

2022 Income Tax Filing Season Opens January 23

The opening day for electronic filing of the 2022 Ohio individual income tax and/or school district income tax return is Monday, January 23, 2023. The IRS will also begin accepting 2022 federal income tax returns that day.

Ohio taxpayers will find a couple new changes that could impact the preparation of the state income tax return. Those are:

- All tax brackets have been adjusted for inflation. As a result, taxpayers with taxable income of \$26,050 or less will pay no income tax.
- A new, nonrefundable credit is available for employing certain persons enrolled in a certified vocational training program (work-based learning program).

For the fastest processing available, we recommend you submit your return electronically using our free I-File, or file using a commercial software product or tax preparer. As is true every year, paper returns take much longer to process than returns filed electronically. We appreciate that nearly 94% of all Ohio individual and school district income tax returns filed last year were filed electronically.

The deadline for filing both your Ohio and federal tax return is April 18, 2023. As a reminder, a request for a filing extension does not extend your payment due date.

If you have additional questions or need assistance with your Ohio return, please visit tax.ohio.gov/emailus or call our taxpayer assistance line at 1-800-282-1780 (1-800-750-0750 for persons who use text telephones (TTYs) or adaptive telephone equipment).

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