

**California Department of Education
Homeless Education Resources
May 12, 2020**

Federal Resources (NEW May 12, 2020)

CARES Act

- [The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security \(CARES\) Act full text, education stabilization fund portion highlighted in yellow- Sec.18003](#)

Federal Waivers

- [Federal Funding Flexibility Waiver Approval](#) (PDF; Posted 27-Apr-2020)
- [Federal Assessment and Accountability Waiver Approval](#) (PDF; Posted 01-Apr-2020)

State/California Department of Education (NEW May 12, 2020)

Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)

- [LCAP Executive Order](#) Press Release (Added 24-Apr-2020)
- [LCAP Executive Order FAQ](#) (Added 24-Apr-2020)
- [Changes to the Local Control and Accountability Plan Process and Timelines](#) Powerpoint (Added 30-Apr-2020)

Pandemic Electronic Benefits Transfer Program (P-EBT), by CDE and CDSS:

- CDE: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/nu/pandemicebtchildren.asp>
- CDSS: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/home/pandemic-ebt>
- Parent Information: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/EBT/Pandemic/P-EBT-Reference-Guide.pdf>

Upcoming Webinars (NEW May 12, 2020)

CDE

- EHCY Grantee Webinar: May 20th 10-11:30

National Center for Homeless Education

Visit <https://nche.ed.gov/group-training/> for complete webinar descriptions and to register for any of the below sessions – NOTE: Eastern Standard Times

May 2020 Webinars:

- Understanding Doubled Up
Thursday, May 21, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET

- Mckinney-Vento 101: Understanding The Rights Of Students Experiencing Homelessness
Wednesday, May 27, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET

June 2020 Webinars:

- Understanding Doubled Up
Wednesday, June 3, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET
- Supporting The Education Of Unaccompanied Students Experiencing Homelessness
Thursday, June 18, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET
- Determining Eligibility For Mckinney-Vento Rights And Services
Monday, June 29, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET

July 2020 Webinars:

- Mckinney-Vento School Selection Rights
Tuesday, July 14, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET
- Mckinney-Vento 101: Understanding The Rights Of Students Experiencing Homelessness
Thursday, July 23, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET
- Paving The Way To College For Students Experiencing Homelessness
Wednesday, July 29, 2020 | 2:00pm-3:00pm ET

Past Resources. (April 28, 2020)

- [State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Announces New Statewide Benefit Program to Help Food Insecure Students During Coronavirus Pandemic](#)(Posted 29-Apr-2020)
- [State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Creates New Committee with State Leaders Focused on Achievement Gap and Loss of Learning](#)(Posted 29-Apr-2020)
- [State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Working with State and National Leaders to Study Possibility of Schools Reopening Earlier](#)(Posted 29-Apr-2020)
- [State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Issues Statement in Response to Governor's Remarks for Potential Earlier School Year](#)(Posted 28-Apr-2020)
- [Serving Summer Meals During School Closures fact sheet](#) (PDF) to download and view the fact sheet. Serving Summer Meals During School **Closures Due to COVID-19: A**

SFSP and SSO fact sheet for program operators serving noncongregate meal service during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- COVID-19 Web page <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/he/hn/coronavirus.asp>
- COVID-19 Listserv-send an email to join-covid19-update@mlist.cde.ca.gov

Devices and Hot Spots Information

- [Flyer for Parents for distribution ENGLISH and SPANISH:](#)
- [Available Internet Plans](#)

CALPADS

- Send a blank email to subscribe-calpads-lea@mlist.cde.ca.gov for CALPADS-LEA Listserv
- CALPADS FLASH #175 : [Frequently asked questions](#) related to COVID-19 and CALPADS data collection. (added 14-Apr-2020)

CDE News Releases

- [SB 117 SSPI Announces COVID-19 Response Funding](#)
Posted 01-Apr-2020

Child Care Services \$100 M

- Funding is part of SB 89, emergency legislation to provide up to \$1 billion in funding to help California fight the COVID-19 pandemic
<https://www.gov.ca.gov/2020/04/10/governor-newsom-announces-release-of-100-million-to-support-child-care-services-for-essential-workers-and-vulnerable-populations/>
 - Governor Gavin Newsom, on April 7, 2020, announced release of \$100 million to support child care services, and to support **child care providers** who are stepping up to serve essential infrastructure workers and vulnerable populations and their children during this critical time.
 - \$50 million will go to the California Department of Education to be used to pay for up to **20,000 limited-term additional state-subsidized slots for child care**.
 - \$50 million to the Department to ensure child care centers, facilities and family provider homes are **safe and clean** by reimbursing them for the **purchase of gloves, face coverings, cleaning supplies, and other labor related to cleaning**

Foster Youth and Families Impacted by COVIS-19 \$42 Million (April 13, 2020)

- <https://www.gov.ca.gov/2020/04/13/governor-newsom-announces-42-million-to-protect-foster-youth-and-families-impacted-by-covid-19/>

- Expansion of Helplines – \$250,000 funds will assist 2-1-1 and Parents Anonymous to offer immediate assistance to families in crisis who are seeking assistance. Parents Anonymous will provide expanded hours of services, link parents to online support groups and will make referrals to county and local services and Family Resource Centers as needed.

Food and Nutrition

- On March 25th the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA's) Food and Nutrition Service issued a new [nationwide waiver](#) clarifying its policies on picking up free school meals to-go during the COVID-19 pandemic. Under USDA's initial waiver allowing school to distribute meals to-go to eligible children, the children themselves were required to be present in order for meal pickup. This waiver changes that policy and allows for parents or guardians to pick up their eligible child's meals, without the child being present, effective through the end of June.