

[CalKIDS](https://calkids.org/) is a children’s savings account program administered by the ScholarShare Investment Board, an agency of the State of California. CalKIDS will provide each child born in California and eligible low-income public school students with up to $1,500 for college and career training.

There are two eligible groups for this program with unique benefits.

**Up to $1,500 for 3.6 Million Eligible California Students**:\*

* **$500 Automatic Deposit:** Eligible low-income public school students.
* **$500 Additional Deposit**: Eligible low-income public school students identified as foster youth.
* **$500 Additional Deposit**: Eligible low-income public school students identified as homeless.

**Up to $175 for Newborns**:

* **$25 or $100 Automatic Deposit**: Every eligible child born between July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 receives $25. As a result of additional funding, babies born after July 1, 2023 receive $100.
* **$25 Additional Deposit**: Those who register on the program’s [online portal](https://calkids.outcometracker.app/p/CalKids/calkids/registration/).
* **$50 Additional Deposit**: Those who link a new or existing ScholarShare 529 account to their CalKIDS account.

Visit [www.calkids.org](http://www.calkids.org) to see if your child is eligible and claim your account.

\* Student eligibility is defined by the Local Control Funding Formula.