



Youth Allowance for job seekers

如果您年龄 21 岁或以下且正在找工作，或暂时无法工作，Youth Allowance for job seekers 可以为您提供经济上的支持。

Youth Allowance for job seekers 领取资格

是否具备 Youth Allowance for job seekers 领取资格取决于您的具体情况。

申请者年龄须在 16 至 21 岁之间，并同时符合以下条件：

- 居住要求
- 收入测试。

您还需要符合以下情况之一：

- 失业，正在找工作
- 生病或受伤，在短时间内无法进行日常工作或学习。

如果您从 Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) 领取某些津贴或补助，则可能不符合申请资格。

我们会对您目前的情况进行评估，确定您是否具备享受 Youth Allowance 的资格。

Youth Allowance for job seekers 支付标准

实际享受的津贴金额根据您的个人情况存在一定差异。这包括：

- 是否有伴侣
- 是否有子女
- 您是否居住在父母家里
- 您是否在远离父母家的地区学习、接受培训或寻找工作
- 您是否持有任何资产，例如房地产、股票或代管理投资
- 您和伴侣在过去 14 天内赚得多少收入。

如果收入超过一定数额，可能会影响能够领到的津贴金额。

如何申领 Youth Allowance for job seekers

您可以通过 myGov 使用您的 Centrelink 在线帐户线上申请 Youth Allowance for job seekers。如果您没有 myGov 帐户或 Centrelink 在线帐户，则需要首先设置前述账户。

如果您在设置在线帐户时需要帮助，可以与我们的工作人员沟通。如需口译服务，请告诉我们，我们将免费为您安排口译员。

您最早可在个人情况改变前 13 周开始申请。

原因可能为以下之一：

- 您即将停止全日制学习
- 您的工作时间将减少，且您通过了个人收入测试
- 您已获知即将失去工作。

如果个人财务状况发生变化，则可随时撤回申请。

何时能够领到第一笔津贴

在我们支付首笔款项之前，您需要完成一些初始任务，并报告您的收入。

在多数情况下，您将在我们批准申请后 2 周左右收到第一笔 Youth Allowance 付款。如果有任何等待期，您可能需要等待更长的时间。在付款开始后，我们将每 2 周向您付款一次。

我们会告知您是否有等待期规定，以及您需要等待多长时间。您还需要每 2 周报告一次您和您伴侣的收入。

在我们评估您的申请时，会计算适用于您的等待期。您会在提交申请后的 21 天内收到我们的回复。

我们评估您申请所需的时间不会影响您的等待期。

个人情况改变

您需要在 14 天内告诉我们个人情况的任何变化。这包括以下方面的变化：

- 父母或监护人
- 合伙人
- 受养子女。

变化可包括：

- 个人信息和联系方式发生变化
- 课业变化

- 您的生活安排
- 姓名更改
- 家庭情况
- 婚恋关系状况
- 您的就业、收入和资产变化。

如果您的 Centrelink 在线账户与 myGov 关联，可以在线告诉我们个人情况发生的变化。

您也可以通过以下任一途径告知我方：

- Express Plus Centrelink 手机应用程序。
- Centrelink 电话自助服务。

了解更多信息

- 访问 servicesaustralia.gov.au/youthallowancejobseeker，浏览详情（英文）
- 访问 servicesaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage，以自选语言了解详情（文字与语音版）
- 请致电 **131 202**，使用中文咨询 Centrelink 福利金和服务的相关信息
- 欲办理 Medicare 事宜，请致电 **132 011**；欲办理 Child Support 事宜，请致电 **131 272**。如需口译服务，请告诉我们，我们将免费为您安排口译员
- 访问服务中心。

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Youth Allowance for job seekers gives you financial help if you are 21 years of age or younger and looking for work, or temporarily unable to work.

Eligibility for Youth Allowance for job seekers

The rules you need to meet to get Youth Allowance for job seekers depend on your situation.

You must be between 16 and 21 years of age and meet both:

- residence rules
- the income test.

You also need to be one of the following:

- unemployed and looking for work
- sick or injured and unable to do your usual work or study for a short time.

You may not be eligible if you get certain payments from the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA).

Your current circumstances will be considered to assess your eligibility for Youth Allowance.

Payment rates for Youth Allowance for job seekers

The amount you can get may change depending on your personal situation. This includes:

- if you have a partner
- if you have children
- if you live at your parent's house
- if you live away from your parent's house to study, train or look for work
- if you own any assets, for example real estate, shares or managed investments
- how much income you and your partner earned in the past 14 days.

If you earn income over a certain amount, it may affect how much you can get.

How to claim Youth Allowance for job seekers

You can claim Youth Allowance for job seekers online using your Centrelink online account through myGov. If you do not have a myGov account or a Centrelink online account, you need to set them up.

If you need help to set up your online account, you can talk to our staff. Let us know if you need an interpreter and we will arrange one for free.

You can start your claim up to 13 weeks before your circumstances will change.

It may be for one of the following reasons:

- you are stopping fulltime studies
- you will be working less hours and you meet the personal income test
- you know you are going to lose your job.

You can withdraw your claim at any time if your financial situation changes.

When you get your first payment

You will need to complete your initial tasks and report your income before we can make your first payment.

In most cases, you will get your first Youth Allowance payment around 2 weeks after we approve your claim. You may have to wait longer if any waiting periods apply. Once your payment starts, we will pay you every 2 weeks.

We will tell you if you have a waiting period and how long you will need to wait. You will also need to report your and your partner's income every 2 weeks.

We calculate the waiting periods that apply to you when we assess your claim. You can expect to hear from us within 21 days of submitting your claim.

The time it takes us to assess your claim does not affect your waiting period.

Change of circumstances

You need to tell us about any changes of circumstances within 14 days. This includes changes for you:

- parents or guardians
- partner
- dependent children.

The changes may include:

- your personal and contact details
- study changes
- your living situation
- name changes
- family situation
- your relationship status
- your employment, income, and asset changes.

If your Centrelink online account is linked to myGov, you can tell us online about changes to your circumstances.

You can also tell us using either:

- the Express Plus Centrelink mobile app
- Centrelink phone self-service.

For more information

- go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/youthallowancejobseeker for more information in English
- go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage where you can read or listen to information in your language
- call **131 202** to speak with us in your language about Centrelink payments and services
- call **132 011** for Medicare and **131 272** for Child Support. Let us know if you need an interpreter, and we will arrange one for free
- visit a service centre.

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