So, you want to apply for SNAP?

Follow these steps below and use the pictures for reference.

Please Note: If you have not yet created an account, please do so prior to filling out an application. You can visit www.washingtonconnection.org to create your account, and reference our complementary step-by-step document titled “Create a SNAP Account” to guide your process.

Have questions?

1. Reference United Way’s document titled “SNAP FAQs”

2. Contact the DSHS Customer Service Center at 1-877-501-2233 or 2-1-1 for additional assistance.

To learn more about other resources available in our community right now, visit the COVID-19 Updates page at www.uwkc.org.
1. Visit www.washingtonconnection.org
   - Click on the orange, circular tab that reads “See If I Qualify”.

2. See If I Qualify
   - Read through the directions and complete answers on the following pages as thoroughly as possible. This will in turn provide an accurate description of benefits you may be eligible for. This will take about 15 minutes.
   - Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

[Image of the Washington Connection website]
3. Where do you live?
   - Enter the zip-code you currently reside in.
   - If you do not know your zip-code or are houseless, indicate this by checking the box that reads “I don’t know my ZIP Code”, or “I am homeless”.
   - Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

4. About You
   - Enter your personal information including “First Name”, “Last Name”, “Age”, “Gender”, and number of individuals that currently live in your home.
   - Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

5. Household Members
- Enter the personal information of each individual that lives in your home including “First Name”, “Last Name”, “Age”, “Gender”, and “Relation to You”.
  - Use the “Add More” tab if there are more individuals you need add.
- Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

6. Questions About People in your Home
- These are questions about household characteristics that will be used to identify potential benefits for you and for those that live in your household.
- Click the “Yes” or “No” bubble to choose your answer for each question.
  - When choosing “Yes”, identify which household member identifies with your answer by checking the box to the left of the household resident’s name.
- Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.
7. Your Household Income
- This series of questions helps to identify various sources of income within your household.
- Click in the “Yes” or “No” bubble on the right side of each question to choose your answer.
  - When choosing “Yes”, identify the monetary amount/month each household resident receives through each supplementary source.
  - This box will appear once you have clicked “Yes”.
- If you need assistance calculating Gross Income, click on the blue question mark located under the right side of the progress bar, labeled, “Help with this Page”.
- Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”. 

![Image of Your Household Income form]

![Image of Your Household Income form continued]
8. Your Household Expenses
   - Click in the “Yes” or “No” bubble on the right side of each question to choose your answer.
     - You will need to enter specific monetary amounts for each category you choose “Yes”.
   - Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

9. Your Household Resources
   - This section will identify how much money you, and those living in your household, currently have. If you or anyone you live with has money in cash or in a bank, select “Yes”. If not select the bubble indicating “No”.
     - Identify where each individual has money, and how much.
   - Click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Next”.

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10. Summary of What Your Entered
- Before finalizing your application, review your answers from each category.
- When finished, select the option “Next” in the bottom right-hand corner.

11. See If I Qualify Results
- Scroll through your results page to identify which programs you may be eligible to apply for and follow the directions accordingly.
- To submit applications of your choosing, click the tab in the bottom, right corner that reads “Start E-application”.
12. Your “See If I Qualify” Data
   - If you choose to begin an e-Application for any program you are eligible for, you may choose to use the information you previously provided.
   - When finished, select the option “Next” in the bottom right-hand corner.