

# FREE TAX PREP! FAST REFUNDS!



## GET YOUR TAX CREDITS

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- Last year's average credit was \$2,200!
- You may qualify for free tax preparation if your income is at or below \$30,000 for an individual or \$50,000 for a family.
- IRS certified tax preparers and free e-filing.
- For specific eligibility requirements, call United Way 2-1-1.™

### FOR A LIST OF FREE TAX PREPARATION SITES:

- **United Way 2-1-1™**  
Dial 2-1-1, or from a cell phone dial 651-291-0211 (1-800-543-7709 outside of the metro area)
- **Minnesota Department of Revenue**  
651-297-3724  
or 1-800-657-3989
- **Minnesota Relay for hearing impaired**  
711 (TTY)
- **www.taxes.state.mn.us**  
Search for "free tax preparation sites"

### FREE TAX PREPARATION What should I bring with me?

#### REQUIRED:

- Photo ID
- Social Security Card or Individual Tax Identification Number (ITIN)
- Birthdates and social security numbers for all persons listed on tax return
- Income statements or W2s for each job
- All 1099 forms received
- Year-end income for MFIP, SSI, MSA, GA, veterans' benefits, workers' comp.

#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO MAXIMIZE YOUR REFUND:

- Last year's tax return
- Direct deposit information: voided check or saving account number
- Education expenses for children in grades K-12 (pens, notebooks, tutoring, music classes, costs of instruments)
- Tuition expenses for university, college or technical college (Form 1098-T)
- Interest statement for student loans (Form 1098-E)
- Childcare expenses: provider name, address, Tax ID or Social Security number
- Charitable donations
- Homeowner statements: mortgage interest statement, real estate taxes paid (Form 1098), Statement of Property Tax Payable in 2010
- Renter statements: Certificate of Rent Paid

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