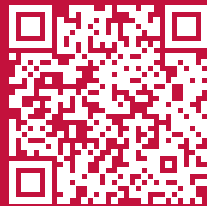




# YEAR-ROUND PLANNING FOR TAXES



Just because you filed your tax return, it doesn't mean you don't need to think about taxes for the rest of the year. What you do during the year may affect any tax you could owe or refund you may expect next year.

## USE THESE TIPS TO HELP PREPARE FOR FILING FEDERAL INCOME TAX RETURNS

### ■ Get to know your tax situation

View your account information online

Learn how your filing status determines eligibility for credits and deductions

Read about how life events can affect your taxes

Tax resources to help recover from a disaster

**Browse online tools and resources to get help and information**

### ■ Preparing early could lead to a better experience filing taxes

Check your tax withholding throughout the year

Get banked if you don't have an account to speed refunds with direct deposit

Know how Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) affects your taxes

Gather and organize your tax records to show eligibility for certain credits

Watch out for tax scams and fraud. Know the warning signs.

### ■ Get ready to file and bookmark IRS.gov resources and online tools

Don't miss out on your refund by not filing

Gather your information and documents before filing your tax return

Compare the standard and itemized deductions to see which is best for you

Get help filing your return

Stay connected with the IRS