



# Borrego Springs Unified School District

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**Dear Families,**

**The coronavirus pandemic continues to impact families in our community with job layoffs and income loss. I'm writing because you may be eligible for a benefit called CalFresh. CalFresh provides money for food on an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card that can be used like a debit card to buy food at grocery stores and farmers markets. The card is mailed to your house and benefits are uploaded each month directly on the card. Now is a great time to apply to CalFresh! Because of the ongoing pandemic, a family of four can now receive over \$800 a month to purchase food. The amount you receive will depend on your income, expenses, and family size.**

**Please visit <https://www.getcalfresh.org> or call 2-1-1 to apply for CalFresh.**

**Queridas Familias,**

**La pandemia del coronavirus sigue impactando a las familias en nuestra comunidad con despidos y pérdida de ingresos. Le escribo porque puede que cualifique para un beneficio llamando CalFresh. CalFresh le da dinero para comida en una tarjeta de Transferencia Electrónica de Beneficios (EBT) que se puede usar como una tarjeta de débito para comprar comida en supermercados y mercados de agricultores. La tarjeta le llega a su casa y los beneficios se cargan mensualmente directamente en la tarjeta. Ahora es un buen momento para solicitar beneficios de CalFresh! Debido a la pandemia, una familia de cuatro podría recibir hasta \$800 al mes para comprar comida. La cantidad que reciba dependerá de sus ingresos, gastos y tamaño de su familia.**

**Visite por favor <https://www.getcalfresh.org> o llame al 2-1-1 para solicitar CalFresh.**

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