

Saskatchewan Resettlement Assistance Program (RAP) Rates

Monthly income support is intended to cover basic needs such as food, incidentals, shelter, transportation and a communication allowance. Other special allowances may be added based on need.

| Basic needs allowance | | |
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| Family Size | RAP rate | Amount if Disabled |
| One adult (with or without children) | \$255 | \$305 |
| Couple (two adults with or without children) | \$510 | \$560 if one disabled adult \$610 if both disabled adult |

| Special allowances | | |
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| Allowance | Frequency | Rate |
| Maternity Food | Monthly | \$75 |
| Maternity Clothing | One-time | \$200 |
| Newborn Allowance | One-Time | \$750 |
| Dietary Allowance | Monthly | \$ 75 |
| Funeral/Burial Allowance | | Costs are reviewed case by case based on provincial rates. |

| Family size | Household composition | Shelter allowance | | | Communication allowance |
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| | | Saskatoon/Regina | Moose Jaw | Prince Albert | |
| 1 | Single employable | \$328 | \$259 | \$289 | \$30/file |
| | Single unemployable | \$459 | \$363 | \$404 | \$30/file |
| 2 | Childless couple | \$587 | \$450 | \$501 | \$30/file |
| | Single parent and one child | \$711 | \$563 | \$589 | \$30/file |
| 3 | Couple and one child | \$711 | \$563 | \$589 | \$30/file |
| | Single parent and two children | \$711 | \$563 | \$589 | \$30/file |
| 4 | Couple and two children | \$711 | \$563 | \$589 | \$30/file |
| | Single Parent and three Children | \$773 | \$627 | \$650 | \$30/file |
| 5 | Couple and three children | \$773 | \$627 | \$650 | \$30/file |
| | Single parent and four children | \$773 | \$627 | \$650 | \$30/file |
| 6 | Couple and four children | \$773 | \$627 | \$650 | \$30/file |
| | Single parent and five or more children | \$849 | \$690 | \$724 | \$30/file |
| 7 | Couple and five or more children | \$849 | \$690 | \$724 | \$30/file |
| Housing Supplement: up to a maximum of \$200, may be issued when actual housing expenses exceed the basic shelter allowance. | | | | | |

| Blended Visa Office-Referred Program(BVORs) |
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| <p>Refugees sponsored through the Blended VOR Program are eligible for the following income support benefits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food and incidentals (basic needs), Basic shelter, Transportation, and Maternity food allowance (if applicable). <p>The remaining costs, including start-up, national housing supplement, communication allowance and additional special expenses as required, are covered by the sponsoring group.</p> |

| Transportation rates | |
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| Moose Jaw | https://moosejaw.ca/city-transit/fares |
| Prince Albert | http://citypa.ca/Residents/Transit/Bus-Fares |
| Regina | http://www.regina.ca/residents/transit-services/regina-transit/choose-your-fare/ |
| Saskatoon | https://transit.saskatoon.ca/fares-passes/ways-pay |
| <p>Transportation allowance is provided to each adult as per the rate of public transit in their community. For rates, consult the links above.</p> <p>Note: in communities where there is no public transit, a flat transportation rate of \$75 is issued.</p> | |

***The above rates are in effect as of October 2017.**