

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Delaware | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,391

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,567
Families with Children	\$3,636
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$6,679
Households without Children	\$1,990
Seniors (65+)	\$2,810

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	\$3,907
Single restaurant server	\$35,770 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$1,056
Teacher and office clerk family	\$74,541 and \$44,090 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$5,282
Single nurse with overtime	\$98,154 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,561
Single-parent home health aide	\$33,661 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,356
Electrician family	One earner at \$66,739 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,016
Plumber family	One earner at \$68,149 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,049
Construction worker family	One earner at \$48,319 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$2,612
Police officer family	One earner at \$88,212 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,862

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$50,937 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$3,177
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$62,012 and \$33,661 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,183

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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