

WHAT YOU NEED TO PREPARE YOUR TAX RETURN

✓ **New Client Information**, please provide as much detail as possible (refer to website - Form #1)

✓ **Authorization – CRA Representative**, grant permission to communicate with the Canada Revenue Agency on your behalf (refer to website - Form #2, please complete fields where highlighted)

✓ Copy of **2021 Tax Return** or copy of **2021 Notice of Assessment**

✓ Income slips from all your income sources

Employment / Salary / Commission T4, T4A slips

Pension Income (OAS / CPP / RRSP / RRIF) T4A, T4A(P), T4A(OAS), T4RSP, T4RIF slips

Scholarships / RESP Payments T4A slips EI Benefits and Repayments T4E slips **Investment Income** T3, T5 slips Partnership Income T5013 slips

Summary of income and expenses Rental Income

Taxable Capital Gains and Losses T5008 slips, no slips refer to website - Form #4

Spousal Support Name and SIN of payer, amount received

Summary of income and expenses Self-Employment / Business Income

WSIB / Social Assistance T5007 slips

Tips / Gratuities Record amount received

✓ If you have any deductions or credits to claim

Pension Plan / RRSP Contributions T4, T4A slips, official receipts from bank

Union or Professional Dues T4 slips, official receipts

Child Care Expenses Receipts

Moving Expenses Details of Expenses, old resident address Name and SIN of payee, amount paid Spousal / Child Support Interest Expenses / Investment Expenses Details and purpose of the loan

Employment Expenses T2200 (S) from employer, receipts

Canada Caregiver Amount T2201 or signed statement by medical practitioner

Volunteer Firefighter Amount Confirmation of hours volunteered Home Buyer's Amount Statement of adjustments (from lawyer)

Home Accessibility Expenses Details; renovation receipts

Adoption Expenses Receipts

Digital News Subscription Expenses Receipts; up to \$500

Disability Amount (Self or Transferred) T2201 completed by medical practitioner

Interest Paid on Student Loans Official receipts

Tuition Fees T2202 (download from school), TL11 (foreign)

Exam Fees **Receipts**

Medical Expenses Receipts; prescription summary (from pharmacy)

Charitable / Political Donations Official receipts

Eligible Educator School Supply Tax Credit Eligible receipts, certification from employer

Ontario Staycation Tax Credit Receipts

✓ **Sale/change of use of principal residence must be reported;** please provide the following information - Purchase Year, Sale Date and Proceeds

✓ **If you rent your residence**; you need a letter or receipt from your landlord that states

Your name

- Number of months you have lived at this address
- Amount of rent you paid during the year Landlord's name and contact information
- Address of the place you are renting
- ✓ **If you own your home**; you need your property tax bill from the City of Hamilton or other municipality

✓ **Executor preparing final return**, please provide a copy of the will and death certificate