

FREE TAX PREPARATION SERVICES

ABOUT US

The Vita Tax Clinic at Trinfo.Cafe provides free tax preparation services to the community. The clinic is one of several VITA locations in Hartford run by the United Way of Northeastern CT and The Village for Families and Children.

WHO WE SERVE

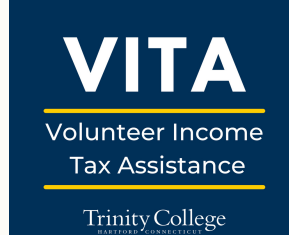
The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) is an Internal Revenue Service (IRS) program that supports free tax preparation services through partner organizations. VITA serves:

- People who make \$64,000 or less
- Persons with disabilities; and
- Limited English-speaking taxpayers

How to make an appointment?

Call 2-1-1 or visit 211ct.org for an appointment at the VITA clinic at Trinfo.Cafe or another nearby VITA site.

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DO COLLEGE STUDENTS HAVE TO FILE A TAX RETURN?

If you make enough money, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will require you to file a tax return. Many college students might not earn enough to need to. But even those who are not legally required to file might want to send in a return. A refund could be coming your way.

Before you file, you'll need to know your status. If anyone claims you as a dependent on their taxes, you're able and may still be required to file a return. It's a good idea to discuss that with your parent or guardian before filing.

According to the IRS, if you are a dependent who is unmarried, under 65, and not blind, you must file a tax return if:

- **Your unearned income (which includes taxable interest, capital gain distributions, unemployment compensation, and taxable Social Security benefits) was more than \$1,250**
- **Your earned income was more than \$13,850**
- **Your gross income (total earned and unearned) was more than the larger of \$1,250 or your earned income (up to \$13850) plus \$400**

If you won't be claimed as a dependent on someone else's taxes, you must file a return if you made \$13,850. College students should double check their taxable income as some portion or all of scholarships or grant can be taxable.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX RETURN REQUIREMENTS

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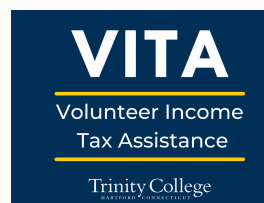
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