

**Tax Preparation Checklist - Information Needed to Complete Your Tax Return**

If any item listed applies to you, check the box and attach the information

**Income Information**

- Wages (Form W-2)
- Interest Income (Form 1099-INT)
- Foreign bank accounts, income +/- or paid taxes
- Dividend Income (Form 1099-DIV)
- Stock Sale Information/Capital Gains (Form 1099-B)
  - Each stock sale: Date purchased, number of shares bought, amount paid
- Other Income
  - Alimony Received (**Date of Divorce required**)
  - Unemployment Compensation (Form 1099-G)
  - Debt Cancellation (Form 1099-C)
  - Disability Income
  - Jury Duty
  - Tip Income
  - Scholarships (Form 1098-T)
  - Education Savings Account Withdrawal (Form 1099-Q)
  - Bartering Income (Form 1099-B)
  - Achieving Better Life Experience Distrib. (Form 1099-QA)
- Small Business (self-employed or independent contractor business owner)
  - Business Income (Form 1099-MISC plus items not on 1099-MISC)
  - Business Expenses (Provide list or use the **Business Organizer**)
  - Vehicle Information
- Rental Property
  - Rental Income (Form 1099-MISC)
  - Related Expenses (Provide list or use the **Rental Property Organizer**)
- Schedules K-1 from Partnerships, S Corps, Trusts
- Sale of Real Estate not qualifying for Personal Residence Exemption
  - Closing Statement – Sale of Property
  - Closing Statement – Purchase of Property
  - List of additions/improvements while you owned the property
  - Forgiveness of Debt income (Form 1099-C or 1099-A)

**Deduction Information:**

- IRA Contributions
- SEP, Simple, Keogh Plans
- Student Loan Interest (Form 1098-E)
- Student Expenses (Forms 1098-T & 1099-Q)
- Alimony Paid (**Date of Divorce required**)
  - Recipient Name and SS #
- Mortgage Interest (Form 1098)
- Investment Interest
- Cash and Noncash Charitable Contributions
- Business or Disaster Casualty/Theft Loss
- Medical Expenses
  - Health Insurance
  - Out of Pocket Medical Expenses (& Form 1099-SA)
  - Forms 1095-A, 1095-B & 1095-C
  - Healthcare Market Place Exemption
  - Medical Account Contribution (Form 5498-SA)
  - ABLE Account Contribution (Form 5498-QA)
- Real Estate Taxes
- Other Taxes (including sales tax paid on the purchase of autos, boats and RVs for personal use)

**Credit and Payment Information:**

- Child Care Expenses
  - Provide name, address, SS# or EIN, and amount paid for each child
- Estimated tax payments (dates and amounts paid)
- Legal papers for adoption, divorce or separation involving custody of your dependent children
- Tuition Statements (Form 1098-T) & Education Expenses
- Copy of voided check (for direct deposit of refund information)
- Energy or electric vehicle tax credit information
- Closing statement for first-time or long-time homebuyers' credit