

# Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Sites 2022 (Tax Year 2021)

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<b>Do It Yourself MyFreeTaxes.com</b>		File your own tax return online for <b>free with no income or age limit</b> using United Way's free self-preparation solution at <b>MyFreeTaxes.com!</b> File from home. Fast. Easy. Free! Mobile optimized. Helpline and chat features. Spanish language option after registration. Returning users will love the upgraded service with even more free forms!				
<b>VITA Remote GetYourRefund.org</b>		Certified volunteers file tax returns remotely for those with annual income under <b>\$57,000</b> and a simple tax return at <b>GetYourRefund.org</b> . Create an account and your local zip code will route you to a Rio Grande Valley VITA site. You must have an email account to upload and download tax documents with smart phone or PC. Local volunteers will communicate with you through GetYourRefund to prepare your return. Volunteer capacity is limited due to COVID-19 pandemic.  Volunteers at CDCB will prepare tax returns at GetYourRefund.org. These sites are not open to the public during the pandemic and will only communicate via GetYourRefund.				
<b>VITA Drop-Off</b>		VITA service has changed due to COVID-19 and will not provide face-to-face interaction with tax preparers this tax season. Select sites will provide drop-off service. Bring all tax documents with you. You must have annual income under <b>\$57,000</b> and a simple return to receive drop-off service. Volunteer capacity is limited. Do not walk in to a site unless you have an appointment or the site publishes walk-in hours.				
<b>VITA Site Location</b>		<b>Address</b>	<b>Appointment or Walk-In</b>	<b>Opening and Closing Dates</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>BROWNSVILLE</b>	<b>BISD- Hanna Early College High School</b>	2615 Price Road <b>Brownsville</b> 78521	Appointment Only. <b>(956) 698-1955</b>	February 01 - March 01 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 8</i>	Tues <i>Tues 2/8</i>	5:00pm - 6:45pm 9:00am - 2:00pm 1 day only
	<b>BISD- Lopez Early College High School</b>	3205 S Dakota Ave. <b>Brownsville</b> 78521	Walk In *	February 08 - March 31. Closed 2/24 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 8;</i>	Thur <i>Tues 2/8</i>	4:30pm - 6:30pm 9:00am - 2:00pm 1 day only
	<b>BISD- Porter Early College High School</b>	3500 International Blvd <b>Brownsville</b> 78521	Appointment Only. <b>(956) 698-2454</b>	January 24 - March 7 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 8</i>	Mon <i>Tues 2/8</i>	5:00pm - 7:00pm 9:00am - 2:00pm 1 day only <i>Closed on Jan. 14</i>
	<b>BISD- Rivera Early College High School</b>	6955 FM 802 <b>Brownsville</b> 78521	Walk In *	January 25 - February 22 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 08</i>	Tues <i>Tues 2/8</i>	5:00pm - 7:00pm 9:00am - 2:00pm 1 day only
	<b>BISD- Veterans Memorial Early College High School</b>	4550 US Military Hwy 281 <b>Brownsville</b> 78520	Appointment Only. <b>(956) 574-5613</b>	February 03 - March 10 <i>Super Tax Tuesday: Feb. 8</i>	Wed <i>Tues 2/8</i>	5:00pm - 7:00pm 9:00am - 2:00pm 1 day only
	<b>Community Development Corp. of Brownsville (CDCB)</b>	Remote Preparation	Go to: <a href="https://www.getyourrefund.org/CDCB">https://www.getyourrefund.org/CDCB</a>	January 31 - April 18		Remote
	<b>Texas Southmost College ITECC Room F-6</b>	301 Mexico Blvd. <b>Brownsville</b> 78520 (former Amigoland Mall)	Appointment: <b>(956) 295-3761</b> <b>Drop-off only.</b> Leave name and phone number for call back starting Jan. 15. Walk-ins accepted as available. <b>Use QR code on next page to schedule an appt.</b>	January 24 - April 18 <i>Charro Days: Closed at NOON Thurs, Feb. 24. Closed at 4pm Fri, Feb.25. Closed Sat, Feb.26.</i> <i>Spring Break: Closed Sat, Mar 12 &amp; 19. Good Friday: Closed Fri, April 15.</i>	Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri Sat	9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - <b>8:00pm</b> 9:00am - <b>8:00pm</b> 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 4:00pm (see holiday closures)
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<b>BROWNSVILLE</b> UTRGV- U Central Learn To File using MyFreeTaxes.com (Brownsville & Edinburg campuses)	University of Texas RGV U Central 1 West University Blvd. Brownsville 78520	Walk In- Learn to file your own tax return using MyFreeTaxes.com	February 2 - March 11 (Closed at Noon Friday Feb. 25)	Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	9:00am - 4:00pm 9:00am - 4:00pm 9:00am - 4:00pm 9:00am - 4:00pm 9:00am - 4:00pm	
<b>HARLINGEN</b> United Way of Northern Cameron County	320 E Harrison Ave, Harlingen, TX 78550	Appointment Only. (956) 423-5954	February 2 - March 23	Wed	4:00pm - 7:00pm	
<b>LOS FRESNOS</b> Ethel Whipple Memorial Library	402 W. Ocean Blvd Los Fresnos 78566	Walk In* Drop Off.	January 27 -March 10	Thurs	10:00am - 4:00pm	
<b>LA FERIA</b> La Feria High School	901 N Canal St La Feria 78559	Walk In *	January 24 - February 28 Closed February 14 & 21.	Mon	5:00pm - 8:00pm	
<b>PORT ISABEL</b>	Port Isabel High School	18001 TX Hwy 100 Port Isabel 78578	Walk In *	January 24 - March 10 Closed March 14 -17.	Mon-Thurs	3:10pm - 6:00pm
	Port Isabel Public Library	213 Yturria St. Port Isabel 78578	Appointment only. (956) 943-0776;	January 25 - March 4 Closed Mon, Feb. 21.	Mon-Thurs Fri	10:00am -12:00pm 11:00am -1:00pm
<b>SAN BENITO</b> San Benito High School	450 S. Williams Rd. San Benito 78586	Appointment Only. Curbside service/ Drop off. (956) 361-6567	February 01 - February 24	Tues Thurs	5:00pm - 6:30pm 5:00pm - 6:30pm	

**What you need to bring:** Valid photo ID. • Health Insurance Form 1095-A if you purchased insurance through government marketplace. • Original Social Security cards for all household members. • Copy of last year's tax return if available. • All income forms (W-2, W 2G, & 1099s, etc.) • Bank account and routing numbers for direct deposit/direct debit. • Total paid for day care provider and provider's tax identifying number. • Education expense info (1098-T, receipts, etc.) • Identity Theft prevention pin, if assigned by the IRS. • Amount received as Economic Impact Payment also known as the stimulus checks. • Advance Child Tax Credit info (Letter 6419 including the payments that were disbursed to you during 2021) Also: • Both spouses must sign the required forms for Married Filing Jointly returns. • VITA sites do not prepare Married Filing Separately returns. • High School sites do not prepare self-employment returns (1099-Misc.)

Use this QR to schedule an appointment at ITECC

