

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Missouri | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,315

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,437
Families with Children	\$3,660
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$6,140
Households without Children	\$1,842
Seniors (65+)	\$2,469

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	\$4,706
Single restaurant server	\$28,563 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$642
Teacher and office clerk family	\$53,830 and \$42,765 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,891
Single nurse with overtime	\$84,545 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,817
Single-parent home health aide	\$31,414 median local wage; 1 child	\$1,946
Electrician family	One earner at \$75,197 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,955
Plumber family	One earner at \$65,807 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,700
Construction worker family	One earner at \$57,063 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,267
Police officer family	One earner at \$64,355 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,547

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$51,371 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$4,736
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$53,565 and \$31,414 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,411

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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