



\$1,117

Tax Credit for Current & Former Foster Youth

Parenting foster youth can claim the new **\$1,117** **California Foster Youth Tax Credit** in addition to other tax credits, like the **state & federal child tax credits** which can provide up to **\$3,000**.

Claiming the new Foster Youth Tax Credit:

- ✔ **File Your CA State Return**
Check "Yes" on the Foster Youth Tax Credit boxes stating that you qualify.
- ✔ **Age**
You were 18-25 years old on December 31, 2023.
- ✔ **Identification**
You have a Social Security Number or Individual Tax Identification Number.
- ✔ **Foster Care**
You were in foster care on or after your 13th birthday.
- ✔ **Income**
You earned between \$1 - \$30,931 from any work in 2023.
- ✔ **Residence**
You lived in California more than half of 2023.



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