

IMPORTANT !

If your parents are receiving benefits, you will have to make a choice. If you are granted housing assistance, you will no longer be considered their dependent and their benefits may be reduced or stopped.

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To be eligible for housing assistance, your lease and rental receipts must be made out in your name or in the name of your legal representative if you are a minor.

If you are co-renting, each co-renter must submit an individual application.

If you are leasing from a company, get the company's Siret number (14-figure company identification number) if it does not appear on the rental agreement.

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Students,
your place to go
for housing
assistance
is **caf.fr**



Who is eligible for housing assistance?

If you are a student, you may be eligible for housing assistance as long as:

- you are **already renting** (or co-renting) your apartment
- you are **not related to the apartment's owner**, who cannot be one of your ascendants (parents or grandparents)
- you have **little or no means of financial support**

How do I apply?

Don't put it off! Apply for housing assistance as soon as you move in. You can apply online on the website **caf.fr**, in the area *Les services en ligne / Faire une demande de prestation* (Online services / Apply for a benefit).

Before you begin, make sure you know your correct address, your lessor's contact information (owner, rental agency...) and how much you pay in rent.

If you are not already a benefits recipient, you will also need:

- your bank account information slip (relevé d'identité bancaire: RIB)
- the amount of your financial means in 2013 and 2014
- your parents' benefits recipient number and the Caf that pays their benefits, if applicable

It takes about **10 to 20 minutes** to apply for housing assistance online.

How much assistance will I receive?

Before you apply online, take a few minutes to do a simulation on **caf.fr**, where you can estimate how much you are eligible for.

To do your simulation, go to the area *Les services en ligne / Estimez vos droits pour: les aides au logement* (Online services / Estimate your entitlements to: housing assistance).

When will I start receiving my benefits?

Housing assistance is granted from the month after you move in. The first payment is generally made **two months after the application is submitted**.

For example, if you apply online in September, your benefit will be granted in October and you will receive your first payment in early November.

Other questions?

Call us at **0810 29 29 29** (Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., cost of a local call from a landline).

You can also stop by our **Facebook page: Caf – Logements Etudiants** (Caf – Student Housing).

