

This is not an all-inclusive list of reportable income or deductions and is not to be construed as tax advice.

It is a guide to help you gather the information we need to prepare your tax returns. Please consult

[IRS Publication 17 for more information.](#)

For 2018 tax year

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TAX RETURN PREPARATION CHECKLIST

WHAT TO BRING:

W-2 forms (all copies) _____
 1099-INT forms _____
 1099-DIV forms _____
 1099-R forms _____
 Other 1099 forms _____
 State income tax refunds _____
 Unemployment compensation _____
 Social Security Benefits _____
 Capital gains & losses _____
[Rental income](#) _____
[Business income](#) _____
[Farm income](#) _____
 Other income _____
 Barter income _____
 Prizes, awards, etc. _____
 Gambling winnings _____
 Hobby income _____
 1095A (for Marketplace insurance coverage) _____
 Bitcoin transactions _____
 Sale of assets used in a trade or business _____

Federal estimated tax payments _____
 State estimated tax payments _____

Exemptions

List name, social security no., date of birth, relationship, & no. of months lived in home
 Bring birth certificates and Social Security cards

CHILD CARE EXPENSES (Provider's name, address, ID #, and amount paid)

Foreign Bank Account information _____

Health Coverage Information _____

New Clients: Copies of past 3 years' tax returns _____

ITEMIZED DEDUCTIONS

(for expenses paid in tax year)

(All deductions must meet IRS rules and regulations for deductibility.)

MEDICAL

Doctor, dentists, etc. _____
 Hospitals, clinics _____
 Lab. exams, tests _____
 Medical treatments _____
 Diabetic Supplies _____
 Prescription drugs _____
 Health & dental ins.(not sec. 125) _____
 Medical mileage _____
 Other _____
 Less reimb by insurance (_____) _____

Long-term care contracts _____
 Eyeglasses _____
 Contact lens _____
 Saline & contact lens solution _____
 Insulin _____
 Wheelchairs, walkers, canes _____
 Hearing Aids, batteries _____
 Braces _____
 Less reimbursements by flex plans, HSAs, MSAs, other, etc. (_____) _____

Note: Your medical expense deduction is limited to the amount that is more than 7.5% of your adjusted gross income.

TAXES

State Income _____
 Real estate _____

CASUALTY & THEFT LOSSES

[Bring details. \(Special rules & limits apply.\)](#)

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GIFTS TO CHARITY

(Cash, checks, etc.)

Church

United Way _____

Other 501 (c)3 organizations _____

(Please list) _____

INTEREST

(Reported on Form 1098)

Mortgage interest _____

(Loan proceeds, or a portion of the proceeds, must have been used to buy, build or improve your home.)

(May need details, closing statements, even if loan not originated in tax year.)

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Points (bring details) _____

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(Non Cash)

Clothing, furn., etc. _____

Goodwill _____

Salvation Army _____

Samaritan's Purse Shoebox gifts _____

Other (list) _____

Appreciated property _____

Volunteer work (out of pocket expenses & mileage) _____

(Not reported on Form 1098)

Home mortgage _____

(List name, address & identifying no. of person or institution you paid.) _____

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(May need details, closing statements, even if loan not originated in tax year.)

Points (bring details) _____

Other Information

College Tuition, Fees, Books, etc.

(Bring 1098T, account statements, receipts for you, your spouse, and your dependents)

Interest on School Loans _____

529 Plan contributions _____

IRA Contributions (Traditional, ROTH, SEP) _____

Educator Expenses _____

Home Energy Improvements - solar _____

We recommend you keep receipts, cancelled checks, proof of payments, tax documents, income statements and any other supporting documentation used in preparing each year's tax returns for at least 7(seven) years from the date you filed the return. These records may be required by the STATE and/or the Internal Revenue Service in the event your tax return is audited. Records related to capital assets and business property must be

kept for longer periods. You may also need to keep records for longer periods for other reasons.

Capital assets include real property, investment property, collectibles, and personal tangible property, such as vehicles.