

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

New York Congressional District 26 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$1,887

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,251
Families with Children	\$2,892
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$5,620
Households without Children	\$1,580
Seniors (65+)	\$2,241

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	\$4,209
Single restaurant server	\$49,623 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$2,071
Teacher and office clerk family	\$82,530 and \$46,909 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$7,347
Single nurse with overtime	\$101,089 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,598
Single-parent home health aide	\$37,731 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,675
Electrician family	One earner at \$83,294 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,617
Plumber family	One earner at \$78,175 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,478
Construction worker family	One earner at \$51,774 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,019
Police officer family	One earner at \$84,852 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,859

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$77,147 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,650
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$60,815 and \$37,731 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,231

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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