



# Emergency Broadband Benefit

## What is it?

The Emergency Broadband Benefit is a temporary FCC program to help households struggling to afford internet service during the pandemic. The benefit provides:

- Up to \$50/month discount for broadband services;
- Up to \$75/month discount for households on qualifying Tribal lands; and
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet purchased through a participating provider.

## Who is eligible?

A household is eligible if one member of the household:

- Has an income that is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guide lines or participates in certain government assistance programs;
- Receives benefits under the free and reduced-price school lunch or breakfast program;
- Received a Federal Pell Grant during the current award year;
- Experienced a substantial loss of income due to job loss or furlough since February 29, 2020; or
- Meets the eligibility criteria for a participating provider's existing low-income or COVID-19 program.

## THREE WAYS TO APPLY

**1**  
Contact your preferred participating provider directly to learn about their application process.

**2**  
Go to [GetEmergencyBroadband.org](https://www.getemergencybroadband.org) to submit an application and to find participating providers near you.

**3**  
Complete a mail in application and send it along with proof of eligibility to:  
Emergency Broadband Support Center P.O. Box 7081  
London, KY 40742

## HAVE QUESTIONS? NEED HELP?

Contact the **Connectivity Champions** directly by webform at <https://www.ohio-k12.help/remotedx>, by email or text at [connectme@ohio-k12.help](mailto:connectme@ohio-k12.help), and by phone at 844-k12-OHIO (844-512-6446).

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