

The Self-Sufficiency Standard for Kern County, CA 2008

	<i>One Adult</i>	<i>One Adult, One Child</i>				<i>One Adult, Two Children</i>
Monthly Costs	Adult	Adult + infant	Adult + preschooler	Adult + schoolage	Adult + teenager	Adult + infant + infant
Housing	570	679	679	679	679	679
Child Care	0	611	674	334	0	1222
Food	224	329	339	398	422	432
Transportation	255	262	262	262	255	262
Health Care	104	258	257	263	278	270
Miscellaneous	115	214	221	194	163	286
Taxes	206	307	341	223	198	443
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-50	-28	-109	-163	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-68	-65	-73	0	-110
Child Tax Credit (-)	0	-83	-83	-83	-83	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$8.38	\$13.97	\$14.76	\$11.86	\$9.95	\$18.85
Monthly	\$1,474	\$2,458	\$2,597	\$2,088	\$1,751	\$3,317
Annual	\$17,690	\$29,499	\$31,170	\$25,058	\$21,008	\$39,808

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One Adult, Two Children (continued)

Monthly Costs	Adult + infant + preschooler	Adult + infant + schoolage	Adult + infant + teenager	Adult + preschooler + preschooler	Adult + preschooler + schoolage	Adult + preschooler + teenager
Housing	679	679	679	679	679	679
Child Care	1285	945	611	1348	1008	674
Food	441	498	521	451	508	531
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	270	276	291	269	275	290
Miscellaneous	294	266	236	301	273	244
Taxes	481	352	279	505	390	313
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-42	-134	0	-9	-104
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-105	-120	-68	-105	-115	-65
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$19.54	\$16.75	\$14.26	\$20.13	\$17.63	\$15.09
Monthly	\$3,440	\$2,949	\$2,510	\$3,543	\$3,104	\$2,656
Annual	\$41,275	\$35,383	\$30,126	\$42,512	\$37,245	\$31,877

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	<i>One Adult, Two Children (continued)</i>			<i>One Adult, Three Children</i>		
Monthly Costs	Adult + schoolage + schoolage	Adult + schoolage + teenager	Adult + teenager + teenager	Adult + infant + infant + infant +	Adult + infant + infant + preschooler	Adult + infant + infant + schoolage +
Housing	679	679	679	981	981	981
Child Care	669	334	0	1833	1896	1556
Food	564	587	610	523	533	586
Transportation	262	262	255	262	262	262
Health Care	282	296	311	283	282	288
Miscellaneous	246	216	186	388	395	367
Taxes	278	199	191	750	781	656
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-120	-215	-278	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-114	-63	0	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-127	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$14.64	\$12.10	\$10.38	\$26.53	\$27.16	\$24.70
Monthly	\$2,577	\$2,130	\$1,827	\$4,670	\$4,780	\$4,347
Annual	\$30,930	\$25,557	\$21,923	\$56,035	\$57,357	\$52,163

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One Adult, Three Children (continued)

Monthly Costs	Adult + infant + infant + teenager	Adult + infant + preschooler + preschooler	Adult + infant + preschooler + schoolage	Adult + infant + preschooler + teenager	Adult + infant + schoolage + schoolage	Adult + infant + schoolage + teenager
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	1222	1959	1619	1285	1280	945
Food	608	542	596	618	650	672
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	303	282	288	303	294	309
Miscellaneous	338	403	375	345	347	317
Taxes	550	817	688	572	577	480
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$22.24	\$27.81	\$25.33	\$22.81	\$22.95	\$20.54
Monthly	\$3,914	\$4,894	\$4,458	\$4,015	\$4,040	\$3,615
Annual	\$46,972	\$58,731	\$53,499	\$48,175	\$48,479	\$43,379

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Monthly Costs	Adult + infant + teenager + teenager	Adult + preschooler + preschooler + preschooler	Adult + preschooler + preschooler + schoolage	Adult + preschooler + preschooler + teenager	Adult + preschooler + schoolage + schoolage	Adult + preschooler + schoolage + teenager
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	611	2022	1682	1348	1343	1008
Food	694	551	605	627	659	681
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	324	281	287	302	293	308
Miscellaneous	287	410	382	352	354	324
Taxes	417	852	721	595	601	506
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-55	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$18.58	\$28.46	\$25.96	\$23.39	\$23.54	\$21.14
Monthly	\$3,271	\$5,009	\$4,570	\$4,117	\$4,143	\$3,720
Annual	\$39,247	\$60,105	\$54,834	\$49,405	\$49,710	\$44,637

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<i>One Adult, Three Children (continued)</i>						<i>One Adult, Four Children</i>
Monthly Costs	Adult + preschooler + teenager + teenager	Adult + schoolage + schoolage + schoolage	Adult + schoolage + schoolage + teenager	Adult + schoolage + teenager + teenager	Adult + teenager + teenager + teenager	Adult + infant + infant + presch + presch
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	674	1003	669	334	0	2570
Food	703	713	735	757	779	622
Transportation	262	262	262	262	255	262
Health Care	323	300	315	330	345	294
Miscellaneous	294	326	296	266	236	473
Taxes	446	511	392	325	278	1082
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	-55	-135	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-55	-100	-110	-63	0	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-230	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$19.19	\$21.28	\$18.69	\$16.40	\$14.26	\$33.24
Monthly	\$3,378	\$3,745	\$3,289	\$2,887	\$2,509	\$5,850
Annual	\$40,536	\$44,942	\$39,465	\$34,642	\$30,111	\$70,196

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One Adult, Four Children (continued)

Monthly Costs	Adult + infant + infant + presch + school	Adult + infant + presch + presch + school	Adult + infant + presch + school + school	Adult + presch + school + school + teen	Adult + presch + school + teen + teen	Adult + school + school + teen + teen
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	2230	2293	1954	1343	1008	669
Food	673	681	733	813	834	885
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	300	300	306	326	341	348
Miscellaneous	445	452	423	373	343	314
Taxes	905	938	786	583	488	387
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-110
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$30.47	\$31.10	\$28.47	\$24.13	\$21.73	\$19.33
Monthly	\$5,362	\$5,473	\$5,010	\$4,247	\$3,824	\$3,402
Annual	\$64,342	\$65,679	\$60,125	\$50,966	\$45,885	\$40,829

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<i>One Adult, Four Children (continued)</i>		<i>One Adult, Five Children</i>				
Monthly Costs	All other 1 adult + 4 child families (average)	Adult + 2 infant + 2 presch + school	Adult + infant + 2 presch + 2 school	Adult + 2 presch + 3 school	Adult + 2 presch + 2 school + teen	Adult + presch + 2 school + 2 teen
Housing	981	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	1724	2904	2628	2351	2017	1343
Food	749	788	848	908	929	1001
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	316	312	318	323	338	359
Miscellaneous	403	544	523	502	472	414
Taxes	689	1447	1277	1106	906	640
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-417	-417	-417	-417	-417
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$26.65	\$39.30	\$37.01	\$34.72	\$31.72	\$26.58
Monthly	\$4,691	\$6,917	\$6,514	\$6,112	\$5,583	\$4,678
Annual	\$56,288	\$83,002	\$78,171	\$73,339	\$66,993	\$56,132

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	<i>One Adult, Five Children (continued)</i>			<i>One Adult, Six Children</i>	<i>One Adult, Seven Children</i>	<i>One Adult, Eight Children</i>
Monthly Costs	Adult + 3 school + 2 teen	Adult + 2 school + 3 teen	Adult + 5 child families (average)	Adult + 6 child families (average)	Adult + 7 child families (average)	Adult + 8 child families (minimum)
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1352	1352
Child Care	1003	669	1845	2460	3075	3690
Food	1052	1073	943	1184	1426	1668
Transportation	262	262	262	262	262	262
Health Care	366	381	342	375	407	439
Miscellaneous	386	356	457	546	652	741
Taxes	547	451	830	1232	1924	2415
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-417	-417	-417	-500	-583	-667
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$24.29	\$21.88	\$30.33	\$37.69	\$47.81	\$55.68
Monthly	\$4,275	\$3,850	\$5,338	\$6,634	\$8,415	\$9,800
Annual	\$51,298	\$46,206	\$64,055	\$79,610	\$100,976	\$117,602

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	<i>Two Adults</i>	<i>Two Adults, One Child</i>				<i>Two Adults, Two Children</i>
Monthly Costs	2 Adults	2 Adults + infant	2 Adults + preschooler	2 Adults + schoolage	2 Adults + teenager	2 Adults + infant + infant
Housing	570	679	679	679	679	679
Child Care	0	611	674	334	0	1222
Food	441	539	549	605	629	626
Transportation	494	500	500	500	494	500
Health Care	303	315	315	321	336	328
Miscellaneous	181	264	272	244	214	335
Taxes	265	374	401	310	277	498
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	-17	-75	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-58	-58	-63	0	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	0	-83	-83	-83	-83	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$6.40	\$8.93	\$9.23	\$8.05	\$7.02	\$11.14
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$2,254	\$3,142	\$3,249	\$2,832	\$2,470	\$3,921
Annual	\$27,045	\$37,705	\$38,990	\$33,983	\$29,638	\$47,055

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Monthly Costs	2 Adults + infant + preschooler	2 Adults + infant + schoolage	2 Adults + infant + teenager	2 Adults + preschooler + preschooler	2 Adults + preschooler + schoolage	2 Adults + preschooler + teenager
Housing	679	679	679	679	679	679
Child Care	1285	945	611	1348	1008	674
Food	635	689	711	644	698	720
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	327	333	348	326	333	348
Miscellaneous	343	315	285	350	322	292
Taxes	525	426	363	554	450	392
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	-10	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-55	-100	-100	-55
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$11.44	\$10.29	\$9.28	\$11.75	\$10.58	\$9.61
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$4,028	\$3,621	\$3,266	\$4,136	\$3,724	\$3,384
Annual	\$48,331	\$43,457	\$39,190	\$49,630	\$44,686	\$40,605

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	<i>Two Adults, Two Children (continued)</i>			<i>Two Adults, Three Children</i>		
Monthly Costs	2 Adults + schoolage + schoolage	2 Adults + schoolage + teenager	2 Adults + teenager + teenager	2 Adults + infant + infant + infant	2 Adults + infant + infant + preschooler	2 Adults + infant + infant + schoolage
Housing	679	679	679	981	981	981
Child Care	669	334	0	1833	1896	1556
Food	752	774	796	701	710	761
Transportation	500	500	494	500	500	500
Health Care	339	354	369	340	340	346
Miscellaneous	294	264	234	436	443	414
Taxes	351	296	252	796	828	701
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-2	-91	-176	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-110	-63	0	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$9.39	\$8.18	\$7.05	\$14.88	\$15.19	\$13.95
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$3,305	\$2,881	\$2,481	\$5,237	\$5,348	\$4,910
Annual	\$39,664	\$34,572	\$29,772	\$62,846	\$64,173	\$58,915

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Monthly Costs	2 Adults + infant + infant + teenager	2 Adults + infant + preschooler + preschooler	2 Adults + infant + preschooler + schoolager	2 Adults + infant + preschooler + teenager	2 Adults + infant + schoolage + schoolage	2 Adults + infant + schoolage + teenager
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	1222	1959	1619	1285	1280	945
Food	782	719	770	791	821	842
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	361	339	345	360	351	366
Miscellaneous	385	450	422	392	393	363
Taxes	580	874	733	604	611	510
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$12.67	\$15.55	\$14.26	\$12.96	\$13.03	\$11.81
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$4,461	\$5,472	\$5,020	\$4,563	\$4,588	\$4,159
Annual	\$53,531	\$65,668	\$60,242	\$54,757	\$55,050	\$49,903

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Two Adults, Three Children (continued)

Monthly Costs	2 Adults + infant + teenager + teenager	2 Adults + preschooler + preschooler + preschooler	2 Adults + preschooler + preschooler + schoolage	2 Adults + preschooler + preschooler + teenager	2 Adults + preschooler + schoolage + schoolage	2 Adults + preschooler + schoolage + teenager
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	611	2022	1682	1348	1343	1008
Food	863	728	779	800	830	851
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	381	338	344	359	351	366
Miscellaneous	334	457	429	399	400	371
Taxes	454	907	765	633	640	533
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-50	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$10.87	\$15.86	\$14.58	\$13.27	\$13.34	\$12.10
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$3,824	\$5,583	\$5,131	\$4,671	\$4,695	\$4,260
Annual	\$45,894	\$66,995	\$61,569	\$56,048	\$56,341	\$51,124

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<i>Two Adults, Three Children (continued)</i>						<i>Two Adults, Four Children</i>
Monthly Costs	2 Adults + preschooler + teenager + teenager	2 Adults + schoolage + schoolage + schoolage	2 Adults + schoolage + schoolage + teenager	2 Adults + schoolage + teenager + teenager	2 Adults + teenager + teenager + teenager	2 Adults + infant + infant + presch + presch
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	674	1003	669	334	0	2570
Food	872	881	902	923	944	825
Transportation	500	500	500	500	494	500
Health Care	381	357	372	387	402	351
Miscellaneous	341	372	342	313	282	523
Taxes	478	539	441	388	348	1088
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	-31	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-50	-100	-100	-53	0	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$11.15	\$12.17	\$10.96	\$10.01	\$9.01	\$18.20
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$3,926	\$4,283	\$3,857	\$3,523	\$3,170	\$6,406
Annual	\$47,115	\$51,401	\$46,288	\$42,278	\$38,043	\$76,875

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Monthly Costs	2 Adults + infant + infant + presch + school	2 Adults + infant + presch + presch + school	2 Adults + infant + presch + school + school	2 Adults + presch + school + school + teen	2 Adults + presch + school + teen + teen	2 Adults + school + school + teen + teen
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	2230	2293	1954	1343	1008	669
Food	876	885	936	1017	1038	1089
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	358	357	363	384	399	405
Miscellaneous	495	502	473	423	393	364
Taxes	961	993	853	623	527	435
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$16.96	\$17.27	\$15.99	\$13.74	\$12.54	\$11.39
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$5,968	\$6,079	\$5,628	\$4,837	\$4,413	\$4,010
Annual	\$71,618	\$72,945	\$67,536	\$58,047	\$52,956	\$48,125

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<i>Two Adults, Four Children (continued)</i>		<i>Two Adults, Five Children</i>				
Monthly Costs	All other 2 adults + 4 child families (average)	2 Adults + 2 infant + 2 presch + school	2 Adults + infant + 2 presch + 2 school	2 Adults + 2 presch + 3 school	2 Adults + 2 presch + 2 school + teen	2 Adults + presch + 2 school + 2 teen
Housing	981	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	1724	2904	2628	2351	2017	1343
Food	953	940	997	1053	1073	1141
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	374	369	375	381	396	417
Miscellaneous	453	589	568	546	516	458
Taxes	747	1282	1176	1069	930	659
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-417	-417	-417	-417	-417
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$15.05	\$20.58	\$19.61	\$18.64	\$17.31	\$14.71
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$5,299	\$7,244	\$6,902	\$6,560	\$6,092	\$5,177
Annual	\$63,587	\$86,933	\$82,829	\$78,724	\$73,102	\$62,125

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	<i>Two Adults, Five Children (continued)</i>			<i>Two Adults, Six Children</i>	<i>Two Adults, Seven Children</i>	<i>Two Adults, Eight Children</i>
Monthly Costs	2 Adults + 3 school + 2 teen	2 Adults + 2 school + 3 teen	2 Adults + 5 child families (average)	2 Adults + 6 child families (average)	2 Adults + 7 child families (average)	2 Adults + 8 child families (maximum)
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1352	1352
Child Care	1003	669	1845	2460	3075	3690
Food	1190	1209	1086	1328	1570	1811
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	423	438	400	432	464	497
Miscellaneous	429	399	501	590	696	785
Taxes	564	470	860	1150	1604	2065
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-417	-417	-417	-500	-583	-667
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$13.55	\$12.34	\$16.62	\$19.99	\$24.37	\$28.22
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$4,769	\$4,345	\$5,852	\$7,036	\$8,579	\$9,935
Annual	\$57,232	\$52,142	\$70,223	\$84,434	\$102,946	\$119,217

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	<i>Three Adults</i>	<i>Three Adults, One Child</i>				<i>Three Adults, Two Children</i>
Monthly Costs	3 Adults	3 Adults + infant	3 Adults + preschool	3 Adults + school	3 Adults + teen	3 Adults + infant + infant
Housing	679	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	0	611	674	334	0	1222
Food	617	700	709	763	785	772
Transportation	494	500	500	500	494	500
Health Care	360	373	372	378	393	385
Miscellaneous	215	317	324	296	265	386
Taxes	322	529	559	442	383	645
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-50	-50	-53	0	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	0	-83	-83	-83	-83	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$7.63	\$11.02	\$11.32	\$10.11	\$9.14	\$13.14
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$2,687	\$3,878	\$3,986	\$3,559	\$3,219	\$4,624
Annual	\$32,244	\$46,531	\$47,831	\$42,706	\$38,625	\$55,490

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Three Adults, Two Children (continued)

	3 Adults + infant + presch	3 Adults + infant + school	3 Adults + infant + teen	3 Adults + presch + presch	3 Adults + presch + school	3 Adults + presch + teen
Monthly Costs						
Housing	981	981	981	981	981	981
Child Care	1285	945	611	1348	1008	674
Food	781	832	853	789	841	861
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	384	391	406	384	390	405
Miscellaneous	393	365	335	400	372	342
Taxes	673	558	484	705	587	513
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-50
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$13.44	\$12.23	\$11.23	\$13.75	\$12.54	\$11.53
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$4,731	\$4,306	\$3,953	\$4,842	\$4,413	\$4,060
Annual	\$56,772	\$51,667	\$47,439	\$58,099	\$52,958	\$48,720

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	<i>Three Adults, Two Children (continued)</i>			<i>Three Adults, Three Children</i>		
Monthly Costs	3 Adults + school + school	3 Adults + school + teen	3 Adults + teen + teen	3 Adults + infant + infant + Infant	3 Adults + infant + infant + presch	3 Adults + infant + infant + school
Housing	981	981	981	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	669	334	0	1833	1896	1556
Food	892	913	933	878	887	938
Transportation	500	500	494	500	500	500
Health Care	396	411	426	398	397	403
Miscellaneous	344	314	283	479	486	457
Taxes	472	413	375	957	989	849
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-50	0	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$11.33	\$10.37	\$9.45	\$16.68	\$16.99	\$15.71
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$3,987	\$3,650	\$3,326	\$5,871	\$5,982	\$5,531
Annual	\$47,843	\$43,796	\$39,914	\$70,452	\$71,779	\$66,370

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Three Adults, Three Children (continued)

	3 Adults + infant + infant + teen	3 Adults + infant + presch + presch	3 Adults + infant + presch + school	3 Adults + infant + presch + teen	3 Adults + infant + school + school	3 Adults + infant + school + teen
Monthly Costs						
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	1222	1959	1619	1285	1280	945
Food	959	896	947	968	998	1019
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	418	396	402	417	409	424
Miscellaneous	428	493	465	435	436	406
Taxes	700	1022	881	732	740	605
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$14.36	\$17.31	\$16.03	\$14.67	\$14.74	\$13.43
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$5,054	\$6,092	\$5,641	\$5,164	\$5,189	\$4,726
Annual	\$60,642	\$73,106	\$67,697	\$61,969	\$62,271	\$56,711

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Three Adults, Three Children (continued)

	3 Adults + infant + teen + teen	3 Adults + presch + presch + presch	3 Adults + presch + presch + school	3 Adults + presch + presch + teen	3 Adults + presch + school + school	3 Adults + presch + school + teen
Monthly Costs						
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	611	2022	1682	1348	1343	1008
Food	1040	905	956	977	1007	1028
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	439	396	402	417	408	423
Miscellaneous	377	500	472	442	443	414
Taxes	541	1054	914	765	772	637
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-50	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$12.45	\$17.62	\$16.34	\$14.98	\$15.06	\$13.74
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$4,384	\$6,203	\$5,752	\$5,275	\$5,300	\$4,837
Annual	\$52,609	\$74,433	\$69,024	\$63,296	\$63,598	\$58,039

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<i>Three Adults, Three Children (continued)</i>						<i>Three Adults, Four Children</i>
Monthly Costs	3 Adults + presch + teen + teen	3 Adults + school + school + school	3 Adults + school + school + teen	3 Adults + school + teen + teen	3 Adults + teen + teen + teen	3 Adults + infant + infant + presch + presch
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	674	1003	669	334	0	2570
Food	1049	1058	1079	1100	1121	950
Transportation	500	500	500	500	494	500
Health Care	438	414	429	444	459	409
Miscellaneous	384	415	385	356	325	561
Taxes	565	644	527	472	423	1214
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-50	-100	-100	-50	0	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$12.74	\$13.81	\$12.55	\$11.60	\$10.65	\$19.73
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$4,486	\$4,862	\$4,416	\$4,083	\$3,748	\$6,947
Annual	\$53,834	\$58,340	\$52,995	\$48,991	\$44,982	\$83,360

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Three Adults, Four Children (continued)

Monthly Costs	3 Adults + infant + infant + presch + school	3 Adults + infant + presch + presch + school	3 Adults + infant + presch + school + school	3 Adults + presch + school + school + teen	3 Adults + presch + school + teen + teen	3 Adults + school + school + teen + teen
Housing	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176	1176
Child Care	2230	2293	1954	1343	1008	669
Food	998	1007	1055	1132	1151	1200
Transportation	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	415	414	421	441	456	462
Miscellaneous	532	539	511	459	429	401
Taxes	1073	1108	974	715	590	499
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333	-333
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$18.44	\$18.76	\$17.49	\$15.15	\$13.86	\$12.71
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$6,492	\$6,605	\$6,157	\$5,333	\$4,878	\$4,474
Annual	\$77,899	\$79,255	\$73,882	\$63,993	\$58,541	\$53,682

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	<i>Three Adults, Four Children (continued)</i>	<i>Three Adults, Five Children</i>	<i>Four Adults</i>	<i>Four Adults, One Child</i>	<i>Four Adults, Two Children</i>	<i>Four Adults, Three Children</i>
Monthly Costs	All other 3 adults + 4 child families (average)	All other 3 adults 5 +child families (minimum)	4 Adults	All other 4 adults + 1 kid families (average)	All other 4 adults + 2 kid families (average)	All other 4 adults + 3 kid families (minimum)
Housing	1176	1352	679	1176	1176	1352
Child Care	1724	2299	0	405	810	1215
Food	1070	1370	802	906	1050	1132
Transportation	500	500	494	500	500	500
Health Care	431	455	417	436	455	474
Miscellaneous	490	598	239	342	399	467
Taxes	882	1263	354	577	641	834
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	0	-50	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-333	-417	0	-83	-167	-250
Self-Sufficiency Wage						
Hourly	\$16.59	\$20.80	\$8.48	\$11.96	\$13.54	\$15.98
	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>	<i>per 2 adults</i>
Monthly	\$5,840	\$7,320	\$2,986	\$4,210	\$4,765	\$5,625
Annual	\$70,085	\$87,846	\$35,832	\$50,525	\$57,179	\$67,494