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CATALYST COMMUNITY
WAITLIST APPLICATION FOR SUBSIDIZED CHILDCARE

Please complete and return to:

Catalyst Community
3161 Cameron Park Drive, Suite 101
Cameron Park, CA 95682
Phone: 530-676-0707 Toll-free: (877) 676-0707
Fax: (530) 676-8416

Application Date: _____

- I hereby certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. **Please note that submission of an application does not guarantee enrollment in a program.**
- This application remains valid for 6 months. **If, after 6 months, I do not update this application, my application will be removed from the waitlist.**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date Signed: _____

Provide an email address for communication and community resource info from Catalyst:
_____

Phone applications only: I certify that I have read the disclaimer above to the applicant and they agree to have their information placed onto the waitlist for purposes of determining eligibility for subsidized child care. Staff Initials _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent A

___ Mother ___ Father ___ Guardian/Foster

First name Last name

Address

City Zip

Mailing Address (if different than above)

Home phone

Work phone

Date of birth (if teen parent)

Primary language spoken at home

Name of employer or school/training program

Zip code of employment or training

Need: Check all that apply

__ CPS/Respite
__ Enrolled in CalWORKs
__ Teen Parent
__ Seeking Employment
__ Incapacitated
__ Employed
__ Migrant
__ Homeless
__ In school/training

Have you received cash aid in the last 2 years?
_____ yes _____ no

Parent B

___ Mother ___ Father ___ Guardian/Foster

First name Last name

Address

City Zip

Mailing Address (if different than above)

Home phone

Work phone

Date of birth (if teen parent)

Primary language spoken at home

Name of employer or school/training program

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Have you received cash aid in the last 2 years?
_____ yes _____ no

Child Information

Please complete for all children under the age of 18 years living in your home even if care is not needed.

	Child's Name	Male/Female	Date of birth	Ethnicity	Is Child Care needed?	List any special needs of child	Limited or non-English proficient
A.							
B.							
C.							
D.							
E..							

Child Care Information

Days care is needed (Check any/all that apply)

___ VARIES ___ Sunday ___ Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday

Hours care is needed (check any/all that apply)

___ VARIES ___ Morning only ___ Afternoon only ___ Evening only ___ All day ___ Weekends

Specific Times: _____

Are you receiving services from another child care provider? (please list)

_____

Family Income Information

(NOTE: if you are applying as a foster family, please list only the child(ren)'s income

Parent A

Wages	$_____
Tips/commissions	$_____
Cash aid (TANF)	$_____
Child/spousal support	$_____
Unemployment	$_____
Disability	$_____
Foster Care	$_____
Other income	$_____

Total monthly gross income (before taxes)

$ _____

Parent B

Wages	$_____
Tips/commissions	$_____
Cash aid (TANF)	$_____
Child/spousal support	$_____
Unemployment	$_____
Disability	$_____
Foster Care	$_____
Other income	$_____

Total monthly gross income (before taxes

$ _____

If you have any questions or need assistance completing the application, contact Catalyst Community at (530) 676-0707 or toll-free (877) 676-0707.
The use or disclosure of all information shall be restricted to purposes directly connected to the administration of and required by The California Code of Regulations, Title 5.

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Help Paying for Childcare

Childcare helps parents earn while children learn and the cost of quality childcare is expensive. Subsidized childcare helps lower income families by covering their childcare costs. The following are childcare assistance options in El Dorado County.

1. **The CalWorks Program** helps pay for childcare for families who are receiving public assistance or have received it in the last 24 months and have a qualifying need for childcare. Contact: 530-573-3200

2. **Catalyst Community Alternative Payment Program** provides payment assistance to income eligible parents who have a qualifying need for care. Enrolled parents may select a center, family child care home, or license exempt provider. To access the program a parent must show proof of receiving CalWorks cash aid within the last 24 months or complete the Catalyst Community wait list application. Submitting a wait list application is not a guarantee of services. Contact: 530-676-0707

3. **The El Dorado County Office of Education** offers no cost State Preschool and Head Start programs to income eligible families with children 3-5 years. These are part day center based preschool programs with the possibility of wrapping services to include morning and afternoon programs. Programs are available at a variety of locations throughout the county. Contact: 530-295-2270

4. **Child Care Centers** offering Department of Education general funding and/or state preschool for income eligible families with children ages birth to entering kindergarten. Each center accepts children of different ages and must be called individually for payment assistance information or to be placed on a waiting list.

    - **Happy Kids #1 Ages: 2-5 years Hours: M-F, 6:30am-6:00pm**
      2786 Coloma Street, Placerville 95667
      530-626-0344
    - **Happy Kids #2 Ages: 0-5 years Hours: M-F, 6:00am-6:00pm**
      3900 Ponderosa Rd, Shingle Springs 95682
      530-677-0551
    - **Happy Kids #3 Ages: 0-5 years Hours: M-F, 6:00am-6:00pm**
      2635 Cambridge Road, Cameron Park 95682
      530-676-2223
    - **Pine Top Montessori Ages: 2-5 years Hours: M-F, 7:30am-5:30pm**
      7526 Pony Express Trail, Pollock Pines 95726
      530-903-3106

5. **Community Resources-** Agencies that offer food, clothing, housing, medical, and energy assistance. See Community Resource List

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Community Resource List

Food Bank – Provides food assistance daily in partnership w/ over 50 local emergency food response sites. Call for locations. Phone numbers: (530) 621-9950, (916) 939-6774, (530) 541-9950. 8:30am – 2:30pm M-F. www.foodbankedc.org

Twin Lakes Food Bank – Programs include: groceries, organic produce, CalFresh for pick up during designated days and times. T,W,Th: 9am-12:30pm. Call 916-985-6232 for more information. www.twinlakesfoodbank.org

Women, Infants and Children (WIC) - Provides nutrition education, breastfeeding support, vouchers for healthy foods, and referrals to healthcare and other resources. Serves women who are pregnant, breastfeeding a baby under age 1, or were pregnant in the past 6 months. Serves babies and children up to the fifth birthday. Babies and children cared for by their fathers, other guardians, or foster parents are also eligible. Must meet income guidelines. Phone (530) 621-6176. https://m.wic.ca.gov/

Salvation Army - The Placerville center will offer information on shelter for domestic abuse survivors, loan programs, and other financial help. Phone: (530) 672-3147

S.H.A.R.E. Food Closet – Recipients can receive three days of food supplies each month. M,W,F 10:00am – 12:00pm. Address: 1031 Thompson Way, Placerville, 95667. Phone - 530-626-8299

Upper Room – Provides a free hot meal 7 days a week from 4pm-5:30pm in the Upper Room Dining Hall Address: 1868 Broadway in Placerville, 95667. Phone: (530) 497-5146

Pollock Pines Community Church – Helping Ends Meet is a program that provides a hot meal every Friday afternoon from 12:00pm – 1:00 pm. Address: 6361 Pony Express Trail Pollock Pines, 95726. Call 644-2133 or visit www.pollockchurch.com

Green Valley Church – Offer many services to the community through their community care ministry. Assistance includes firewood, help with moving, winter shelter, and a food & clothing giveaway held every Saturday (except Christmas) from 8am – 12pm, located downstairs in the Green Valley Community Church Café. Address: 3500 Missouri Flat Rd, Placerville, 95667. Phone – (530) 622-3231 www.gvcconline.com

Calvary Chapel Kids & Teens Clothes Closet – 2nd & 4th Wednesdays from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. Free clothing and baby supplies for families in need in the Greater Placerville area, sizes newborn to teens. Contact or 626-8484. Also offers a food closet one time per month. Address: 6575 Commerce Way, Diamond Springs, 95619. Phone: 626-8484 calvarycloset@att.net

Children's Health Insurance – Health and Human Services – Help finding low cost or no cost health insurance plans for your child. Hubs 1-800-844-4491.

Dept. of Human Services – Can help eligible low-income families w/ financial, food & clothing assistance. Programs include CalFresh, CalWorks, and Medi-Cal. 3057 Briw Rd. Placerville, CA 95667. (530) 642-7300

Community Resource Center – Emergency Shelter through the Revolving Nomadic Program and other homeless resources. Contact www.edcrc.org or (530) 344-1864.

Home Energy Assistance Program – HEAP – Financial assistance to help with high energy bills, making needed home repairs, or making the home more efficient. Must meet household income eligibility. Call 621-6150 for details and eligibility.