

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

California Congressional District 26 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,285

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,590
Families with Children	\$3,826
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$6,519
Households without Children	\$1,723
Seniors (65+)	\$2,563

ILLUSTRATIVE HOUSEHOLDS

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Retired federal worker couple	Social Security based on national average annual benefits (\$24,852 and \$11,808); pension modeled as \$25,000 and \$20,000 in taxable retirement income	\$4,322
Single restaurant server	\$36,752 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$1,105
Teacher and office clerk family	\$104,311 and \$50,211 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$11,592
Single nurse with overtime	\$139,296 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$7,580
Single-parent home health aide	\$36,390 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,563
Electrician family	One earner at \$78,862 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,401
Plumber family	One earner at \$67,240 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,085
Construction worker family	One earner at \$61,737 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,967
Police officer family	One earner at \$124,999 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$6,026

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$90,861 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,928
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$62,939 and \$36,390 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,130

Methodology: Average tax changes are modeled using Tax-Calculator. Illustrative household examples are modeled in PolicyEngine using geography-specific wage inputs where available and do not reflect geography-wide averages.

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