Are child care costs emptying your bank account?

We may be able to help!

According to the Institute for Women’s Policy Research (2016), 1 in 4 college students nationally are parents. Penn State is committed to serving the diverse needs of our student population at all of our campus locations. The Student Parent Child Care Subsidy Program is funded by Penn State Student Initiated Fees (SIF) and the federal Child Care Access Means Parents in School (CCAMPIS) grant. The program helps qualifying, low-income student parents sustain their educational efforts by paying a portion of their child care costs and encouraging them to select high-quality child care.
Find out if the Student Parent Child Care Subsidy Program is right for you!

You may qualify for funding if you:

- Are enrolled in a degree seeking program
- Plan to enroll, or currently have, a child(ren) enrolled in a licensed Keystone Stars 2 child care center
- Currently meet the Cumulative Grade Points Average requirements
- Meet the credit load requirements
- Meet combined annual income guidelines for the current year
- Are able to commit to volunteering at least one hour per semester at your child care provider

Contact the subsidy office regarding spouse/partner work requirements.

Please visit our website at hr.psu.edu/child-care-subsidy to determine eligibility and review application materials.

For more information, contact the Student Parent Child Care Subsidy Program Coordinator at 1-800-746-6759 or at subsidy@psu.edu.