



Map the Meal Gap 2015:

Child Food Insecurity in California by County in 2013 ¹



County	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Population under 18 years old	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
Alameda	15.3%	341,314	20.7%	70,680	60%	40%
Alpine	16.7%	254	24.8%	60	43%	57%
Amador	15.4%	6,066	26.5%	1,610	60%	40%
Butte	18.4%	45,761	27.3%	12,470	74%	26%
Calaveras	15.2%	8,610	23.2%	1,990	44%	56%
Colusa	14.8%	6,236	29.0%	1,810	85%	15%
Contra Costa	12.9%	260,120	19.8%	51,540	56%	44%
Del Norte	19.2%	6,063	30.6%	1,860	80%	20%
El Dorado	13.6%	40,128	21.4%	8,600	51%	49%
Fresno	16.6%	277,524	30.7%	85,200	83%	17%
Glenn	15.5%	7,754	27.0%	2,090	82%	18%
Humboldt	18.9%	26,678	27.3%	7,280	71%	29%
Imperial	17.4%	50,858	35.4%	18,000	84%	16%
Inyo	14.8%	3,881	23.7%	920	67%	33%
Kern	15.1%	254,390	28.5%	72,490	82%	19%
Kings	16.2%	42,150	29.2%	12,300	83%	17%
Lake	19.7%	13,341	32.4%	4,320	83%	17%
Lassen	17.7%	5,414	28.1%	1,520	61%	39%
Los Angeles	14.7%	2,371,472	24.9%	590,910	74%	26%
Madera	13.8%	42,869	28.3%	12,130	89%	11%
Marin	11.9%	52,556	17.6%	9,250	47%	53%
Mariposa	16.6%	3,124	27.9%	870	64%	36%
Mendocino	16.1%	19,176	27.0%	5,180	80%	20%
Merced	16.7%	80,203	31.6%	25,360	88%	13%
Modoc	18.7%	2,069	30.8%	640	78%	22%
Mono	13.6%	2,988	21.2%	630	84%	16%
Monterey	12.6%	111,948	25.2%	28,230	77%	23%
Napa	11.2%	31,324	20.1%	6,290	67%	33%
Nevada	14.8%	18,462	23.5%	4,350	59%	41%
Orange	11.4%	732,841	20.6%	151,310	64%	36%
Placer	13.4%	85,385	20.9%	17,880	51%	49%
Plumas	18.6%	3,558	28.6%	1,020	85%	15%
Riverside	12.7%	617,524	24.1%	148,520	76%	25%
Sacramento	17.1%	361,727	25.3%	91,650	72%	28%
San Benito	10.5%	15,826	23.0%	3,630	69%	31%
San Bernardino	13.2%	588,407	24.7%	145,320	77%	23%
San Diego	13.9%	724,796	22.3%	161,680	67%	33%
San Francisco	16.7%	109,537	19.9%	21,830	55%	45%
San Joaquin	16.3%	199,991	27.2%	54,380	77%	23%
San Luis Obispo	14.4%	50,889	21.6%	10,970	62%	38%
San Mateo	11.1%	160,568	17.6%	28,310	50%	50%
Santa Barbara	12.1%	97,839	21.9%	21,420	72%	28%
Santa Clara	12.1%	431,785	19.3%	83,460	54%	46%
Santa Cruz	13.9%	55,214	22.8%	12,610	65%	35%
Shasta	18.7%	39,313	28.7%	11,280	78%	22%
Sierra	18.8%	515	31.0%	160	62%	39%
Siskiyou	20.5%	9,135	31.6%	2,890	75%	25%
Solano	15.2%	100,236	22.6%	22,680	59%	41%
Sonoma	13.1%	105,145	21.3%	22,420	63%	37%
Stanislaus	16.1%	146,284	28.7%	41,960	79%	21%
Sutter	18.3%	25,728	29.7%	7,650	84%	17%
Tehama	17.2%	15,804	29.4%	4,640	85%	15%
Trinity	19.7%	2,467	32.4%	800	78%	22%
Tulare	15.0%	143,945	30.8%	44,290	88%	12%
Tuolumne	16.7%	9,423	26.3%	2,480	68%	32%
Ventura	10.4%	209,433	20.8%	43,470	62%	38%
Yolo	16.0%	45,308	23.3%	10,560	71%	29%
Yuba	19.3%	20,862	30.9%	6,460	81%	20%
State Total³	15.0%	9,174,184	25.1%	2,316,570	71%	29%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2013. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

³Data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state.



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Child Food Insecurity in California by Congressional District in 2013 ¹



Congressional District	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
1	17.9%	27.6%	39,800	74%	26%
2	15.3%	23.6%	34,430	61%	39%
3	16.9%	26.1%	45,570	72%	28%
4	15.6%	23.8%	35,550	51%	49%
5	15.0%	23.5%	35,270	64%	36%
6	21.4%	31.0%	56,570	81%	19%
7	17.5%	25.6%	44,900	63%	37%
8	17.0%	29.2%	56,010	75%	25%
9	16.9%	27.8%	56,090	79%	21%
10	16.7%	29.3%	59,410	76%	24%
11	14.5%	21.9%	36,460	57%	43%
12	17.6%	20.4%	19,980	59%	42%
13	20.1%	24.6%	34,850	66%	34%
14	12.4%	18.4%	26,610	47%	53%
15	12.6%	19.3%	34,540	54%	47%
16	19.3%	35.4%	79,450	92%	8%
17	13.8%	19.5%	31,770	42%	58%
18	12.0%	17.7%	29,610	44%	56%
19	12.6%	23.0%	42,210	62%	38%
20	12.4%	24.4%	44,920	75%	25%
21	15.5%	32.0%	72,890	92%	8%
22	15.4%	28.7%	58,930	82%	19%
23	15.8%	26.6%	52,740	72%	28%
24	13.3%	22.0%	33,000	69%	31%
25	13.1%	22.9%	45,150	69%	31%
26	10.6%	22.3%	39,650	65%	35%
27	14.4%	22.3%	31,410	62%	38%
28	18.5%	25.8%	29,120	67%	33%
29	14.1%	28.5%	48,790	83%	18%
30	14.5%	22.3%	34,570	60%	40%
31	15.5%	27.0%	53,940	76%	24%
32	11.5%	25.2%	42,180	81%	19%
33	15.2%	18.6%	25,340	36%	64%
34	17.9%	32.6%	51,170	85%	15%
35	11.5%	24.8%	50,870	82%	18%
36	15.5%	29.4%	53,020	82%	18%
37	19.4%	25.4%	38,970	76%	24%
38	8.8%	20.2%	35,420	70%	30%
39	11.2%	20.7%	33,230	56%	44%
40	13.4%	30.7%	66,650	83%	17%
41	14.9%	27.9%	57,130	81%	19%
42	13.1%	23.3%	47,940	62%	38%
43	19.2%	28.7%	51,540	76%	25%
44	15.8%	29.7%	59,390	81%	19%
45	11.8%	18.6%	29,430	40%	60%
46	12.4%	26.5%	51,840	79%	21%
47	16.2%	25.7%	44,320	73%	27%
48	13.6%	20.8%	31,540	57%	43%
49	13.9%	21.1%	33,440	65%	35%
50	13.9%	23.2%	40,250	72%	28%
51	15.7%	30.6%	64,390	84%	16%
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53	15.2%	22.6%	36,260	62%	38%

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