	102.00	238.00	117.00
2145 to 2173	111501 to 113000						30.00	48.00	87.00	140.00	102.00	231.00	117.00
2174 to 2202	113001 to 114500						22.00	41.00	87.00	132.00	102.00	224.00	117.00
2203 to 2231	114501 to 116000						15.00	34.00	87.00	125.00	102.00	216.00	117.00
2232 to 2260	116001 to 117500						8.00	27.00	87.00	118.00	102.00	209.00	117.00
2261 to 2288	117501 to 119000						1.00	19.00	87.00	111.00	102.00	202.00	117.00
2289 to 2317	119001 to 120500							12.00	87.00	104.00	102.00	195.00	117.00

If you're receiving a Foster Care Allowance (board payments from Oranga Tamariki—Ministry for Children), Orphan's or Unsupported Child Benefit, the amounts listed in the chart above may not apply to you. To estimate your entitlement use our **Estimate your Working for Families Tax Credits** calculator at ird.govt.nz/tools-calculators or call us on 0800 227 773.

MINIMUM FAMILY TAX CREDIT – WEEKLY (MFTC)

If your family income is below \$29,432 a year after tax (or \$34,487 before tax) you may also be entitled to this payment.

FAMILY INCOME (BEFORE TAX)		Weekly MFTC \$
Weekly \$ (gross)	Annual \$ (gross)	
0 to 182	0 to 9,500	566 - 402
182 to 269	9,501 to 14,000	402 - 325
270 to 298	14,001 to 15,500	325 - 301
299 to 326	15,501 to 17,000	301 - 277
327 to 355	17,001 to 18,500	277 - 253
356 to 384	18,501 to 20,000	253 - 229
385 to 413	20,001 to 21,500	229 - 206
414 to 442	21,501 to 23,000	206 - 182
443 to 471	23,001 to 24,500	182 - 158
472 to 500	24,501 to 26,000	158 - 135
501 to 528	26,001 to 27,500	134 - 110
529 to 557	27,501 to 29,000	110 - 87
558 to 586	29,001 to 30,500	87 - 63
587 to 615	30,501 to 32,000	63 - 39
616 to 644	32,001 to 33,500	39 - 15
645 to 663	33,501 to 34,487	15 - 0

BEST START TAX CREDIT (BSTC)

This is a payment for the first three years of a child's life. You can receive \$60 per week (up to \$3,120 per year) per child.

All qualifying families with a new born child will have an entitlement to BSTC in their child's first year.

FAMILY INCOME (BEFORE TAX)	NUMBER OF CHILDREN WHO QUALIFY FOR BSTC. WEEKLY ENTITLEMENT		
	ONE	TWO	THREE
No income limit in a child's first year.	\$60	\$120	\$180

BEST START TAX CREDITS – CHILDREN AGED 1 TO 3 YEARS

Payments will reduce in the second and third year if your family income is above \$79,000. For every dollar over \$79,000 your family's annual entitlement will be reduced by 21 cents.

FAMILY INCOME (BEFORE TAX)		NUMBER OF BSTC CHILDREN FROM 1 to 3 YEARS					
Weekly \$	Annual \$	WEEKLY AMOUNT			FORTNIGHTLY AMOUNT		
		ONE	TWO	THREE	ONE	TWO	THREE
1338 to 1365	69501 to 71000	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1366 to 1394	71001 to 72500	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1395 to 1423	72501 to 74000	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1424 to 1452	74001 to 75500	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1453 to 1481	75501 to 77000	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1482 to 1510	77001 to 78500	60.00	120.00	180.00	120.00	240.00	360.00
1511 to 1538	78501 to 80000	55.00	115.00	175.00	111.00	231.00	351.00
1539 to 1567	80001 to 81500	49.00	109.00	169.00	99.00	219.00	339.00
1568 to 1596	81501 to 83000	43.00	103.00	163.00	87.00	207.00	327.00
1597 to 1625	83001 to 84500	37.00	97.00	157.00	75.00	195.00	315.00
1626 to 1654	84501 to 86000	31.00	91.00	151.00	63.00	183.00	303.00
1655 to 1683	86001 to 87500	25.00	85.00	145.00	51.00	171.00	291.00
1684 to 1712	87501 to 89000	19.00	79.00	139.00	39.00	159.00	279.00
1713 to 1740	89001 to 90500	13.00	73.00	133.00	27.00	147.00	267.00
1741 to 1769	90501 to 92000	7.00	67.00	127.00	14.00	134.00	254.00
1770 to 1798	92001 to 93500	1.00	61.00	121.00	2.00	122.00	242.00
1799 to 1827	93501 to 95000		55.00	115.00		110.00	230.00
1828 to 1856	95001 to 96500		49.00	109.00		98.00	218.00
1857 to 1885	96501 to 98000		43.00	103.00		86.00	206.00
1886 to 1913	98001 to 99500		37.00	97.00		74.00	194.00
1914 to 1942	99501 to 101000		31.00	91.00		62.00	182.00
1943 to 1971	101001 to 102500		25.00	85.00		50.00	170.00
1972 to 2000	102501 to 104000		18.00	78.00		37.00	157.00
2001 to 2029	104001 to 105500			12.00	72.00	25.00	145.00
2030 to 2058	105501 to 107000			6.00	66.00	13.00	133.00
2059 to 2087	107001 to 108500				60.00	1.00	121.00
2088 to 2115	108501 to 110000				54.00		109.00
2116 to 2144	110001 to 111500				48.00		97.00
2145 to 2173	111501 to 113000				42.00		85.00
2174 to 2202	113001 to 114500				36.00		73.00
2203 to 2231	114501 to 116000				30.00		60.00
2232 to 2260	116001 to 117500				24.00		48.00
2261 to 2288	117501 to 119000				18.00		36.00
2289 to 2317	119001 to 120500				12.00		24.00

Notes

- The amounts in the charts are estimates only, and are initial payment amounts which may alter if your circumstances change. If your income is above \$120,500 or you have more than six children, use our **Estimate your Working for Families Tax Credits** calculator at ird.govt.nz/tools-calculators or call us on 0800 227 773.
- To see which payment types you are eligible to receive, go to ird.govt.nz/working-for-families
- You can't receive Working for Families Tax Credits (WfFTC) and the independent earner tax credit (IETC) at the same time. If you currently receive the IETC by using the ME or ME SL tax code and are entitled to WfFTC, you must change your tax code with your employer at the same time as you apply for WfFTC.