



FREE TAX PREPARATION ASSISTANCE

In 2023, VITA volunteers assisted more than 1,701 individuals and families in preparation of their federal and state income taxes. Through this free service, the VITA program returned more than \$2.4 million to our community and an average of \$1,434 to these individuals and families.

ONSITE, PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

Meet with an IRS-certified VITA tax assistant for one hour at a VITA site to complete your federal and state income tax returns.

CONVENIENT LOCATIONS

For 2024, VITA will have several appointment sites in throughout Cedar Rapids, Marion, and Hiawatha. Sites are open days, evenings, and Saturdays.

SIMPLIFIED PROCESS

VITA personnel will assist in making a sometimes complex and complicated tax preparation process a more trouble-free experience for you. Simply schedule your appointment, bring the necessary and required documentation, complete an intake form, and sit with the volunteer to take in your taxes or complete your tax return.

Beginning mid-January 2024 go to uweci.org/VITA2024 to schedule an appointment or call 319-382-5685.

ADVANTAGES

- Personal assistance
- Electronic filing
- Direct deposit to your checking or savings account
- Complete both federal and state tax returns in one sitting
- Convenient locations and hours
- Free to individuals earning less than \$60,000

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Understanding volunteers
- Opportunity to address your concerns and questions
- A complete and confidential tax return filing
- Quick electronic filing of state and federal tax returns

WHAT TO BRING

- Proper identification, including photo ID and social security card, for all individuals who will be included on your tax returns
- All wage and income documents
- Last year's tax return
- Any college expenses and scholarships
- Bank routing information
- Additional items you will need will be identified when your appointment is scheduled

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